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FIRST DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
OPENING DAY
JANUARY 12, 2009

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The Senate was called to order at high noon, 12:00 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G.JEFFRESS, J.JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Dr. William R. Brown, Senior Pastor, First Baptist Church, Morrilton, Arkansas.

Everyone please remain standing.

State Police Color Guard entered the Senate, faced the Senators and "presented arms" in the Senate Chamber.

State Police Color Guard "posted colors"

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by Senator Henry "Hank" Wilkins, IV.

The President Pro Tempore of the Senate, Senator Bob Johnson, appointed the following members of the Senate to escort the Secretary of State to the Senate chamber for the purpose of delivering the certificates of election to the members of the Senate:

Senator Paul Bookout, Chairman
Senator Sue Madison
Senator Sharon Trusty
Senator Larry Teague
Senator Jim Luker

Senator Bookout introduced Secretary of State, Charlie Daniels. The Secretary of State appeared within the bar of the Senate and delivered a message.

To The Arkansas State Senate:

Ladies and Gentlemen:

In compliance with the requirements of Arkansas law, I have the honor today of presenting to this Honorable Body the list of members elected to the State Senate of the 87th General Assembly. I hereby certify that each of the following members received the highest number of votes cast in his or her respective district in the General Election on November 4, 2008 as certified to the Secretary of State by the various County Boards of Election Commissioners, to-wit:

Name	District
Johnny Key	State Senate District 1
Randy Laverty	State Senate District 2
Ruth R. Whitaker	State Senate District 3
Sharon Kathleen Trusty	State Senate District 4
Sue Madison	State Senate District 7
Cecile Bledsoe	State Senate District 8
Kim Hendren	State Senate District 9
David Wyatt	State Senate District 12
Jim Luker	State Senate District 17
Larry Teague	State Senate District 20
Jerry Taylor	State Senate District 23
Jimmy L. Jeffress	State Senate District 24
Gene Jeffress	State Senate District 25
Percy Malone	State Senate District 26
Gilbert Baker	State Senate District 30
Mary Anne Salmon	State Senate District 31

David Johnson	State Senate District 32
Joyce Elliott	State Senate District 33

In Testimony Where of, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the official seal of the Secretary of State on this the 12th day of January, 2009.

Charlie Daniels
Secretary of State
State of Arkansas

Official Tabulations
Of the Results of the General Election
Held in
Arkansas on November 4, 2008
For the Following:

U.S. President & Vice President	
Ralph Nader and Matt Gonzalez-Independent	12,882
Gloria La Riva and Eugene Puryear-Socialism & Liberation	1,139
Cynthia McKinney and Rosa Clemente-Green	3,470
Barack Obama and Joe Biden-Democrat	422,310
Bob Barr and Wayne Allyn Root-Libertarian	4,776
John McCain and Sarah Palin-Republican	638,017
Chuck Baldwin and Darrell L. Castle-Constitution	4,023
U.S. Senate	
U.S. Senator Mark Pryor	804,678
Rebekah Kennedy	207,076
U.S. Congress District 01	
Congressman Marion Berry	Unopposed
U. S. Congress District 02	
Congressman Vic Snyder	212,303
Deb McFarland	64,398
Danial Suits	665
U.S. Congress District 03	
Abel Noah Tomlinson	58,850
Congressman John Boozman	215,196
U.S. Congress District 04	
U.S. Congressman Mike Ross	203,178
Joshua Drake	32,603
Proposed Initiative Act Number 1	
Foster Care/Adoption Limit	
For	586,248
Against	440,945

Proposed Constitutional Amendment Number 1
Election Changes

For	714,128
Against	267,326

Proposed Constitutional Amendment Number 2
Annual Legislative Sessions

For	664,671
Against	292,436

Proposed Constitutional Amendment Number 3
State Lotteries

For	648,122
Against	383,467

Referred Question Number 1
Water, Waste Disposal bonds

For	631,767
Against	332,507

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand
And affixed my official Seal. Done at my office in the City
Of Little Rock, Arkansas, this 4th day of December, 2008.

_____
Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State

GREETINGS, on November 4, 2008, the people of the State of

Arkansas approved the following amendments to the Arkansas Constitution:

Amendment 85

An Amendment concerning voting, qualifications of voters and election officers, and the time of holding General Elections.

Amendment 86

An Amendment providing that no legislative appropriation shall be for a Period longer than one year, providing for fiscal legislative sessions, Requiring the General Assembly to meet every year with regular sessions continuing to be held in odd-numbered years and fiscal sessions held in even-numbered years, unless the General Assembly votes to hold regular Sessions in even-numbered years and fiscal sessions in odd-numbered years, and allowing the General Assembly to consider non-fiscal matters during a Fiscal session upon approval of two-thirds of both houses.

Amendment 87

A Constitutional Amendment authorizing the General Assembly to establish, operate, and regulate state lotteries to fund scholarships and grants for Arkansas citizens enrolled in certified two-year and four-year colleges and universities in Arkansas.

_____
Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State

____December 4, 2008_____
Date

The President Pro Tempore of the Senate, Senator Bob Johnson, appointed the following members of the Senate to escort Chief Justice Jim Hannah to the Senate chamber for the purpose of administering oaths of office to the newly elected Senators:

Senator Gilbert Baker, Chairman
Senator Paul Miller
Senator Randy Laverty
Senator Denny Altes
Senator Gene Jeffress
Senator Kim Hendren

The designated Committee escorted Chief Justice Jim Hannah into the chamber.

Senator Baker introduced Chief Justice Jim Hannah.

Senator Barbara Horn introduced Senator Bob Johnson, the President Pro Tempore of the Senate for the 87th General Assembly.

Chief Justice Jim Hannah administers the oath of office to President Pro Tempore Bob Johnson.

Remarks by President Pro Tempore Bob Johnson.

President Pro Tempore of the Senate, Senator Bob Johnson, placed in nomination Ann Cornwell as Secretary of the Senate.

Senator Tracy Steele, seconded the nomination and moved that Ann Cornwell be elected Secretary of the Senate by acclamation.

Motion prevailed.

Chief Justice Jim Hannah will administer the oath of office to returning Senators.

Senator Randy Laverty	District 02
Senator Ruth Whitaker	District 03
Senator Sharon Trusty	District 04
Senator Sue Madison	District 07
Senator Kim Hendren	District 09
Senator Jim Luker	District 17
Senator Jerry Taylor	District 23
Senator Jimmy Jeffress	District 24
Senator Gene Jeffress	District 25
Senator Percy Malone	District 26
Senator Gilbert Baker	District 30
Senator Mary Anne Salmon	District 31

Chief Justice Jim Hannah will administer the oath of office to the new incoming Senators.

Senator Johnny Key	District 01
Senator Cecile Bledsoe	District 08
Senator David Wyatt	District 12
Senator Larry Teague	District 20
Senator David Johnson	District 32
Senator Joyce Elliott	District 33

Presentation of the Senate lapel pin by Senator Jim Luker.

The President Pro Tempore of the Senate, Senator Bob Johnson, requests Ann Cornwell, Secretary of the Senate, to announce his appointments for Assistant President Pro Tempore.

First District	Senator Paul Bookout
Second District	Senator Tracy Steele
Third District	Senator Ed Wilkinson
Fourth District	Senator Henry "Hank" Wilkins, IV

Senator Terry Smith presented for ratification by the Senate the Efficiency Committee of the 87th General Assembly.

Senator Terry Smith, Chairman
Senator Paul Miller, Vice-Chairman

Senator Sharon Trusty	Senator Steve Bryles
Senator Gilbert Baker	Senator Henry "Hank" Wilkins, IV
Senator Percy Malone	Senator Barbara Horn
Senator Jimmy Jeffress	Senator Steve Faris
Senator Ed Wilkinson	Senator Bob Johnson

Senator Terry Smith presented for ratification the names of the session employees for the 87th General Assembly.

EIGHTY SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

SESSION EMPLOYEES

Julie Baldridge	**Barbara Joyce**
Sharon Beckerman	**Sherry Joyce**
Lynn Benham	**Cannon Kearney**
Leroy Boas	**Shawn Key**
Vince Bond	**Marilyn Mathias**
Floyd Burns	**Beverly Moore**
Sylvia Chudy	**Bettye Ruth Morris**
Joe Clements	**Donna Myers**
Anita Coffey	**Carolyn Porter**
Joan Coleman	**Connie Harkin-Prause**

Pat Cranford	**John Presley**
Vicki Critcher	**Melba Presley**
Jana Derlikowski	**Rosemary Robinson**
Joann Drew	**Carolyn Ross**
Susan Dumas	**Ann Scott**
Stacia Epps	**Harold Steelman**
Martha Flynn	**Linda Taylor**
Debbie Foster	**James Teague**
Paul Foster	**Nicole Trotter**
Kirke Herman	**Sharon Ursery**
Cindy Herron	**Deanna Welch**
Mary Katharine Hope	**Pat Williams**
Diane Hudson	**Deborah Wyatt**
Barbara Hurst	**Don Younts**
Candace Jeffress	

Chief Justice Jim Hannah will administer the oath of office to the session employees.

Senator Joyce Elliott, Majority Leader, presented for ratification by the Senate the Committee assignments of the 87th General Assembly.

2009-2010 SENATE COMMITTEE MEMBERS

STANDING COMMITTEES

CLASS "A"

Public Health, Welfare & Labor

1. Percy Malone, Chair
2. Tracy Steele, Vice-Chair
3. Randy Laverty
4. Bill Pritchard
5. Jack Crumbly
6. Cecile Bledsoe
7. Gilbert Baker
8. Barbara Horn

Revenue & Taxation

1. Paul Miller, Chair
2. Bobby Glover, Vice-Chair
3. Sharon Trusty
4. Terry Smith
5. John Paul Capps
6. Larry Teague
7. Steve Faris
8. Denny Altes

Education

1. Jimmy Jeffress, Chair
2. Steve Bryles, Vice-Chair
3. Kim Hendren
4. Shane Broadway
5. Gene Jeffress
6. Mary Anne Salmon
7. Johnny Key
8. Joyce Elliott

CLASS "B"

Agriculture, Forestry & Economic Development.

1. Jim Luker, Chair
2. Jerry Taylor, Vice-Chair
3. David Wyatt
4. Ruth Whitaker
5. Jimmy Jeffress
6. Shane Broadway
7. Gene Jeffress
8. Mary Anne Salmon

Insurance & Commerce

1. Barbara Horn, Chair
2. Henry "Hank" Wilkins, Vice-Chair
3. Bob Johnson
4. Denny Altes
5. Paul Bookout
6. Paul Miller
7. Percy Malone
8. Terry Smith

City, County, Local Affairs

1. Sue Madison, Chair
2. Robert Thompson, Vice-Chair
3. Tracy Steele
4. Jack Crumbly
5. David Johnson
6. Cecile Bledsoe
7. Johnny Key
8. Joyce Elliott

Judiciary

1. Ed Wilkinson, Chair
2. Ruth Whitaker, Vice-Chair
3. David Johnson
4. Jim Luker
5. Sue Madison
6. Jerry Taylor
7. Robert Thompson
8. Henry “Hank” Wilkins

State Agencies & Governmental Affairs

1. Steve Faris, Chair
2. Gilbert Baker, Vice-Chair
3. Ed Wilkinson
4. Steve Bryles
5. Kim Hendren
6. Randy Laverty
7. Bobby Glover
8. Bill Pritchard

CLASS "C" COMMITTEE
Transportation, Technology & Legislative Affairs

1. John Paul Capps, Chair
2. Sharon Trusty, Vice Chair
3. Larry Teague
4. Bob Johnson
5. Paul Bookout
6. David Wyatt
7. Bobby Glover (Pro Tem Appointment)(Senate Rule 7.02(b)
8. Denny Altes (Pro Tem Appointment)(Senate Rule 7.02(b)

SENATE JOINT COMMITTEES

Joint Performance Review

1. Denny Altes, Chair
2. Jack Crumbly, Vice-Chair
3. John Paul Capps
4. Cecile Bledsoe
5. David Wyatt
6. Terry Smith
7. Barbara Horn
8. Bob Johnson
9. Bobby Glover
10. Bill Pritchard

Joint Retirement & Social Security

1. Gene Jeffress,Chair
2. Johnny Key,Vice-Chair
3. Jimmy Jeffress
4. Steve Bryles
5. Steve Faris
6. Jim Luker
7. Paul Bookout
8. David Johnson
9. David Wyatt
10. Joyce Elliott

Joint Energy

1. Kim Hendren, Chair
2. Shane Broadway, Vice-Chair
3. Randy Laverty
4. Jerry Taylor
5. Paul Bookout
6. Robert Thompson
7. David Johnson
8. Paul Miller
9. Ruth Whitaker
10. Sharon Trusty

Senate Interim Committee on Children and Youth

1. Tracy Steele, Chair
2. Mary Anne Salmon, Vice-Chair
3. Gilbert Baker
4. Percy Malone
5. Ed Wilkinson
6. Henry “Hank” Wilkins
7. Sue Madison
8. Gene Jeffress
9. Jack Crumbly
10. Robert Thompson

Joint Interim Committee on Legislative Facilities
10-3-1101
Randy Laverty, Chairman (Pro Tem appointment)
Bob Johnson, President Pro Tem
Gilbert Baker, Joint Budget Chairman
Efficiency Committee Chairman has (4) appointments
Steve Faris
Sharon Trusty
Mary Anne Salmon
David Wyatt

Joint Budget

1. Gilbert Baker, Chair
2. Terry Smith, Vice-Chair

(Chair & Vice-Chair are chosen by the Senate Joint Budget committee members)

SENATE SELECT COMMITTEES

Efficiency Committee

1. Terry Smith, Chair
2. Paul Miller, Vice-Chair
3. Sharon Trusty
4. Gilbert Baker
5. Percy Malone
6. Jimmy Jeffress
7. Ed Wilkinson
8. Steve Bryles
9. Henry "Hank" Wilkins
10. Barbara Horn
11. Steve Faris
12. Bob Johnson

Rules, Resolutions & Memorials

1. Ruth Whitaker, Chair
2. Jim Luker, Vice Chair
3. Sue Madison
4. Bobby Glover
5. Bill Pritchard
6. Joyce Elliott
7. Larry Teague
8. Kim Hendren
9. Shane Broadway
10. Denny Altes
11. Tracy Steele
12. Mary Anne Salmon
13. Randy Laverty
14. John Paul Capps
15. Jerry Taylor

JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE MEMBERS

Gilbert Baker, Co-Chairman Terry Smith, Co-Vice Chairman

1st Congressional District

1. Paul Miller
2. Steve Bryles
3. Jim Luker
4. Paul Bookout
5. Jack Crumbly
6. Robert Thompson

Alternate: David Wyatt

2nd Congressional District

1. Gilbert Baker
2. Bob Johnson
3. Shane Broadway
4. Tracy Steele
5. Mary Anne Salmon
6. John Paul Capps

Alternate: David Johnson

3rd Congressional District

1. Ruth Whitaker
2. Sharon Trusty
3. Ed Wilkinson
4. Kim Hendren
5. Denny Altes
6. Sue Madison

Alternate: Bill Pritchard

4th Congressional District

1. Percy Malone
2. Jimmy Jeffress
3. Terry Smith
4. Barbara Horn
5. Steve Faris
6. Gene Jeffress

Alternate: Jerry Taylor

Code 10-3-502

Henry "Hank" Wilkins, IV Current Co-Chair of Legislative Council
Johnny Key, President Pro Tem appointee
(if current Co-Chair and Past Co-Chair of Legislative Council is the same member
Pro Tem appointee)
Bobby Glover, Current Co-Chair of Legislative Audit
Randy Laverty, Past Co-Chair of Legislative Audit

The Senate members of the Legislative Council Committee shall select one member of the committee as Co-Chair and one member of the committee as Co-Vice Chair.

ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Henry "Hank" Wilkins, IV Co-Chairman

Steve Faris, Co-Vice Chairman

DISTRICT		MEMBER	1ST ALTERNATE	SECOND ALTERNATE
1ST	1.	Paul Miller	David Wyatt	
	2.	Steve Bryles	David Wyatt	
	3.	Jim Luker	David Wyatt	
	4.	Paul Bookout	David Wyatt	
2nd	1.	Shane Broadway	Mary Anne Salmon	
	2.	Tracy Steele	Mary Anne Salmon	
	3.	John Paul Capps	Mary Anne Salmon	
	4.	David Johnson	Mary Anne Salmon	
3rd	1.	Ruth Whitaker	Sue Madison	
	2.	Sharon Trusty	Sue Madison	
	3.	Ed Wilkinson	Sue Madison	
	4.	Denny Altes	Sue Madison	
4th	1.	Percy Malone	Gene Jeffress	
	2.	Jimmy Jeffress	Jerry Taylor	
	3.	Terry Smith	Larry Teague	
	4.	Barbara Horn	Larry Teague	

Code 10-3-301

Bob Johnson, President Pro Tempore of the Senate **1st Alternate:**
Larry Teague, President Pro Tempore appointee
Immediate Past President Pro Tempore (if not a member - Pro Tem appointee)
President Pro Tempore Designee
Gilbert Baker, Co-Chair, Joint Budget Committee
Bobby Glover, Co-Chair Legislative Audit
Bill Pritchard, Co-Vice Chair Legislative Audit
Randy Laverty, Past Chair, Legislative Audit
Henry "Hank" Wilkins, IV, Past Chair, Legislative Council
Joyce Elliott, Majority Leader
Kim Hendren, Minority Leader
Steve Faris, Majority Whip
Cecile Bledsoe, Minority Whip appointee

The Senate members of the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee shall select one member of the committee as Co-Chair and one member of the committee as Co-Vice Chair.

LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE

Bobby Glover, Co-Chairman

Bill Pritchard, Co-Vice Chairman

DISTRICT		MEMBERS	FIRST ALTERNATE	SECOND ALTERNATE
1ST	1.	Bobby Glover	David Wyatt	
	2.	Jack Crumbly	David Wyatt	
	3.	Robert Thompson	David Wyatt	
	4.	Johnny Key	David Wyatt	
2ND	1.	Mary Anne Salmon	Tracy Steele	
	2.	Joyce Elliott	Gilbert Baker	
	3.	John Paul Capps	Shane Broadway	
	4.	David Johnson	Shane Broadway	
3RD	1.	Sue Madison	Ruth Whitaker	Denny Altes
	2.	Bill Pritchard	Ed Wilkinson	Sharon Trusty
	3.	Cecile Bledsoe	Sharon Trusty	Ed Wilkinson
	4.	Kim Hendren	Denny Altes	Ruth Whitaker
4TH	1.	Gene Jeffress	Percy Malone	
	2.	Jerry Taylor	Jimmy Jeffress	
	3.	Larry Teague	Steve Faris	
	4.	Henry “Hank” Wilkins, IV		

Code 10-3-403

Bob Johnson, President Pro Tempore

Randy Laverty, Past Chair, Legislative Audit

Henry “Hank” Wilkins IV, Current Co-Chair of Legislative Council

Steve Faris, Current Co-Vice Chair of Legislative Council

The President Pro Tempore of the Senate, Senator Bob Johnson, appoints the following members of the Senate to notify the House of Representatives that the Senate is organized and ready for business:

Senator Steve Faris, Chairman
Senator David Wyatt
Senator Bill Pritchard
Senator Cecile Bledsoe
Senator Barbara Horn

SENATE BILL NO. 1
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATE EFFICIENCY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 2
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE GROSS RECEIPTS TAX ON MINI-WAREHOUSE AND SELF-STORAGE RENTAL SERVICES UPON CERTAIN CONDITIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 2 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION .

SENATE BILL NO. 3
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF A SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE FOR COLD WAR VETERANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 3 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 4
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR SALES OF TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY AND SERVICES TO THE DISABLED AMERICAN VETERANS ORGANIZATION AND ITS LOCAL STATE DEPARTMENTS OR CHAPTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 4 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 5
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE A SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR UTILITIES USED BY MANUFACTURERS IN THE MANUFACTURING PROCESS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 5 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 6
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT REPAIR OR REPLACEMENT PARTS FOR FARM EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY FROM THE GROSS RECEIPTS AND USE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 6 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 7
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT FROM SALES AND USE TAX THE RETAIL SALE OF RENEWABLE RESOURCE EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 7 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 8
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR A BUSINESS OR INDIVIDUAL THAT PURCHASES RENEWABLE RESOURCE EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 8 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 9
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR THE REHABILITATION OF HISTORIC STRUCTURES LOCATED IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 9 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 10
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO TREAT ALL SPECIAL REVENUES AS GENERAL REVENUES; TO AMEND THE PURPOSE FOR THE SPECIAL FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 10 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 11
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR THE EDUCATION EXPENSES OF DEPENDENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 11 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 12
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A BACK-TO-SCHOOL TAX-FREE HOLIDAY BY EXEMPTING ITEMS OF CLOTHING FROM SALES AND USE TAX DURING A LIMITED TIME PERIOD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 12 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 13
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR A PARENT WHO CHOOSES TO STAY AT HOME WITH HIS OR HER YOUNG CHILD; TO PROVIDE FOR FAMILY PRESERVATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 13 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 14
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ENTERING ANOTHER STATE AS A MEANS OF AVOIDING A REQUIRED COURT APPEARANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 14 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 15
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SERVICE OF A SUMMONS ON A BAIL BOND SURETY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 15 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 16
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING LETTERS OF CREDIT OR CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT FILED WITH THE PROFESSIONAL BAIL BOND COMPANY AND PROFESSIONAL BAIL BONDSMAN LICENSING BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 16 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 17
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXCLUDE BAIL BOND AGENTS COMPENSATED ON A COMMISSION BASIS FROM THE DEFINITION OF "EMPLOYMENT" UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 17 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 18
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADOPT THE INTERSTATE COMPACT ON EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY FOR MILITARY CHILDREN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 18 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 19
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE INCENTIVE FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS TO SEEK NATIONAL BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL TEACHING STANDARDS CERTIFICATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 19 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 20
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT PROVIDING FOR REGISTRATION OF MINI-TRUCKS; PROVIDING FOR OPERATION OF MINI-TRUCKS ON ROADWAYS OF THIS STATE; EXCLUDING MINI-TRUCKS FROM THE DEFINITION OF "ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLE"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 20 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 21
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE THRESHOLD AGE OF CHILDREN PROTECTED UNDER THE OFFENSE OF SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE FOURTH DEGREE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 21 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 22
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS REFRIGERATED FOOD CHEMICAL SECURITY TAX CREDIT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 22 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 23
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A PRESCRIPTION DRUG MONITORING PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 23 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 24
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT A PERCENTAGE OF A TAXPAYER'S NET CAPITAL GAIN FROM THE STATE INCOME TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 24 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 25
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE CONSTRUCTION OF MOTOR VEHICLE RACING FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 25 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 26
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPLEMENT STATE LOTTERIES AS AUTHORIZED BY AMENDMENT 87 TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 26 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 27
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE ARKANSAS MOTOR VEHICLE COMMISSION TO ADMINISTER THE MOTOR VEHICLE EVENT DATA RECORDER LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 27 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 28
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT A DRIVER UNDER EIGHTEEN (18) YEARS OF AGE FROM OPERATING A MOTOR VEHICLE WHILE USING A CELLULAR TELEPHONE DEVICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 28 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 29
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE ALL PERSONS WHO OPERATE OR RIDE ON A MOTORCYCLE TO WEAR PROTECTIVE HEADGEAR OR TO CARRY ADEQUATE COVERAGE UNDER A HEALTH INSURANCE PLAN; TO AUTHORIZE THE OFFICE OF MOTOR VEHICLE TO ISSUE A DECAL TO MOTORCYCLE OPERATORS WHO PRESENT PROOF OF ADEQUATE COVERAGE UNDER A HEALTH INSURANCE PLAN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 29 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 30
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO LIMIT THE EMPLOYMENT CONTRACTS OF SUPERINTENDENTS, DEPUTY SUPERINTENDENTS, AND ASSISTANT SUPERINTENDENTS TO TWO YEARS, SUBJECT TO ANNUAL RENEWAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 30 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 31
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE A DRIVER OF A MOTOR VEHICLE TO USE A HANDS-FREE CELLULAR TELEPHONE DEVICE WHILE DRIVING ON A PUBLIC HIGHWAY; TO PRESCRIBE CERTAIN LIMITATIONS FOR THE USE OF A CELLULAR TELEPHONE DEVICE BY THE DRIVER OF A MOTOR VEHICLE ON A PUBLIC HIGHWAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 31 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 32
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE A CHECK FOR MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE PROCEEDS TO INCLUDE THE HOLDER OF A LIEN UPON THE MOTOR VEHICLE AS A PAYEE OF THE CHECK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 32 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 33
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS R. THOMPSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND SUPREME COURT RULE 5-2 AS AUTHORIZED BY SECTION 9 OF AMENDMENT 80 TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO PERMIT UNPUBLISHED OPINIONS OF THE COURT OF APPEALS TO BE CITED BY COURTS OR IN MATERIALS PRESENTED TO COURTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 33 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 34
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE A PROCEDURE FOR THE EVICTION OF TENANTS ENGAGED IN CERTAIN GAMBLING, ALCOHOL, AND PROSTITUTION OFFENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 34 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 35
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE A PROCEDURE FOR TERMINATING AN ORAL LEASE OF FARMLANDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 35 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 36
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAW REGARDING INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY ACCESS FOR THE BLIND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 36 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 37
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS BEEF COUNCIL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 37 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 38
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MINIMUM AGE FOR OPERATION OF A PERSONAL WATERCRAFT; TO APPLY THE ALCOHOL AND DRUG TESTING REQUIREMENTS USED FOR MOTOR VEHICLES TO OPERATION OF BOATS AND PERSONAL WATERCRAFT; TO REQUIRE PARENTAL CONSENT FOR RECEIPT OF A BOATER EDUCATION CERTIFICATE; TO AMEND THE EXAMINATION REQUIREMENTS FOR A BOATER EDUCATION CERTIFICATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 38 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 39
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE COSMETOLOGY TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 39 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 40
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF OPTOMETRY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 40 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 41
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE MEDICAL BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 41 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 42
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES, RESEARCH, PROMOTION AND CONSUMER ACTIVITIES FOR THE ARKANSAS CATFISH PROMOTION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 42 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 43
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF ACUPUNCTURE AND RELATED TECHNIQUES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 43 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 44
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS BOARD OF HEALTH EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 44 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 45
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 45 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1002
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARDY

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION FOR A JOINT SESSION OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE AT 10:30 A.M., TUESDAY, JANUARY 13, 2009, IN THE HOUSE CHAMBER, TO DECLARE ELECTION RESULTS AND TO HEAR AN ADDRESS BY THE HONORABLE MIKE BEEBE, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1002 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Miller, the rules were suspended in considering House Concurrent Resolution No. 1002 at this time.

On motion of Senator Miller, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1002 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1002
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARDY

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION FOR A JOINT SESSION OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE AT 10:30 A.M., TUESDAY, JANUARY 13, 2009, IN THE HOUSE CHAMBER, TO DECLARE ELECTION RESULTS AND TO HEAR AN ADDRESS BY THE HONORABLE MIKE BEEBE, GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1002 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1002 returned to the House as concurred in.

SENATE BILL NO. 46
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 46 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 47
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 47 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 48
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL FUNDING FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEE HEALTH INSURANCE IN LIEU OF PAYMENTS FOR PULASKI COUNTY DESEGREGATION SETTLEMENT AGREEMENT EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 48 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 49
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS J. KEY AND BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW TAXPAYERS TO DIVERT ALL OR PART OF THEIR STATE INCOME TAX REFUND TO AN ARKANSAS TAX-DEFERRED TUITION SAVINGS PROGRAM ACCOUNT BY DESIGNATING THE CONTRIBUTION ON THEIR INCOME TAX FORM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 49 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING SERVICE BY ELECTED COUNTY OFFICIALS AND JUSTICES OF THE PEACE; INCREASING THE LENGTH OF TERMS OF CIRCUIT CLERKS, COUNTY CLERKS, COUNTY JUDGES, COUNTY SHERIFFS, COUNTY ASSESSORS, COUNTY CORONERS, COUNTY TREASURERS, COUNTY SURVEYORS, COLLECTORS OF TAXES, AND JUSTICES OF THE PEACE FROM TWO (2) YEARS TO FOUR (4) YEARS; AMENDING AMENDMENT 55 OF THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING THE QUALIFICATIONS TO SERVE AS A JUSTICE OF THE PEACE AND THE COMMISSION RECEIVED BY A JUSTICE OF THE PEACE; PROVIDING THAT AN ELECTED COUNTY OFFICIAL OR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE SHALL RESIGN HIS OR HER OFFICE BEFORE FILING AS A CANDIDATE FOR A SEAT IN EITHER HOUSE OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY UNLESS THE ELECTED COUNTY OFFICIAL OR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE IS SERVING THE FINAL YEAR OF HIS OR HER TERM AND HAS NOT FILED FOR RE-ELECTION; PROVIDING THAT AN ELECTED COUNTY OFFICIAL IN OFFICE ON FEBRUARY 1, 2011, SHALL CONTINUE IN OFFICE UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 2014 UNLESS A VACANCY OCCURS, IN WHICH CASE THE OFFICE SHALL BE FILLED UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 2014; AND REPEALING OBSOLETE LANGUAGE.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 1 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 2
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO REPEAL ANNUAL SESSIONS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AND PROVIDE THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL MEET IN REGULAR SESSION ONE TIME EVERY TWO YEARS; TO REPEAL CONSTITUTIONAL PROVISIONS REGARDING FISCAL SESSIONS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY; TO PROVIDE THAT APPROPRIATION BILLS ARE VALID FOR TWO YEARS; AND TO MAKE CONFORMING AMENDMENTS TO REFLECT THE CHANGES PROPOSED IN THIS AMENDMENT.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 2 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION AMENDING THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO CREATE A CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHT TO HUNT, FISH, TRAP, AND HARVEST GAME.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

SENATE RESOLUTION TO ADOPT THE RULES OF THE SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Senate Resolution No. 1 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 50
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS
REPRESENTATIVES SAUNDERS, SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE APPROPRIATE STATE AGENCY TO ADMINISTER SUFFICIENT AVAILABLE PERSONAL CARE SERVICES TWENTY-FOUR (24) HOURS A DAY AND SEVEN (7) DAYS A WEEK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 50 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1002

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1002

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 10:00 a.m., Tuesday, January 13, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

SECOND-DAY'S PROCEEDINGS

SENATE CHAMBER

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

January 13, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 10:00 o'clock a.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Crumbly.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

SENATE BILL NO. 51
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS BOARD OF EXAMINERS IN COUNSELING FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 51 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 52
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE BURIAL ASSOCIATION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 52 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, Senate Resolution No. 1 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 1
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

SENATE RESOLUTION TO ADOPT THE RULES OF THE SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Senate Resolution No. 1 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 1 was called up for third reading and roll call.

SENATE BILL NO. 1
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATE EFFICIENCY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 1, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Whitaker the Senate recessed until 15 minutes after Joint Session.

The Senate reconvened after recess. The Secretary called the roll, and a quorum was present.

JOINT SESSION - 10:30 a.m.

Call to order by the Speaker of the House, The Honorable Robbie Wills.

Roll Call of the Senate by the Secretary of the Senate.

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G.JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT

Electronic Roll Call of the House by the Chief Clerk.

ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, BROWN, J. BURRIS, M. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, COWLING, CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, HUTCHISON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, MALOCH, S. MALONE, MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, ROEBUCK, J. ROGERS, T. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WOODS, WORD, MR. SPEAKER

Invocation by the House Chaplain, Cornell Maltbia, Pastor, True Holiness Saints Center, Conway, Arkansas.

House led in Pledge of Allegiance by Representative Bill Abernathy.

Speaker Wills recognizes Miss Arkansas, Ashlen Batson, for remarks.

Speaker of the House, The Honorable Robbie Wills, recognizes visiting dignitaries.

Speaker Robbie Wills recognizes Reading Clerk Buddy Johnson to announce the results of the General Election vote for President and Vice President of the United States, the United States Senate, the United States Congress, Proposed Constitutional Amendments and Ballot Issues.

President Pro Tempore of the Senate, The Honorable Bob Johnson appoints the named Senate Committee:

Senator Steve Faris, Chairperson

Senator Ed Wilkinson	Senator Shane Broadway
Senator Henry "Hank" Wilkins, IV	Senator Sue Madison
Senator Paul Bookout	Senator Tracy Steele
Senator Gilbert Baker	Senator Johnny Key
Senator Barbara Horn	Senator Joyce Elliott
Senator Robert Thompson	Senator David Johnson

and, Speaker Robbie Wills appoints the following named House Committee:

Representative Curren Everett, Chairperson

Representative Bill Abernathy	Representative R.D. "Rick" Saunders
Representative Steve Harrelson	Representative Robert S. Moore, Jr.
Representative Gregg Reep	Representative Barry Hyde
Representative Bill Sample	Representative Lance Reynolds
Representative John Lowery	Representative Lindsley Smith
Representative Dawn Creekmore	Representative George Overbey, Jr.
Representative Roy Ragland	Representative Jon Woods
Representative Tommy Lee Baker	Representative Bruce Maloch
Representative Eddie C. Hawkins	

as the Committee to notify Governor Mike Beebe that the Joint Session is ready to receive him and to escort the Governor to the Speaker's Rostrum.

Speaker Robbie Wills recognizes Sergeant at Arms.

President of the Senate, The Honorable Bill Halter presents The Honorable Mike Beebe, Governor of the State of Arkansas, for remarks.

Remarks by The Honorable Mike Beebe, Governor of the State of Arkansas.

State of the State Address

Governor Mike Beebe

January 13, 2009

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Mr. President, Mr. Speaker, Ladies and Gentlemen of the House and Senate, Constitutional Officers, Mr. Chief Justice, Members of the Court, Distinguished Guests, Friends, and Fellow Arkansans:

On behalf of our State, I begin by saying thank you. Thank you to all Arkansans who have served and continue to serve so honorably throughout the world, especially in Iraq and Afghanistan. We are proud of our men and women in uniform and humbled by their devotion to duty. On a very personal note, I want to thank all my fellow citizens for the extraordinary kindness and support they have shown to Ginger and me these past two years. We are forever grateful for their friendship. And all of us who sit in this Chamber know how important our people back home are to our continued success.
I stood here before you two years ago and laid out my administration's commitments, commitments we have honored: responsible stewardship of taxpayer dollars, restoring faith in state government, investing in education and economic development, improving health care and generally improving the quality of life of our people.

Despite our nation's struggle with an economic slide unmatched since the Great Depression, Arkansas continues to make advancements in education and attract new businesses. Still, the impact of the global recession has reached within our borders, and it's not yet over. The fallout from the national economic downturn will be our biggest challenge this year and in this legislative session, but our charge and our responsibility remain unchanged. We must remain firm in providing not only the services our people depend on from their State, but also in striving to make them even better, even in tough economic times. We must prepare Arkansas and her children today for whatever the world may bring tomorrow.

Together, we've begun that preparation. Presented with a one billion dollar surplus in the 2007 legislative session, we took the responsible step of dedicating roughly half of that money for school facilities. This investment helped end the prolonged legal battles of the Lake View case and put us on the right path toward excellence in education for all our children. Arkansas is today building new, state-of-the art schools and enhancing existing facilities, even in the face of this international economic crisis.

A common thread runs through our fiscal policies and sets Arkansas apart from other states, a thread spun from the wisdom of careful budgeting. By holding to our traditions of budget stabilization and conservative forecasting, we now find ourselves in an enviable position. Other state governments are convening this month. They must decide how deeply to cut state programs, what services to terminate, which teachers to lay off, which scholarships to cut, and which nursing homes to close. We don't face these precarious decisions in Arkansas, but we still face serious challenges.

There are only two areas in my balanced budget where I have proposed real increases in funding. Those are for public education and for the Division of Children and Family Services.

It is no surprise that public education remains my first, and my highest, priority for Arkansas. It remains our constitutional obligation and it is our moral imperative to provide the best education possible for our children. In my proposed budget, we have again reached beyond the legal definition of "adequacy" that you all determined and toward excellence by providing school districts with additional per-student funds. If approved annually by the Legislature, we will add 234 dollars of additional per-student funding over the next two years, and will give school districts additional one-time enhancement money of 35 dollars per student.

Providing excellence in grades K through 12 is only one piece of our education commitment. We have made quality pre-kindergarten education available to all at-risk children, and this will pay dividends for decades to come. We will stand fast on that commitment. Quality pre-k instruction has a positive ripple effect throughout our education system as a whole and the academic life of any single student. It creates a richer learning environment that better prepares our children to succeed throughout elementary and secondary grades, reducing the need for remediation, and allowing entire classes to learn at a faster pace.

As our schools improve and better prepare our students for college, so, too, must our higher-education system better prepare our workforce for the competition of a global job market. Arkansas holds its own nationally when it comes to enrolling college students. Where we fall to the bottom is in our inability to graduate those students, to get degrees in their hands, and put them on stronger footing to begin their careers.

Two primary factors keep us at the bottom of that list. Some students are not adequately prepared when they enter college; others run out of money before they can graduate. We're addressing preparation through increased overall funding, through pre-k, through Smart Core and stronger college prep programs, and now through pilot programs for after-school and summer learning. These will all be beneficial.

But, even our best-prepared students sometimes struggle to afford the pursuit of a college degree. We need to improve our scholarship programs so that scholarships reach more students, and so that the amount of assistance they receive is greater.

In 2007, we initiated a need-based financial-aid program in Arkansas, the GO Opportunities Grant, to make college more attainable for students who show potential for success in professional and technical careers, even though they may have been late bloomers academically. It's a good start, but this program must be broadened to include more non-traditional students, to help additional students in two-year programs, and to expand the total financial support available.

A growing number of students also qualify for state merit scholarships. However, many of these scholarships never reach students who qualify for them, and even when they do, there's often not enough money to sustain enrollment in the face of rising tuition costs. I want to rectify that troubling dilemma, as well.

The lottery, approved by our voters, can help. Our first step is to structure the lottery to be as efficient and as transparent as possible. We must then open up the doors of higher education to students who qualify for both need-based and merit-based aid, while increasing scholarship amounts. We have a unique opportunity to address both of those problems, that is the amount of the scholarship and the number of people who are entitled to the scholarships. Reducing the financial burden of our college students can help them focus on their studies, rather than on how they will pay for school next semester. Our work to ease that burden must be approached responsibly. When we promise scholarships, the money must remain available if the students remain qualified. What that really means is making sure that the funding is there for expanded scholarships before we make them that promise. Some of you were here in 2000, when we had to take back money or reduce scholarships because we didn't have the money to complete the promises. That's not going to happen with this General Assembly, and it's not going to happen with this administration.

Scholarships are only beneficial, however, when students can access them. We need simpler paperwork. I'll go further and say we need and less paperwork, with the State stepping up to provide a single application listing the college assistance available, rather than students and their families struggling to seek out their best match for financial aid. Just as all of you, just as the Lieutenant Governor, just as the Speaker, I want every Arkansan who has earned it and wants to go, to have the chance to get a college degree. That's what Arkansas is all about, that's what America is all about.

We will also adjust the higher-education funding formula to stress graduation rates, rather than the number of students that happen to be on campus. For too long, that formula has emphasized enrollment numbers over degrees. Shifting some of the funding formula's weight from the beginning of the school term to its successful conclusion of that term will provide a financial incentive for our colleges and universities to increase graduation rates.

Along with the expanded funding for public education, I also want to significantly increase resources for the Division of Children and Family Services. Every state struggles to serve children who, through no fault of their own, find themselves wards of the State. However, the strain upon DCFS and its subsequent inefficiency have recently emerged in stark relief. After working closely with DHS officials on a top-to-bottom review of this division, I am confident that they are taking dramatic steps that will improve the service for, and protection of, the vulnerable children in our care. Our next step is to increase skilled personnel, provide additional money to reduce caseloads, and stem the turnover of qualified, caring people who too often burn out in an overworked and understaffed system. We will also increase the visibility and accountability of the system by sharing more information with the public.

I was disappointed when voters passed an initiated act last November limiting the number of Arkansans who may qualify to become foster and adoptive parents. Before Act 1, we already had three times more foster children than we had qualified homes available. Now our ability to place these children is further impeded. It is imperative for those who supported shrinking the pool of potential foster parents to realize that the number of young and vulnerable Arkansans needing foster care will only continue to grow, and action must now follow their words. More than ever, we need Arkansas families to open their hearts and their homes to give these children the chance to grow up in safety and security, with devoted families who can raise them with care and compassion.

While my budget does call for increased funding for education and for DCFS, we're holding the line everywhere else and recommending that we set aside funds in case dire budget forecasts become reality. We've saved enough money to cover gaps in key areas, especially in Medicaid and in our prison system. I would authorize the use of these "rainy-day" funds with the consensus and oversight of this Legislature.

This is a departure from my philosophy of not using one-time surplus money for ongoing revenue needs. However, a recession is, by its nature, a temporary phenomenon. As the national economy recovers and Arkansas's economy continues to grow, we anticipate that these will be one-time expenditures.
Even if we spend some savings shoring up state services, funds remain available for general improvement. And this brings me to the second cornerstone of my administration: economic development. This may be the longest gap in any speech I've given between the first mention of education and the first discussion of economic development. The two are indeed intertwined and inseparable, and I stand by my assertion that one cannot fully succeed without the other.

I am proud to say that, through the tireless work of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission and the Legislature's willingness to provide the tools we need to be competitive, Arkansas continues to attract new jobs and industry from throughout the United States and, indeed, from around the world. Just last week, we announced the arrival of Caterpillar in North Little Rock with plans to create 600 jobs and invest $140 million. Last month, Cooper Tire decided that not only would they keep their 1500 employees in Texarkana, but would add as many as 250 more in the coming year. Last summer, Hewlett-Packard announced 1200 technology jobs in Conway. All this economic expansion and more in Little Rock, West Memphis, Rogers, Jonesboro, Booneville and throughout Arkansas, adds up to $2.7 billion of new investment and 19,000 new jobs for Arkansas.

Now let's give credit where credit is due. This success would not have been possible without the Governor's Quick Action Closing Fund, which you created as a tool in the last session. You made these tools available for the State of Arkansas to be competitive; you trusted me; I asked you to do that, and you did it. And I ask you to replenish it this time with $50 million over the next two years, so that we can continue to be competitive and continue this progress. Through our strategic plan for economic development, we will position Arkansas to be at full speed when the recession lifts - and it will lift - and we will continue working to defy the global economic downturn today.

As we put more Arkansans to work, the struggling economy means that more Arkansans now must get back to work. As we celebrate the arrival of new jobs, we also empathize with friends and neighbors who have lost their jobs to closures and outsourcing. This makes our ability to educate, train, and re-train our workforce that much more valuable. Our Workforce Cabinet agencies continue working together to provide efficient and effective programs that prepare Arkansans for employment.

I have spoken repeatedly about restoring our people's faith in their government and the individuals they elect to lead it. Last year showed us a presidential campaign with strong words and accusations on all sides. It showed us scandal and corruption in respected seats of power. It reinforced the cynicism of those who already doubted their leaders. Restoring confidence is a commitment we owe to our citizens and our democracy. To Arkansas's leaders assembled before me, I say we must seek every opportunity to cooperate when addressing our State's challenges. When we cannot agree, we must debate with respect and dignity. Above all, we must be reasonable and realistic in the promises we make. There was a line in a speech that John F. Kennedy was to deliver on the day he died. It said "Leadership and learning are indispensible to each other." Listen to your constituents; be willing to learn from one another, and from history. While being guided by our hearts, we must lead with our minds to navigate our State through good times and bad, together.

When I ran for governor, I made a promise to attack Arkansas's regressive grocery tax. Attempts to remove or reduce this tax had failed for decades, because the revenue it generated proved too precious to give up. But, together with the General Assembly, we passed the largest package of tax cuts in Arkansas history, including reducing that grocery tax by half. Today's economic climate will not allow us to completely eliminate the tax this year, but even under pessimistic forecasts, we can afford an additional one-penny decrease. This easing of the grocery tax will provide our citizens with additional relief for basic necessities. But even more important than the relief it provides, even more important than the revenue that is lost, even more important than the sheer numbers - it shows our continued dedication to eradicate this onerous tax and restore our people's faith in their government and their leaders, by doing what we said we were going to do. It's more important to keep your word than anything else, and that's what we need to do in this session. I know it's going to be tough for some of you, but I ask you to join me - we can do this, we can afford to do this, and I ask for your help.

This faith has been tested enough of late. Oil prices skyrocketed in 2008, and we shook our heads and sometimes our fists at the record prices we paid for gasoline and diesel over the summer. Six months later, we are shaking our heads again as those same prices plummet to levels we thought would never return. However, we know that gas prices won't stay low, because oil-producing countries won't let them. OPEC has already reduced supply in an effort to bring back higher prices and increase profits. In our nation, this activity would be prosecuted as an anti-trust violation. When a collection of foreign nations is involved, it amounts to international blackmail.

We can't change OPEC, but as Arkansans and Americans, we can change the game. By continuing to develop alternative energies, we lessen our dependence on fossil fuels and shrug off the grip of foreign powers. That money can go into the pockets of farmers, timber growers, and innovators in Arkansas and throughout America, creating jobs while we become better stewards of our environment, our resources, and our national security.

Alternative fuels are only part of the solution. We must conserve energy and operate more efficiently to preserve our natural resources and to lower costs. Arkansas recently formed a partnership with the Clinton Climate Initiative, a joint effort that gives us the guidance and purchasing power to construct and retrofit buildings for energy efficiency without additional cost to taxpayers. State government will lead by example, conserving both our natural resources and our tax dollars.

Arkansas sits amidst the Fayetteville Shale, a rich source of natural gas and a welcome boost to our economy. This year, we will see new revenue from the severance of this natural resource, money destined to improve our highways. The amount of revenue is tied to the price of natural gas, which has swung just as wildly as oil prices. Still, we will see tens of millions of dollars in new money for state and local roads. Additionally, this money will fund new resources for the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality to regulate and monitor these drilling operations and safeguard our Natural State.

We have the opportunity, in this session, to take our next big step forward as a State. We've started the climb from the bottom of national rankings in both education and economic development. You might have seen this week we were ranked 10th in that overall report card on education - who ever thought Arkansas would be 10th? Now it is time to do the same for the health of our citizens. Education lasts a lifetime and new jobs can take lives to new and prosperous heights. But by improving the health of our citizens, we can free them from ailments that threaten their well-being and help prevent chronic illnesses that are so devastating and so costly. Providing new and better health-care programs that offer more options is an investment that we cannot afford to ignore.

Our State is becoming a shining example for attacking the problem of uninsured children. Ten years ago, nearly one in four Arkansas children had no health insurance. Through the ARKids First program, we have provided care to tens of thousands of Arkansas children. New statistics show that a decade later, the percentage of uninsured Arkansas children has fallen into single digits. Still, nearly 70,000 children in our State remain without health insurance, and we can continue chipping away at that number by increasing the maximum eligible income to 250 percent of the federal poverty level.

Arkansans must have more home-health programs. More options for outpatient treatment will keep our loved ones in familiar surroundings and out of institutions, whenever possible. Our community health centers, which are best suited to provide basic health services directly to Arkansans, need more resources to help more people.

I am excited about a UAMS residency program taking shape in Northwest Arkansas. It will prepare new doctors and other health professionals by providing the experience they need to finish their medical education and care for patients throughout Arkansas. The State will keep its promise to match the enthusiastic private fundraising efforts already undertaken to initiate the satellite program. But ongoing funding must be provided to keep it operational.

We can expand our statewide coordinated school-health system to provide new resources and equipment for our school nurses and in-school mental-health services for our children. We can explore new outlets of care for autistic children. We can step up our fights against breast, cervical, prostate, and other cancers. Our health-education centers, the AHECs, can expand preventive-care programs that keep our people healthy and reduce state Medicaid costs. We can give thousands of Arkansas, who can't afford regular dental care, relief from persistent pain and infections that cause other health problems. We can fight hunger, a daily drain on the health and wellness of so many Arkansans. We can make annual flu vaccines available to every man, woman, and child who wants one, again reducing the toll of lives lost and taxpayer money spent.

And, we can save lives through the establishment of a statewide trauma system.

When traumatic accidents occur on our roads, on our farms, at our businesses, and in our homes, the first hour of response can determine the difference between life and death.

Trauma is the leading cause of death among Americans ages 1 through 34. With a fully functional trauma system in place, first responders can more easily ascertain where to deliver a critically injured patient to receive the best treatment.

We can pay for this entire health-care package, everything I've just outlined, with a 56 cent increase to Arkansas's cigarette tax and a reform of the smokeless tobacco tax.

By their nature, tobacco taxes are a dwindling revenue stream as higher prices, prevention, and cessation reduce the number of tobacco users. However, the savings that decreased smoking will bring to our health-care system will be a welcome offset to any revenue lost from decreased tobacco sales. Caring for tobacco users costs an estimated $620 million a year in Arkansas. By simultaneously reforming our tax on smokeless tobacco, we will prevent driving young people away from increased cigarette prices and directly to another harmful form of tobacco.

Improving our health-care system will increase productivity at our businesses and decrease the need for remediation in the classroom. It will make our citizens, and our bottom line, healthier.

These are the times that display our mettle as citizens and our capabilities as leaders. Arkansas's unique position in this economic climate means we can still push forward toward excellence in education. We can still attract new jobs and have an able workforce ready to succeed. We can continue to attack the most regressive tax on our people. We can better protect the health of our citizens. Arkansans, who are the victims of traumatic accidents or who have conditions that hamper their everyday lives, deserve a more accessible health-delivery system to help them lead better lives. We can foster research and development to bring alternative energies and fuels to power our economic engine and conserve our resources. We can graduate more college students while securing the jobs that will keep them home to prosper in Arkansas. We can reform protective services for children in the State's care. We can support and nourish the faith of those who have given us the task of responding to their needs through responsible leadership.

We can accomplish all of these goals, even while facing the toughest economic time in two generations. Finding success among prosperity is admirable, but if we can capture success and continue moving Arkansas forward during a national recession, it will be a landmark of true achievement. Join me, and we will show our people in Arkansas, that you can receive a better education, you can find a better job, and you can lead a healthier, better life. And most importantly, we can restore in their minds and in their hearts the understanding and the idea that the institutions which have held this country together for over 200 years - the republic form of government which elects people to look out for their interests and to exercise their will; the democratic process that says we never lose faith with the people that we represent, and that we do what we tell them we're going to do - can restore the faith in our leaders and in our government, and reduce that cynicism that is such a cancer and which must be combated. Together, the men and women of the Senate and the House of Representatives can chart the course that will impact so many future generations - so that you can put your head on your pillow, and you can say you did your duty, you made Arkansas a better place.
God bless you all.
Thank you.

Announcements.

House reconvenes in five (5) minutes.

Senate reconvenes in ten (10) minutes.

RECEIVED FROM THE HOUSE

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1001
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLS

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO ADOPT THE JOINT RULES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1001 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

RECEIVED FROM THE HOUSE

HOUSE BILL NO. 1001
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR NECESSARY EXPENSES, PAY EXPENSES OF MEMBERS, PAY SALARIES OF EMPLOYEES, PAY FOR SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT FOR THE ARKANSAS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1001 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 53
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER'S TERM OF OFFICE COINCIDE WITH THE GOVERNOR'S TERM OF OFFICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 53 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MILLER

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION PROVIDING THAT THE SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL RECESS ON THURSDAY, JANUARY 15, 2009, AND RECONVENE ON WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21, 2009.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 1 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 54
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE RIGHTS OF PARTIES TO JEWELRY THAT IS UNCLAIMED FOR MORE THAN ONE YEAR BY ITS OWNER OR CONSIGNOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 54 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 55
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE SALARY TRANSPARENCY FOR ADMINISTRATORS IN STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 55 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 56
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS MILLER, BROADWAY, ELLIOTT, G. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, P. MALONE & TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 56 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MILLER

SENATE RESOLUTION PROVIDING THAT THE SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL RECESS ON THURSDAY, JANUARY 15, 2009; THAT THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL RECESS ON FRIDAY, JANUARY 16, 2009; AND THAT BOTH HOUSES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL RECONVENE ON WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21, 2009.

Senate Resolution No. 2 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED
SENATE BILL NO. 1

HOUSE BILL TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1001

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1001

On motion of Senator Wilkinson, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 , Wednesday, January 14, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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THIRD DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

January 14, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Jimmy Jeffress.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Miller, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MILLER

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION PROVIDING THAT THE SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL RECESS ON THURSDAY, JANUARY 15, 2009; THAT THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL RECESS ON FRIDAY, JANUARY 16, 2009; AND THAT BOTH HOUSES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL RECONVENE ON WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 21, 2009.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1001 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1001
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLS

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO ADOPT THE JOINT RULES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1001 was read the third time and concurred in by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1001 was ordered immediately returned to the House.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Smith, House Bill No. 1001 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1001
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR NECESSARY EXPENSES, PAY EXPENSES OF MEMBERS, PAY SALARIES OF EMPLOYEES, PAY FOR SUPPLIES AND EQUIPMENT FOR THE ARKANSAS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1001 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1001, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1001 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

SENATE BILL NO. 57
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF EMBALMERS AND FUNERAL DIRECTORS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 57 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 58
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL ARKANSAS CODE 20-76-107 CONCERNING THE INDEPENDENT EVALUATOR FOR THE TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE FOR NEEDY FAMILIES PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 58 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 59
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS MADISON, B. PRITCHARD, HENDREN & WHITAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. SMITH, BARNETT, HOBBS, HOUSE, D. HUTCHINSON, KING, LINDSEY, RAGLAND, SLINKARD & SUMMERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A NEW CIRCUIT JUDGESHIP IN THE FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 59 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 60
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 10 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 60 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 61
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 1 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 61 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 62
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 14 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 62 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 63
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 20 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 63 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 64
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 11 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 64 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 65
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 8 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 65 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 66
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 7 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 66 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 67
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 3 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 67 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 68
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 6 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 68 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 69
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 23 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 69 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 70
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 12 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 70 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 71
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 19 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 71 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 72
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 24 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 72 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 73
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 26 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 73 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 74
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 21 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 74 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 75
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 16 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 75 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 76
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 25 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 76 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 77
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS MADISON, J. JEFFRESS, SALMON, WHITAKER, R. THOMPSON, D. JOHNSON, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, GLOVER, LAVERTY, LUKER, P. MALONE, T. SMITH, TEAGUE, H. WILKINS & D. WYATT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES ADCOCK, WEBB, SAUNDERS, WILLS, L. SMITH, DAVENPORT, ABERNATHY, ALLEN, T. BAKER, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, COLE, D. CREEKMORE, J. EDWARDS, GEORGE, HARRELSON, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, LINDSEY, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, PENNARTZ, PIERCE, POWERS, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, G. SMITH, STEWART, TYLER, WAGNER, B. WILKINS & WILLIAMS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING AGGRAVATED CRUELTY TO DOGS, CATS, AND HORSES AND RELATED OFFENSES; CONCERNING ANIMAL MANAGEMENT PRACTICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 77 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 78
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE SAFETY OF MOTORISTS ON HIGHWAYS AND ROADS IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS BY MAKING THE MANDATORY SEAT BELT LAW A PRIMARY LAW FOR ENFORCEMENT PURPOSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 78 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 79
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE RADIOLOGIST ASSISTANTS, RADIOLOGY PRACTITIONER ASSISTANTS, AND NUCLEAR MEDICINE ADVANCED ASSOCIATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 79 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 80
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS NONPROFIT CORPORATION ACT OF 1993; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 80 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 81
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS FIRE PROTECTION LICENSING BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 81 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 82
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STUDENT LOAN AUTHORITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 82 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 83
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS APPRAISER LICENSING AND CERTIFICATION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 83 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 84
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS TOWING AND RECOVERY BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 84 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Senate Bill No. 1 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING BARACK OBAMA ON HIS HISTORIC ELECTION AS THE FORTY-FOURTH PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

Senate Resolution No. 2 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 3
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

SENATE RESOLUTION COMMEMORATING THE LIFE AND LEGACY OF THE REV. DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

Senate Resolution No. 3 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 85
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW BLOOD DONATIONS BY SIXTEEN (16) YEAR OLDS WITH PARENTAL PERMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 85 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 86
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 534 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 86 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 14, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 1, BY SENATE EFFICIENCY COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copy with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 2:15 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 1

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 14th day of January, 2009 at 2:15 p.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) MARC HARRISON
Secretary

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1001

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1001

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED
SENATE BILL NO. 1

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 11:30 a.m., Thursday, January 15, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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FOURTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

January 15, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 11:45 o'clock a.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Bryles.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

January 15, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on January 15, 2009, I approved the following measure from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 001 - ACT 1

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 15, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL 39, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL 50, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 87
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS ETHICS COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 87 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Resolution No. 2 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 2
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING BARACK OBAMA ON HIS HISTORIC ELECTION AS THE FORTY-FOURTH PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

Senate Resolution No. 2 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Resolution No. 3 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 3
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

SENATE RESOLUTION COMMEMORATING THE LIFE AND LEGACY OF THE REV. DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.

Senate Resolution No. 3 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Steele, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Hearing remarks from Reverend Cecil Gibson concerning Reverend Martin Luther King, Jr.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 2 was returned from the House as concurred in and ordered enrolled.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 15, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2,
BY SENATOR MILLER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copy with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 2:10 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 15th day of January, 2009 at 2:10 p.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Mark Harrison
Secretary

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2

On motion of Senator WHITAKER, the Senate adjourned until Wednesday, January 21, 2009.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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TENTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

January 21, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

Senator Steele requested leave for Senator Crumbly.

Senator Key requested leave for Senator Laverty.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Wilkinson.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 21, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 77, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON,
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 21, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR , to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 58 , BY SENATOR STEELE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1024
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW TWO-YEAR COLLEGES TO COMPENSATE NONCLASSIFIED EMPLOYEES FOR UNUSED SICK LEAVE AT RETIREMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1024 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1061
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE ORDINARY EXPENSES OF THE EXECUTIVE, JUDICIAL AND LEGISLATIVE BRANCHES OF GOVERNMENT FOR THE AUDITOR OF STATE - GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS, ARKANSAS SENATE AND ARKANSAS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1061 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 39 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 39

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE COSMETOLOGY TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 39 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 39 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 50 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 50

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

BY: REPRESENTATIVES SAUNDERS AND SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE APPROPRIATE STATE AGENCY TO ADMINISTER SUFFICIENT AVAILABLE PERSONAL CARE SERVICES TWENTY-FOUR (24) HOURS A DAY AND SEVEN (7) DAYS A WEEK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 50 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 50 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 77 at this time.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 77 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

AMENDMENT NO. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 77

Amend Senate Bill No. 77 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives M. Burris, Carnine, Cheatham, Cook, Dunn, Gaskill, Kerr, Kidd, Lovell, Maloch, Reep, Sample, and Shelby as co-sponsors to the bill

AND

Page 10, lines 26 and 27, delete "Engaging in activities regulated by the Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission" and substitute "Engaging in the taking of game or fish through hunting, trapping, or fishing, or engaging in any other activity authorized by Amendment 35 of the Arkansas Constitution, by § 15-41-101 et seq., or by any Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission regulation promulgated under either Amendment 35 of the Arkansas Constitution or statute"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 77 was ordered engrossed.

SENATE BILL NO. 88
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS GLOVER, BROADWAY, ALTES, G. BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, HENDREN, J. JEFFRESS, G. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, J. KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, P. MALONE, MILLER, SALMON, STEELE, R. THOMPSON, H. WILKINS, WILKINSON & D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REDUCE THE STATE SALES AND USE TAX RATE ON FOOD AND FOOD INGREDIENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 88 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 89
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE MASSAGE THERAPY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 89 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 90
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO LEVY AN EXCISE TAX ON SPIRITUOUS LIQUOR AND WINE SOLD IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 90 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 91
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARDY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 91 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 92
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 92 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 93
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF NURSING FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 93 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 94
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 94 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 95
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE ARKANSAS FLOODPLAIN MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION FROM THE GROSS RECEIPTS AND USE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 95 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 96
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT NONPROFIT COMPANIES THAT PROVIDE GLOBAL OUTREACH AND TECHNICAL SUPPORT SERVICES FROM THE GROSS RECEIPTS AND USE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 96 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 97
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE JUDICIAL DISCIPLINE AND DISABILITY COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 97 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 98
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 98 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 99
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM - ARKANSAS HISTORY COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 99 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 100
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 100 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 101
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS GEOLOGICAL SURVEY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 101 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 102
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS FAIR HOUSING COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 102 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 103
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT APPROVAL OF CERTAIN COSMETOLOGICAL SCHOOLS IN PUBLIC EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 103 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 104
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS GLOVER AND CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS INTERSTATE HIGHWAY FINANCING ACT OF 2007 TO EXTEND THE TIME FOR ISSUING GRANT ANTICIPATION REVENUE BONDS FOR THE RESTORATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO THE INTERSTATE HIGHWAY SYSTEM WITHIN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 104 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 105
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE RETAIL SALES OPPORTUNITIES FOR ARKANSAS SMALL FARM WINERIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 105 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 106
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE MOTORCYCLE SAFETY BY REQUIRING TRAINING AND TESTING MATERIALS PREPARED BY THE MOTORCYCLE SAFETY FOUNDATION TO BE USED IN THE APPLICATION AND EXAMINATION FOR A MOTORCYCLE LICENSE; TO REQUIRE DRIVER'S EDUCATION PROGRAMS TO USE TRAINING MATERIALS PREPARED BY THE MOTORCYCLE SAFETY FOUNDATION; TO REQUIRE DRIVER TRAINING AND EXAMINATION TO INCLUDE SAFETY ISSUES RELATED TO SHARING THE ROAD WITH MOTORCYCLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 106 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 107
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT APPROVAL OF CERTAIN COSMETOLOGICAL SCHOOLS IN PUBLIC EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 107 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 108
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE A LIFETIME TEACHING LICENSE TO PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS WHO RETIRE AFTER TEACHING FOR TWENTY-FIVE (25) YEARS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 108 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 109
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF COLLECTION AGENCIES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 109 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 110
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 110 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 111
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AERONAUTICS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 111 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 112
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO DESIGNATE THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE A LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 112 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 113
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 20, CHAPTER 22, SUBCHAPTER 6 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE; CONCERNING FIRE EXTINGUISHERS, FIXED FIRE PROTECTION SYSTEMS, AND FIRE PROTECTION SPRINKLER SYSTEMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 113 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 114
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR SALARIES AND EXPENSES OF THE GOVERNOR'S LEGISLATIVE LIAISONS, LEGISLATIVE CLERK, LEGISLATIVE ASSISTANT CLERK, LEGISLATIVE SENIOR ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT, LEGISLATIVE RECEPTIONIST AND LEGISLATIVE ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT DURING THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH SESSION OF THE ARKANSAS GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 114 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1098
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW STUDENTS WHO HAVE COMPLETED PRE-K TO ENROLL IN KINDERGARTEN IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1098 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1044
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENNARTZ

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXPAND THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE ARKANSAS EARLY CHILDHOOD COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1044 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1022
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PENNARTZ, SHELBY, ADCOCK, J. ROEBUCK, HALL, HAWKINS, GASKILL, COOPER, RAGLAND & WELLS
BY: SENATORS STEELE, TRUSTY, LAVERTY, BAKER & HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE ADDITONAL FUNDING FOR THE NURSING STUDENT LOAN PROGRAM; TO PROMOTE TEACHING IN NURSING EDUCATION PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1022 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1014
As Engrossed: H1/16/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE, ALLEN, M. BURRIS, B. WILKINS, BREEDLOVE, GASKILL, D. HUTCHINSON, MOORE, POWERS, REEP, J. ROEBUCK, SAUNDERS, STEWART, *ADCOCK, COLE, DUNN, GARNER, R. GREEN, KERR, LOVELL, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PENNARTZ, PYLE & L. SMITH*
BY: SENATORS HORN, BROADWAY, FARIS, P. MALONE, T. SMITH & *TEAGUE*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE TASK FORCE ON THE EFFECT OF ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1014 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 21, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 77, BY SENATOR MADISON ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 115
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE LOCAL APPROVAL BEFORE ISSUING A PERMIT TO DISPOSE OF DRILLING WASTES; TO REQUIRE NOTICE OF AN APPLICATION FOR A DISPOSAL PERMIT; TO ALLOW LOCAL GOVERNING AUTHORITIES TO APPEAL A DISPOSAL PERMIT; TO ADOPT RULES FOR THE DISPOSAL OF DRILLING WASTES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 115 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 116
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CORRECT THE LANGUAGE IN ARKANSAS CODE § 24-11-804(a)(1); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 116 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 117
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR FORMER MILITARY PERSONNEL TO OBTAIN SERVICE CREDIT IN LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE PENSION AND RELIEF FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 117 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 118
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR FORMER MILITARY PERSONNEL TO OBTAIN SERVICE CREDIT IN THE ARKANSAS LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 118 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 119
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE ARKANSAS LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO RECOVER OVERPAYMENTS THROUGH COURT ACTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 119 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 120
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE LAW REGARDING PHARMACISTS AND PHARMACIES; TO CLARIFY THE REGULATORY AUTHORITY OF THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 120 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 121

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PERMIT FEES FOR THE MANUFACTURE, SALE, AND DISTRIBUTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; TO AMEND THE PENALTY PROVISIONS RELATED TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 121 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE

AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 39

SENATE BILL NO. 50

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1014

HOUSE BILL NO. 1022

HOUSE BILL NO. 1024

HOUSE BILL NO. 1044

HOUSE BILL NO. 1061

HOUSE BILL NO. 1098

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Thursday, January 22, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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ELEVENTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

January 22, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 11:00 o'clock a.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WYATT.

Senator Whitaker requested leave for Senator Wilkinson.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator David Johnson.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 88 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 88

Amend Senate Bill No. 88 as originally introduced:
Add Senator Horn as cosponsor of the bill.

(SIGNED) Senator Glover

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 88 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 34 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 34

Amend Senate Bill No. 34 as originally introduced:
Page 1, line 34, delete "gambling as defined by" and substitute "illegal gambling under"

(SIGNED) Senator Thompson

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 34 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 22, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 34, BY SENATOR THOMPSON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 34 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 22, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 88, BY SENATOR B. GLOVER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator B. Glover, Senate Bill No. 88 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 22, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL 69, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR HORN
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 122
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BAIRD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE LAW CONCERNING THE SERVICE AREA AND DUES OF VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 122 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 123
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING AND OTHER EXPENSES OF THE NOAA WEATHER WARNING SYSTEM AND FOR OPERATING AND OTHER EXPENSES OF THE PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 123 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 124
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE LOADS OF SAND, GRAVEL, OR ROCK TO BE HAULED IN AN ENCLOSED VEHICLE OR SECURED WITH A COVER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 124 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 125
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE PROCEDURE FOR UPDATING THE VEHICLE INSURANCE DATABASE; TO ESTABLISH A PROCEDURE FOR THE REVOCATION AND REINSTATEMENT OF REGISTRATION OF A MOTOR VEHICLE DUE TO LACK OF LIABILITY INSURANCE FOR THREE (3) CONSECUTIVE MONTHS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 125 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 126
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A CREDIT FOR SALES OR USE TAXES PAID TO ANOTHER STATE FOR THE PURCHASE OF A MOTOR VEHICLE, A TRAILER, OR A SEMITRAILER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 126 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 77 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 77

As Engrossed: S1/21/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS MADISON, J. JEFFRESS, SALMON, WHITAKER, R. THOMPSON, D. JOHNSON, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, GLOVER, LAVERTY, LUKER, P. MALONE, T. SMITH, TEAGUE, H. WILKINS & D. WYATT

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ADCOCK, WEBB, SAUNDERS, WILLS, L. SMITH, DAVENPORT, ABERNATHY, ALLEN, T. BAKER, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, D. CREEKMORE, J. EDWARDS, GEORGE, HARRELSON, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, LINDSEY, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, PENNARTZ, PIERCE, POWERS, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, G. SMITH, STEWART, TYLER, WAGNER, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, *M. BURRIS, CARNINE, CHEATHAM, COOK, DUNN, GASKILL, KERR, KIDD, LOVELL, MALOCH, REEP, SAMPLE & SHELBY*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING AGGRAVATED CRUELTY TO DOGS, CATS, AND HORSES AND RELATED OFFENSES; CONCERNING ANIMAL MANAGEMENT PRACTICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 77 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 77 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 93 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 93

Amend Senate Bill No. 93 as originally introduced:

Immediately following SECTION 4, add an additional section to read as follows:

"SECTION 5. APPROPRIATION - BACKGROUND CHECK FEE. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas State Board of Nursing, to be payable from the cash fund deposited in the State Treasury as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for operating expenses for criminal background checks of the Arkansas State Board of Nursing for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010
(01) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	$85,800
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0
(C) PROF. FEES	0
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	0
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	$85,800"

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) Senator Baker

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 93 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1061 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL No.1061

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE ORDINARY EXPENSES OF THE EXECUTIVE, JUDICIAL AND LEGISLATIVE BRANCHES OF GOVERNMENT FOR THE AUDITOR OF STATE -

GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS, ARKANSAS SENATE AND ARKANSAS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No.1061 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE:

Altes, G. Baker, Bookout, Broadway, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, D. Wyatt.

Total 29

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Whitaker.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT: Bryles, Miller, Steele .

Total 3

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1061, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE:

Altes, G. Baker, Bookout, Broadway, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, D. Wyatt.

Total 29

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Whitaker.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT: Bryles, Miller, Steele.

Total 3

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1061 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

January 22, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 93, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS

CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 93 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE GOVERNMENT OF TURKEY TO GRANT THE ECUMENICAL PATRIARCH APPROPRIATE INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION, ECCLESIASTICAL SUCCESSION, AND THE RIGHT TO TRAIN CLERGY OF ALL NATIONALITIES AND TO RESPECT THE PROPERTY RIGHTS AND HUMAN RIGHTS OF THE ECUMENICAL PATRIARCHATE.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 127
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A DEFERRED OPTION PLAN FOR MEMBERS OF THE STATE POLICE RETIREMENT SYSTEM'S TIER TWO BENEFIT PLAN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 127 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 128
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW MEMBERS OF STATE-SUPPORTED RETIREMENT SYSTEMS WHO ARE RECEIVING FEDERAL MILITARY SERVICE RETIREMENT TO PURCHASE CREDITED SERVICE FOR SERVICE RENDERED BY THE MEMBERS IN THE ARMED FORCES; TO ALLOW MEMBERS OF THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO PURCHASE UP TO FIVE (5) YEARS OF COMPENSATED SERVICE IN THE ARKANSAS NATIONAL GUARD OR ARMED FORCES RESERVE; TO ALLOW MEMBERS OF THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO PURCHASE ONE (1) YEAR OF SERVICE CREDIT FOR ONE (1) YEAR OF COMPENSATED SERVICE IN THE ARKANSAS NATIONAL GUARD OR THE ARMED FORCES RESERVE; TO PROVIDE EMPLOYMENT PROTECTION TO ACTIVE-DUTY MILITARY PERSONNEL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 128 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 129
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE AD HOC BENEFITS TO RETIRANTS AND BENEFICIARIES OF RETIRANTS UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 129 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 130
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE EFFICIENCY IN THE OPERATIONS AND FUNCTIONS OF THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO BENEFIT MEMBERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 130 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 131
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REVISE THE APPROPRIATE RULES ON THE MULTIPLIER UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

Senate Bill No. 131 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 132
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE CORRECTIONS AND ADJUSTMENTS TO THE TEACHER DEFERRED RETIREMENT OPTION PLAN ESTABLISHED BY THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 132 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 133
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PATTERSON AND WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY ACT OF 1975; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 133 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1019
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING REQUIRED STATEMENTS IN BROADCAST POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1019 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1021
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WOODS AND GEORGE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1021 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1031
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES ALLEN, WILLIAMS, PENNARTZ, GEORGE, ABERNATHY, T. BAKER, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, CHEATHAM, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, DUNN, EVERETT, GASKILL, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, HALL, HARDY, HAWKINS, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, KIDD, W. LEWELLEN, LOVELL, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PIERCE, POWERS, RAINEY, REYNOLDS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, STEWART, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS & WORD
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE HEALTH BENEFIT PLANS TO PROVIDE PROSTATE CANCER SCREENING FOR MEN FORTY (40) YEARS OF AGE AND OVER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1031 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1036
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES INGRAM AND DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES FOR ON-PREMISES CONSUMPTION AT RESTAURANTS LOCATED IN THE SAME CITY AS A LARGE ATTENDANCE FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1036 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1086
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO COMMEMORATE THOMAS PAINE DAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1086 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1117
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE 2008 HOUSING ACT VOLUME CAP; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1117 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 134
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REVISE THE APPROPRIATE RULES ON THE MULTIPLIER UNDER THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 134 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 135
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE CORRECTIONS AND ADJUSTMENTS TO THE DEFERRED RETIREMENT OPTION PLAN OF THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 135 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 136
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE EFFICIENCY IN THE OPERATIONS AND FUNCTIONS OF THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO BENEFIT MEMBERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 136 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 137
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE AD HOC BENEFITS TO RETIRANTS AND BENEFICIARIES OF RETIRANTS UNDER THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 137 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 138
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO COMBINE THE STATE POLICE RETIREMENT SYSTEM WITH THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 138 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 139
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE FIDUCIARY DUTIES OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE STATE-SUPPORTED RETIREMENT SYSTEMS; TO REQUIRE REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE STATE-SUPPORTED RETIREMENT SYSTEMS TO APPEAR BEFORE THE LEGISLATIVE REVIEW COMMITTEE IN CERTAIN SITUATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 139 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 140
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF TIME A MEMBER OF THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM MUST TERMINATE EMPLOYMENT IN ORDER TO QUALIFY FOR RETIREMENT BENEFITS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 140 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 141
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE THE RESUMPTION OF CREDITED SERVICE AS A PUBLIC SAFETY MEMBER IN THE ARKANSAS

PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM RETROACTIVE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 141 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED
SENATE BILL NO. 77

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1061

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1019
HOUSE BILL NO. 1021
HOUSE BILL NO. 1031
HOUSE BILL NO. 1036
HOUSE BILL NO. 1086
HOUSE BILL NO. 1117

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Monday, January 26, 2009.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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FIFTEENTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

January 26, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Teague.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

January 23, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on January 23, 2009, I approved the following measure from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 002

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

January 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 27, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 104, BY SENATOR GLOVER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN P. CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 69 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 69
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 23 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 69 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 69 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Smith, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 53 at this time.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 53 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
1ST EXTRAORDINARY SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 53

Amend Senate Bill No. 53 as originally introduced:

Delete the Title of the bill in its entirety and substitute the following:

"AN ACT TO MAKE THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER SERVE AT THE PLEASURE OF THE GOVERNOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the Subtitle of the bill in its entirety and substitute the following:

"TO MAKE THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER SERVE AT THE PLEASURE OF THE GOVERNOR."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 23 through 27 and substitute the following:

"(b) ~~The term of office of the commissioner shall be for a period of four (4) years, commencing on January 15 next following expiration of the previous four-year term. A person who has been commissioner is eligible for reappointment for additional terms.~~ The commissioner shall serve at the pleasure of the Governor."

(SIGNED) SENATOR T. SMITH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 53 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 58 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 58
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL ARKANSAS CODE 20-76-107 CONCERNING THE INDEPENDENT EVALUATOR FOR THE TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE FOR NEEDY FAMILIES PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 58 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 58 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 4
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

SENATE RESOLUTION URGING ARKANSAS'S UNITED STATES SENATORS TO OPPOSE THE CONFIRMATION OF TIMOTHY GEITHNER AS UNITED STATES SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY.

Senate Resolution No. 4 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 142
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE AN ALTERNATE METHOD FOR NATIONAL FINGERPRINT-BASED BACKGROUND CHECKS FOR NON-CRIMINAL JUSTICE PURPOSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 142 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 143
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE LICENSURE OF EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES PERSONNEL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 143 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 144
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 144 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 145
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION OF FUNDS TO ALLEVIATE CONDITIONS ARISING IN PUBLIC EMERGENCIES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 145 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 146
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE PENSION PLANS UNDER THE LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE PENSION AND RELIEF FUNDS TO MERGE WITH THE LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM WHEN CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS ARE MET; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 146 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 147
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS PSYCHOLOGY BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 147 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 148
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 148 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 149
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS BUILDING AUTHORITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 149 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 150
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE PAROLE BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 150 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 151
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF STATE SERVICES FOR THE BLIND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 151 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 152
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF MEDICAL SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 152 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 153
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL ENFORCEMENT DIVISION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 153 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 154
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF ARKANSAS'S CHILDREN; TO PROHIBIT SALES AND DISTRIBUTION OF NOVELTY LIGHTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 154 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 155
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS GLOVER AND FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO CORRECT CALCULATION ERRORS THAT CAUSE MANIFEST INJUSTICE TO ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM MEMBERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 155 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 156
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 5-60-116 CONCERNING INHALATION OF INTOXICATING COMPOUNDS; TO PROHIBIT ALCOHOL VAPORIZING DEVICES IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 156 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 157
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD
BY: REPRESENTATIVE STEWART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW AN INCOME TAX EXEMPTION FOR MILITARY RETIREMENT BENEFITS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 157 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 158
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT EMPLOYEES OF A RURAL WATER ASSOCIATION MAY PARTICIPATE IN THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 158 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 159
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE STATE POLICE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 159 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 160
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 160 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 161
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 24, CHAPTER 4 CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 161 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 162
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING MEMBERS BENEFITS UNDER THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 162 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 163
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE CALCULATION OF DEFERRED ANNUITIES; TO ALLOW ADDITIONAL TIME FOR MEMBERS OF THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO SELECT CONTRIBUTORY SERVICE; TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF REDUCED ANNUITY UNDER OPTION B75; TO AMEND THE RETIREMENT MEMBERSHIP OF DISTRICT COURT CLERKS IN THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 163 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 164
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE CALCULATIONS FOR BENEFITS AND FOR STRAIGHT LIFE ANNUITY UNDER THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 164 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 165
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADJUST THE AMOUNT OF TIME FROM THIRTY (30) DAYS TO ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY (180) DAYS THAT A RETIRED MEMBER OF THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM SHALL REMAIN RETIRED BEFORE RECEIVING BENEFITS; TO CLARIFY VARIOUS SECTIONS OF ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 24, CHAPTER 7 PERTAINING TO THE TERMINATION OF COVERED EMPLOYMENT REQUIREMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 165 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 166
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 24 PERTAINING TO RETIREMENT AND PENSIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 166 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 167
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND A PORTION OF ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 24 CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 167 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 168
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 24, CHAPTER 7 CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 168 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 169
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PORTIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE PERTAINING TO THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 169 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 170
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A WAIVER OF PENALTY FOR DELINQUENT EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS TO PREVENT A MANIFEST INJUSTICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 170 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 171
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PORTIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE PERTAINING TO THE ARKANSAS JUDICIAL RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 171 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 172
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 24, CHAPTER 8 CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS JUDICIAL RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 172 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 173
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PORTIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE PERTAINING TO THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 173 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 174
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 24, CHAPTER 5 CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 174 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 175
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 24, CHAPTER 6 CONCERNING THE STATE POLICE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 175 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 176
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 24, CHAPTER 10 CONCERNING THE LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 176 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 177
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING MEMBERS BENEFITS UNDER THE LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 177 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 178
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING MEMBERS BENEFITS UNDER THE LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE PENSION AND RELIEF FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 178 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 179
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MULTIPLIER USED BY THE LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO FUND THE INCREASED MULTIPLIER BY AN INCREASE IN THE MEMBER'S CONTRIBUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 179 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 180
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE EARLY RETIREMENT PROVISIONS UNDER THE LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 180 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 181
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PREMIUM TAX PROVISIONS UNDER THE LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 181 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 182
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE ADJUSTMENTS TO THE LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE PENSION AND RELIEF FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 182 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 183
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE UNIFORM EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS FOR THE LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 183 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 184
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE ADJUSTMENTS TO THE LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 184 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 185
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 185 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 186
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PREMIUM TAX ALLOCATIONS SO THAT A LOCAL PLAN THAT CONSOLIDATES WITH THE ARKANSAS LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM CONTINUES TO RECEIVE THE SAME PREMIUM TAX DOLLAR AMOUNT AND OTHER INCOME; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 186 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 187
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS FIRE AND POLICE PENSION GUARANTEE FUND TO INCLUDE PLANS ADMINISTERED BY THE LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM WITH A COST OF LIVING ADJUSTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 187 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 188
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY WHEN A FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE STATEMENT IS NEEDED UNDER THE LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE PENSION AND RELIEF FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 188 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 189
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MAXIMUM BENEFIT PAYABLE TO CERTAIN JUDGES AND JUSTICES PARTICIPATING IN THE ARKANSAS JUDICIAL RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 189 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 190
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENCOURAGE JUDICIAL SERVICE AND RETENTION OF JUDGES THROUGH RETIREMENT INCENTIVES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 190 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 191
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 24, CHAPTER 7 CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 191 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 192
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF ABSENTEE VOTING LAWS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 192 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 193
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 193 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 194
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 194 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 195
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC DEFENDER COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 195 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 196
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OFFICE OF LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 196 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 197
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTOR COORDINATOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 197 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 198
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SUPREME COURT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 198 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 199
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 199 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 200
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OFFICE OF GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 200 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 201
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDARDS AND TRAINING FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 201 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 202
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SOCIAL WORK LICENSING BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 202 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 203
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, THE BUREAU OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH, AND THE INTERIM COMMITTEES OF THE ARKANSAS GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 203 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 204
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 204 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 205
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 205 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 206
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MILLER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES EVERETT AND COOPER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING APPOINTMENTS TO THE LOCAL BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF TECHNICAL COLLEGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 206 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 207
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SENTENCING COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 207 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 208
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-17-405 TO ALLOW AN ELIGIBLE TELECOMMUNICATIONS CARRIER TO USE ADDITIONAL METHODS TO PROVIDE UNIVERSAL SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 208 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 209
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 24-7-733 TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 415 OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE CONCERNING BENEFITS PAID TO A MEMBER OF THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM UNDER A LIFE ANNUITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 209 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 210
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE RESCISSION OF TERMINATION PROVISIONS IN THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO BENEFIT MEMBERS WHO CHOOSE TO RETURN TO WORK; TO REDUCE THE AMOUNT OF TIME REQUIRED UPON A RETURN TO WORK FOR BENEFITS TO REACCRUE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 210 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 211
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE BENEFITS, CREDITED SERVICE, ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS, AND CONTRIBUTION RATES OF THE LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 211 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 212
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM CONCERNING BENEFITS, CREDITED SERVICE, ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS, AND CONTRIBUTION RATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 212 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 213
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM CONCERNING BENEFITS, CREDITED SERVICE, ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS, AND CONTRIBUTION RATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 213 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 214
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROVISIONS OF THE LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM CONCERNING BENEFITS, CREDITED SERVICE, ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS, AND CONTRIBUTION RATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 214 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 215
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE BENEFITS, CREDITED SERVICE, ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS, AND CONTRIBUTION RATES OF THE TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 215 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 216

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ALTES

BY: REPRESENTATIVE GLIDEWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE RECIPIENTS OF CERTAIN PUBLIC ASSISTANCE TO UNDERGO RANDOM DRUG TESTING AS A CONDITION OF CONTINUED ELIGIBILITY; TO REQUIRE A RECIPIENT WHO FAILS A RANDOM DRUG TEST TO SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETE A TREATMENT PROGRAM; TO DISCONTINUE PUBLIC ASSISTANCE IF A RECIPIENT FAILS TO SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETE A TREATMENT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 216 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 217

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE PRESENCE OF CERTAIN CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES IN A PERSON'S BODY IS A VIOLATION OF THE OMNIBUS DWI ACT OR THE UNDERAGE DUI LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 217 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 218
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE CASH SURRENDER VALUE OF A LIFE INSURANCE POLICY FROM THE CLAIMS OF CREDITORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 218 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 219
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PLACE RESTRICTIONS ON THE AUTHORIZATION OF BENEFIT INCREASES AND ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES FOR THE LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT PLANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 219 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 220
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE CALCULATION FOR THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE PREMIUM TAX TO LOCAL JURISDICTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 220 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 221
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE INSURANCE PREMIUM TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 221 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 222
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS CODE REGARDING FUNDING LOCAL RETIREMENT LIABILITIES FOR LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE PERSONNEL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 222 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 223
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE A SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR MATERIALS USED BY FARMERS TO BALE HAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 223 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 224
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LUMP-SUM DEATH BENEFIT UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO GRANDFATHER RETIREES FROM CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF ACT 296 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 224 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 225
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOBBS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE JOB CLASSIFICATIONS OF EMPLOYEES OF STATE AGENCIES OR DEPARTMENTS WHO PROVIDE FAMILY SERVICES, SOCIAL SERVICES, OR ADULT PROTECTIVE SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 225 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 226
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVES T. ROGERS AND NIX

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A COMMON SPRING BREAK FOR ALL ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 226 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 227
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO RECOUP BENEFITS, INCLUDING INTEREST, PAID TO A MEMBER WHO DOES NOT MEET THE ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS UNDER THE TEACHER DEFERRED RETIREMENT OPTION PLAN; TO ALLOW FOR THE COLLECTION OF INTEREST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 227 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 228
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE PROVISIONS OF ARKANSAS CODE §24-7-710 AND MAKE CONSISTENT THE SURVIVOR BENEFITS UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 228 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 229
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT LUMP-SUM BENEFITS PAID TO A MEMBER UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM ARE INTENDED TO BE TREATED FOR TAX PURPOSES AS PROCEEDS FROM A LIFE INSURANCE POLICY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 229 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 230
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING REIMBURSEMENT FOR CERTAIN MEMBERS OF THE TASK FORCE ON SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 230 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 231
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITIONS OF SALARY AND INTEREST TO EXCLUDE NONRECURRING PAYMENTS FROM THE CALCULATION OF FINAL AVERAGE SALARY IN THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 231 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 232
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE CAPITOL ZONING DISTRICT COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 232 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 233
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROMOTE FAIRNESS BY CLARIFYING THE BENEFITS FOR PILOT COURT DISTRICT JUDGES ELECTED PRIOR TO JULY 1, 1999; TO ALLOW SERVICE TO BE CREDITED AT TWO TIME THE REGUALR RATE IN THE COMPUTATION OF BENEFITS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 233 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1003
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING SUSAN WAGGENER ON HER SELECTION AS ARKANSAS'S 2009 TEACHER OF THE YEAR.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1003 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1001
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY AND LEA
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF JUDGE RICHARD MOBLEY AND IN RECOGNITION OF HIS MANY CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND HIS LOCAL COMMUNITY.

House Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 1001 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1018
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT THE AUCTIONEER'S LICENSING ACT, § 17-17-101 ET SEQ., DOES NOT APPLY TO AUCTIONS CONDUCTED BY MEANS OF THE INTERNET; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1018 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1023
As Engrossed: H1/15/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PENNARTZ, GLIDEWELL, *S. MALONE, BARNETT, BREEDLOVE & SLINKARD*
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT *CONCERNING OFFICERS* IN A CITY ADMINISTRATOR FORM OF GOVERNMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1023 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1035
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE NICKELS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT A HOMESTEAD USED AS A PRINICIPAL PLACE OF RESIDENCE BY A PERSON WHO IS DISABLED OR AT LEAST SIXTY-FIVE YEARS OF AGE SHALL BE ASSESSED FOR PROPERTY TAX ON THE LOWER OF THE ASSESSED VALUE AT THE TIME THE TAXPAYER QUALIFIED FOR THE PROPERTY TAX RELIEF OR A LATER ASSESSED VALUE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1035 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1038
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING AN ARREST FOR VIOLATION OF AN ORDER OF PROTECTION AND THE PENALTY FOR THE OFFENSE OF VIOLATION OF AN ORDER OF PROTECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1038 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1057
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOBBS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE NOTIFICATION OF CHANGES TO A JUVENILE SAFETY PLAN UNDER ARKANSAS CODE § 9-27-352 TO SCHOOL PRINCIPALS AND ASSISTANT SCHOOL PRINCIPALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1057 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 53, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 53 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 234
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING HEALTH CARE BENEFITS FOR MUNICIPAL OFFICIALS AND EMPLOYEES WHO ARE ELIGIBLE FOR UNREDUCED RETIREMENT WITH ANY STATE OR LOCAL PENSION AND RELIEF FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 234 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 235
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW CONCURRENT SERVICE UNDER THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 235 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 236
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM DEFERRED RETIREMENT OPTION PLAN CONCERNING THE AMOUNT OF CONTRIBUTION BY A MEMBER OF THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 236 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 237
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT POLICE OFFICERS AND FIREFIGHTERS WITH CERTAIN DISEASES WILL BE PRESUMED TO HAVE BEEN INJURED IN THE LINE OF DUTY FOR DISABILITY RETIREMENT BENEFITS UNDER THE LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM AND UNDER FIRE PENSION FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 237 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 238
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE STUDENTS CATEGORIZED WITH BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES IN OTHER STATES ARE PROMPTLY AND ADEQUATELY PLACED IN THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 238 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1009
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE REQUIREMENT THAT THREE (3) COPIES OF CERTAIN MUNICIPAL ORDINANCES SHALL BE FILED WITH THE CITY CLERK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1009 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1028
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE POWER OF A MUNICIPALITY TO REGULATE UNSANITARY CONDITIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1028 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

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Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1039
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND DOMESTIC BATTERING IN THE FIRST AND SECOND DEGREE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1039 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1040

As Engrossed: H1/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE, *T. BAKER, LEA, M. MARTIN, NIX, PYLE, L. SMITH & B. WILKINS*

BY: SENATORS *D. JOHNSON* AND BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE OFFENSE OF SMOTHERING OR STRANGULATION; PROVIDING FOR PENALTIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1040 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1048

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXTEND TO A MUNICIPAL SEWER ENTITY THE ABILITY TO REQUEST TERMINATION OF WATER SERVICE BY A WATER AUTHORITY FOR DELINQUENT SOLID WASTE SERVICE PAYMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1048 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1114

As Engrossed: H1/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. MARTIN, *ADCOCK, BREEDLOVE, CLEMMER, COOK, D. CREEKMORE, GASKILL, LINDSEY, RAGLAND, L. SMITH, WELLS & WOODS*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE INCIDENTAL SALE OF WHOLE MILK THAT IS NOT PASTEURIZED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1114 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1129

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO HONOR AND PAY TRIBUTE TO A SOLDIER WHO IS KILLED IN ACTION BY LOWERING ALL STATE FLAGS TO HALF-MAST ON PUBLIC BUILDINGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1129 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 239
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE PHYSICIANS TO DELEGATE THE PERFORMANCE OF SOME SIMPLE PROCEDURES TO EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 239 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 240
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCLUDE THE NATIONAL BOARD CERTIFICATION BONUSES AS SALARY FOR THE PURPOSES OF RETIREMENT BENEFITS UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 240 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 241
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 24-2-502 TO AUTHORIZE THE PURCHASE OF CREDITED SERVICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 241 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 242
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS CODE PERTAINING TO ACQUIRING ADDITIONAL YEARS OF SERVICE FOR PARTICIPATION IN VARIOUS RETIREMENT SYSTEMS ADMINISTERED BY THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 242 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

SENATE BILL NO. 243
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 24 PERTAINING TO RETIREMENT AND PENSIONS.

Senate Bill No. 243 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

January 26, 2009

The Honorable Bob Johnson
Senate President Pro Tempore
State Chambers, State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Senator Johnson:

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Constitution of Arkansas, I am submitting the following appointments to be confirmed.

I respectfully submit these appointments to your honorable body and request that they be
Confirmed.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
GOVERNOR

SENATOR DENNY ALTES
SENATOR CONFIRMATION 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Jim Petrus Sebastian County	April 9, 2012	Health Services Permit Commission
Rett Howard Sebastian County	July 22, 2011	Arkansas Building Authority Council
Michael DeLoach Sebastian County	June 7, 2011	Arkansas State Board of Massage Therapy

SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
William Duvall Faulkner County	June 1, 2011	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
David Strickland Faulkner County	Will of the Governor	Governor's Commission on Physical Fitness
Kaleb McBay Task Faulkner County	June 30, 2010	Arkansas Youth Suicide Prevention Force
Shirley Montgomery Faulkner County	September 1, 2013	Arkansas Manufactured Home Commission

James Salkeld Faulkner County	September 5, 2010	Director of the Department of Labor
Michelle Brewer Faulkner County	Will of the Governor	Arkansas Coalition for Juvenile Justice
Robert Goff Faulkner County	November 1, 2013	Arkansas State Board of Registration for Professional Soil Classifiers

SENATOR PAUL BOOKOUT
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Chris Barber Craighead County	January 14, 2011	State Kidney Disease Commission
Ben Hyneman Craighead County	March 1, 2018	University of Arkansas Board of Trustees
Sandra Taylor Craighead County	June 30, 2011	Social Work Licensing Board
Joe Christian Craighead County	June 30, 2010	Arkansas Rice Research and Promotion Board
Marina Swanson Craighead County	June 30, 2010	Arkansas Youth Suicide Prevention Task Force
Dr. Glen Jones, Jr. Craighead County	January 14, 2010	Arkansas Science and Technology Authority

SENATOR SHANE BROADWAY
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Shirley Bolden-Bruce Pulaski County	April 26, 2013	Arkansas State Board of Architects
Gary Ferrell Saline County	June 15, 2012	Board of Electrical Examiners of the State of Arkansas
Randy Matthews Pulaski County	June 15, 2012	Board of Electrical Examiners of the State of Arkansas
Nancy Streit Saline County	June 30, 2011	Social Work Licensing Board
Bill Keltner Pulaski County	June 1, 2011	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
Dr. James Hunt Pulaski County	June 1, 2011	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities

Jimmy Fields Saline County	June 7, 2011	Arkansas State Board of Massage Therapy
Justin Mitchell Pulaski County	June 30, 2011	State Board of Workforce Education and Career Opportunities
Gerald Carr Saline County	June 1, 2011	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
Michael Rebick Pulaski County	June 1, 2012	Arkansas Workforce Investment Board
Bob Holloway Pulaski County	July 1, 2012	State Bd of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors
Steve Street Saline County	September 1, 2011	Arkansas Orthotics, Prosthetics, and Pedorthics Advisory Board
Debbie Murphy Pulaski County	July 20, 2011	Advisory Council for the Education of Gifted and Talented Children
Donna McGriff Pulaski County	June 7, 2011	Arkansas State Board of Massage Therapy
Bucky Ellis Saline County	October 18, 2015	State Library Board

SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Dr. Jim Carr White County	January 14, 2017	State Forestry Commission
Steve Lightle White County	July 1, 2012	Arkansas Tobacco Control Board
David Laffoon White County	April 9, 2011	Health Services Permit Commission
Cathy Shultz White County	October 1, 2012	Arkansas State Board of Nursing
Lenita Blasingame White County	January 14, 2009	Insurance Commissioner

SENATOR BOBBY GLOVER
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Danny Smith Lonoke County	June 30, 2010	Arkansas Wheat Promotion Board

Terry Dabbs Arkansas County	June 30, 2010	Arkansas Wheat Promotion Board
Jerry Hoskyn Arkansas County	June 30, 2010	Arkansas Rice Research and Promotion Board
Georgia Annett Pagan Lonoke County	December 31, 2009	Governor's Commission on Global Warming
Laudies Brantley Lonoke County	July 1, 2012	Boll Weevil Eradication Committee
Norman Walker Lonoke County	September 1, 2013	Arkansas Manufactured Home Commission
Neldia Preston Lonoke County	July 31, 2011	Arkansas Board of Health Education
Rod Dunn Lonoke County	October 15, 2013	Arkansas Veterans' Commission

SENATOR BARBARA HORN
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Warren Plyler Hempstead County	January 14, 2015	Red River Commission
Caroline "Kay" Dunn Miller County	June 1, 2010	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
Reta Hudson Miller County	September 1, 2010	Arkansas Board of Podiatric Medicine
Kelvin Wyrick Miller County	January 14, 2013	Southern Arkansas University Board of Trustees
Zach Lamkin Columbia County	June 30, 2010	Arkansas Youth Suicide Prevention Task Force

SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Mary Bennett Ouachita County	June 1, 2010	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
Alice Williams Mahony Union County	June 30, 2015	State Board of Education
Bobby Newman Union County	July 18, 2013	Arkansas State Board of Registration for Foresters
Ricky Davis Union County	September 1, 2013	Arkansas Manufactured Home Commission

Alan Dean Ouachita County	June 30, 2010	Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning, Refrigeration Licensing Board

SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Nancy Thompson Desha County	June 1, 2010	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
Carole Bulloch Drew County	June 8, 2013	Mississippi River Parkway Commission
Wayne Edwards Chicot County	June 22, 2011	Arkansas Towing and Recovery Board
Richard Smith Desha County	June 30, 2015	State Board of Workforce Education
Memory Frazer Bradley County	Will of the Governor	Governor's Council on Physical Fitness
Marilyn Chambers Ashley County	July 1, 2011	Arkansas Early Childhood Commission
Bob Bridges Ashley County	September 1, 2015	Ouachita River Commission
Hugh Quimby Bradley County	September 1, 2011	Ouachita River Commission
Nora Moses Chicot County	July 1, 2012	State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors
Bill Elliott, Jr. Chicot County	August 15, 2012	Arkansas Agriculture Board
Tommy Maxwell Drew County	July 31, 2011	University of Arkansas at Monticello Board of Visitors
Bennie Ryburn II Drew County	July 31, 2011	University of Arkansas at Monticello Board of Visitors
Cynthia Montgomery Desha County	July 31, 2011	University of Arkansas at Monticello Board of Visitors
Jimmy Barrett Desha County	July 31, 2011	University of Arkansas at Monticello Board of Visitors
John Lipton Bradley County	January 14, 2012	Arkansas Economic Development

SENATOR BOB JOHNSON
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Glenda Hubbard Conway County	June 1, 2010	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
Lester Fulmer Cleburne County	June 1, 2010	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
Dr. Nancy Carlson Saline County	June 1, 2011	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities

SENATOR JOHNNY KEY
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
James Norton Baxter County	June 1, 2012	Arkansas Workforce Investment Board
Nickie Hammontree Baxter County	July 1, 2010	Arkansas Early Childhood Commission
Sandra Priebe Baxter County	October 1, 2012	Arkansas State Board of Nursing

SENATOR SUE MADISON
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Bucky Jones Washington County	October 5, 2009	Crime Victims Reparation Board
Curt Calaway Washington County	January 14, 2009	State Kidney Disease Commission
Chris Cothern Washington County	Will of the Governor	Governor's Council on Physical Fitness
Dr. Stephen Boss Washington County	October 1, 2009	State Board of Registration for Professional Geologists

SENATOR PAUL MILLER
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Kelley Williams Izard County	June 30, 2011	Social Work Licensing Board
John Jackson Randolph County	July 1, 2015	Black River Technical College Board of Trustees

Paul Weaver Izard County	July 1, 2015	Ozarka Technical College Board of Trustees
Gary Pugh Randolph County	October 1, 2012	Arkansas Scenic Resources Preservation Coordinating Committee

SENATOR BILL PRITCHARD
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Ann Phillips Washington County	January 15, 2013	Arkansas Dietetics Licensing Board
John Scott Washington County	June 30, 2013	Northwest Technical Institute Board of Directors
Dana Watson Washington County	July 1, 2012	Sex Offenders Assessment Committee
James Huff Washington County	October 1, 2012	Arkansas State Board of Nursing

SENATOR TERRY SMITH
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Michael Branch Garland County	June 7, 2010	Arkansas State Board of Massage Therapy
JoAnn Mangione Garland County	July 31, 2011	Arkansas State Board of Acupuncture and Related Techniques
Sandra Rowe Garland County	June 30, 2009	Arkansas Youth Suicide Prevention Task Force
Dr. Jan Wright Garland County	June 7, 2011	Arkansas State Board of Massage Therapy

SENATOR JERRY TAYLOR
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Paul Bennett Jefferson County	July 1, 2014	Southeast Arkansas College Board of Trustees
Dr. Torrance Walker Jefferson County	January 14, 2014	University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff Board of Visitors
Marty Casteel Jefferson County	January 14, 2015	University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff Board of Visitors
Jackie Henderson Jefferson County	March 1, 2013	Arkansas State Occupational Therapy Examining Committee

Elaine Eckert Jefferson County	January 14, 2014	Keep Arkansas Beautiful Commission
Julie Bridgforth Jefferson County	Will of the Governor	Governor's Council on Physical Fitness
Dan Crowder Jefferson County	September 1, 2011	Arkansas Orthotics, Prosthetics, and Pedorthics Advisory Board
Donald Grigg Jefferson County	October 15, 2013	Arkansas Veterans' Commission
Jay Bradford Jefferson County	January 14, 2013	Insurance Commissioner

SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Cleon Green Howard County	June 1, 2011	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
Martha DeWoody Hempstead County	June 1, 2011	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
(Teague Continued)		
Dennis Ritchie Hempstead County	March 30, 2011	Arkansas Beef Council
David Gilbert Polk County	January 14, 2013	Waterwell Construction Commission
Dewight Mack Pike County	September 1, 2013	Arkansas Manufactured Home Commission

SENATOR SHARON TRUSTY
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Mike Menge Pope County	February 1, 2012	Arkansas-Oklahoma River Compact Commission

SENATOR RUTH WHITAKER
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Gary Wiederkehr Franklin County	March 1, 2011	Arkansas Wine Producers Council
R. W. Ocker, Sr. Crawford county	June 1, 2011	State Board of Embalmers and Funeral Directors
Jordon Brown Crawford County	May 26, 2012	Arkansas Board of Private Investigators and Private Security Agencies
Debbie Malone Crawford County	July 1, 2011	Arkansas Early Childhood Commission

SENATOR DAVID WYATT
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Marcus Creasy Cleburne County	March 30, 2011	Arkansas Beef Council
Brenda Engle White County	Will of the Governor	Governor's Council on Physical Fitness
Sally McLarty Jackson County	January 14, 2012	Arkansas Natural Heritage Commission

January 26, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Denny Altes, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Jim Petrus Sebastian County	April 9, 2012	Health Services Permit Commission
Rett Howard Sebastian County	July 22, 2011	Arkansas Building Authority Council
Michael DeLoach Sebastian County	June 7, 2011	Arkansas State Board of Massage Therapy

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

AC/as

Cc: The Honorable Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State
Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

January 26, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Gilbert Baker, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
William Duvall Faulkner County	June 1, 2011	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
David Strickland Faulkner County	Will of the Governor	Governor's Commission on Physical Fitness
Kaleb McBay Faulkner County	June 30, 2010	Arkansas Youth Suicide Prevention Task Force
Shirley Montgomery Faulkner County	September 1, 2013	Arkansas Manufactured Home Commission
James Salkeld Faulkner County	September 5, 2010	Director of the Department of Labor

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Michelle Brewer Faulkner County	Will of the Governor	Arkansas Coalition for Juvenile Justice
Robert Goff Faulkner County	November 1, 2013	Arkansas State Board of Registration for Professional Soil Classifiers

Respectfully submitted,
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Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

January 26, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
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Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Paul Bookout, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Chris Barber Craighead County	January 14, 2011	State Kidney Disease Commission
Ben Hyneman Craighead County	March 1, 2018	University of Arkansas Board of Trustees
Sandra Taylor Craighead County	June 30, 2011	Social Work Licensing Board
Joe Christian Craighead County	June 30, 2010	Arkansas Rice Research and Promotion Board
Marina Swanson Craighead County	June 30, 2010	Arkansas Youth Suicide Prevention Task Force

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Dr. Glen Jones, Jr. Craighead County	January 14, 2010	Arkansas Science and Technology Authority

Respectfully submitted,

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January 26, 2009

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Shane Broadway, advised with and consented unanimously
to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Shirley Bolden-Bruce Pulaski County	April 26, 2013	Arkansas State Board of Architects
Gary Ferrell Saline County	June 15, 2012	Board of Electrical Examiners of the State of Arkansas
Randy Matthews Pulaski County	June 15, 2012	Board of Electrical Examiners of the State of Arkansas
Nancy Streit Saline County	June 30, 2011	Social Work Licensing Board
Bill Keltner Pulaski County	June 1, 2011	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
Dr. James Hunt Pulaski County	June 1, 2011	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
Jimmy Fields Saline County	June 7, 2011	Arkansas State Board of Massage Therapy

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Justin Mitchell Pulaski County	June 30, 2011	State Board of Workforce Education and Career Opportunities
Gerald Carr Saline County	June 1, 2011	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
Michael Rebick Pulaski County	June 1, 2012	Arkansas Workforce Investment Board
Bob Holloway Pulaski County	July 1, 2012	State Board of Reg. for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors
Steve Street Saline County	September 1, 2011	Arkansas Orthotics, Prosthetics, and Pedorthics Advisory Board
Debbie Murphy Pulaski County	July 20, 2011	Advisory Council for the Education of Gifted and Talented Children
Donna McGriff Pulaski County	June 7, 2011	Ar. State Board of Massage Therapy

Bucky Ellis Saline County	October 18, 2015	State Library Board

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January 26, 2009

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Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator John Paul Capps, advised with and consented unanimously
to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Dr. Jim Carr White County	January 14, 2017	State Forestry Commission
Steve Lightle White County	July 1, 2012	Arkansas Tobacco Control Board
David Laffoon White County	April 9, 2011	Health Services Permit Commission
Cathy Shultz White County	October 1, 2012	Arkansas State Board of Nursing
Lenita Blasingame White County	January 14, 2009	Insurance Commissioner

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Bobby Glover, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Danny Smith Lonoke County	June 30, 2010	Arkansas Wheat Promotion Board
Terry Dabbs Arkansas County	June 30, 2010	Arkansas Wheat Promotion Board
Jerry Hoskyn Arkansas County	June 30, 2010	Arkansas Rice Research and Promotion Board
Georgia Annett Pagan Lonoke County	December 31, 2009	Governor's Com. on Global Warming
Laudies Brantley Lonoke County	July 1, 2012	Boll Weevil Eradication Committee
Norman Walker Lonoke County	September 1, 2013	Arkansas Manufactured Home Commission

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Neldia Preston Lonoke County	July 31, 2011	Arkansas Board of Health Education
Rod Dunn Lonoke County	October 15, 2013	Arkansas Veterans' Commission

Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Barbara Horn, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Warren Plyler Hempstead County	January 14, 2015	Red River Commission
Caroline "Kay" Dunn Miller County	June 1, 2010	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
Reta Hudson Miller County	September 1, 2010	Arkansas Board of Podiatric Medicine
Kelvin Wyrick Miller County	January 14, 2013	Southern Arkansas University Board of Trustees
Zach Lamkin Columbia County	June 30, 2010	Arkansas Youth Suicide Prevention Task Force

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January 26, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Gene Jeffress, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Mary Bennett Ouachita County	June 1, 2010	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
Alice Williams Mahony Union County	June 30, 2015	State Board of Education

Bobby Newman Union County	July 18, 2013	Ar. State Board of Registration for Foresters
Ricky Davis Union County	September 1, 2013	Arkansas Manufactured Home Commission
Alan Dean Ouachita County	June 30, 2010	Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning, Refrigeration Licensing Board

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January 26, 2009

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Jimmy Jeffress, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Nancy Thompson Desha County	June 1, 2010	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
Carole Bulloch Drew County	June 8, 2013	Mississippi River Parkway Commission
Wayne Edwards Chicot County	June 22, 2011	Arkansas Towing and Recovery Board
Richard Smith Desha County	June 30, 2015	State Board of Workforce Education
Memory Frazer Bradley County	Will of the Governor	Governor's Council on Physical Fitness
Marilyn Chambers Ashley County	July 1, 2011	Arkansas Early Childhood Commission
Bob Bridges Ashley County	September 1, 2015	Ouachita River Commission

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Hugh Quimby Bradley County	September 1, 2011	Ouachita River Commission

Nora Moses Chicot County	July 1, 2012	State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors
Bill Elliott, Jr. Chicot County	August 15, 2012	Arkansas Agriculture Board
Tommy Maxwell Drew County	July 31, 2011	University of Arkansas at Monticello Board of Visitors
Bennie Ryburn II Drew County	July 31, 2011	University of Arkansas at Monticello Board of Visitors
Cynthia Montgomery Desha County	July 31, 2011	University of Arkansas at Monticello Board of Visitors
Jimmy Barrett Desha County	July 31, 2011	University of Arkansas at Monticello Board of Visitors
John Lipton Bradley County	January 14, 2012	Arkansas Economic Development

Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Bob Johnson, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Glenda Hubbard Conway County	June 1, 2010	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
Lester Fulmer Cleburne County	June 1, 2010	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities

Dr. Nancy Carlson Saline County	June 1, 2011	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Johnny Key, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
James Norton Baxter County	June 1, 2012	Arkansas Workforce Investment Board
Nickie Hammontree Baxter County	July 1, 2010	Arkansas Early Childhood Commission
Sandra Priebe Baxter County	October 1, 2012	Arkansas State Board of Nursing

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Sue Madison, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Bucky Jones Washington County	October 5, 2009	Crime Victims Reparation Board
Curt Calaway Washington County	January 14, 2009	State Kidney Disease Commission
Chris Cothern Washington County	Will of the Governor	Governor's Council on Physical Fitness
Dr. Stephen Boss Washington County	October 1, 2009	State Board of Registration for Professional Geologists

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Paul Miller, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Kelley Williams Izard County	June 30, 2011	Social Work Licensing Board
John Jackson Randolph County	July 1, 2015	Black River Technical College Board of Trustees

Paul Weaver Izard County	July 1, 2015	Ozarka Technical College Board of Trustees
Gary Pugh Randolph County	October 1, 2012	Arkansas Scenic Resources Preservation Coordinating Committee

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Bill Pritchard, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Ann Phillips Washington County	January 15, 2013	Arkansas Dietetics Licensing Board
John Scott Washington County	June 30, 2013	Northwest Technical Institute Board of Directors
Dana Watson Washington County	July 1, 2012	Sex Offenders Assessment Committee
James Huff Washington County	October 1, 2012	Arkansas State Board of Nursing

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Terry Smith, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Michael Branch Garland County	June 7, 2010	Arkansas State Board of Massage Therapy
JoAnn Mangione Garland County	July 31, 2011	Arkansas State Board of Acupuncture and Related Techniques
Sandra Rowe Garland County	June 30, 2009	Arkansas Youth Suicide Prevention Task Force
Dr. Jan Wright Garland County	June 7, 2011	Arkansas State Board of Massage Therapy

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

AC/as
Cc: The Honorable Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State
Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

January 26, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Jerry Taylor, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Paul Bennett Jefferson County	July 1, 2014	Southeast Arkansas College Board of Trustees
Dr. Torrance Walker Jefferson County	January 14, 2014	University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff Board of Visitors

Marty Casteel Jefferson County	January 14, 2015	University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff Board of Visitors
Jackie Henderson Jefferson County	March 1, 2013	Arkansas State Occupational Therapy Examining Committee
Elaine Eckert Jefferson County	January 14, 2014	Keep Arkansas Beautiful Commission
Julie Bridgforth Jefferson County	Will of the Governor	Governor's Council on Physical Fitness
Dan Crowder Jefferson County	September 1, 2011	Arkansas Orthotics, Prosthetics, and Pedorthics Advisory Board

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Donald Grigg Jefferson County	October 15, 2013	Arkansas Veterans' Commission
Jay Bradford Jefferson County	January 14, 2013	Insurance Commissioner

Respectfully submitted,

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January 26, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Larry Teague, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Cleon Green Howard County	June 1, 2011	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
Martha DeWoody Hempstead County	June 1, 2011	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities

Dennis Ritchie Hempstead County	March 30, 2011	Arkansas Beef Council
David Gilbert Polk County	January 14, 2013	Waterwell Construction Commission
Dewight Mack Pike County	September 1, 2013	Arkansas Manufactured Home Commission

Respectfully submitted,

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Secretary of the Senate

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Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

January 26, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Sharon Trusty, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Mike Menge Pope County	February 1, 2012	Arkansas-Oklahoma River Compact Commission

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

AC/as

Cc: The Honorable Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State
Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

January 26, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Ruth Whitaker, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Gary Wiederkehr Franklin County	March 1, 2011	Arkansas Wine Producers Council
R. W. Ocker, Sr. Crawford county	June 1, 2011	State Board of Embalmers and Funeral Directors
Jordon Brown Crawford County	May 26, 2012	Arkansas Board of Private Investigators and Private Security Agencies
Debbie Malone Crawford County	July 1, 2011	Ar. Early Childhood Commmission

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

AC/as
Cc: The Honorable Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State
Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

January 26, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator David Wyatt, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Marcus Creasy Cleburne County	March 30, 2011	Arkansas Beef Council

Brenda Engle White County	Will of the Governor	Governor's Council on Physical Fitness
Sally McLarty Jackson County	January 14, 2012	Arkansas Natural Heritage Commission

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

AC/as

Cc: The Honorable Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State
Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE

AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 58

SENATE BILL NO. 69

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1009

HOUSE BILL NO. 1018

HOUSE BILL NO. 1023

HOUSE BILL NO. 1028

HOUSE BILL NO. 1035

HOUSE BILL NO. 1038

HOUSE BILL NO. 1039

HOUSE BILL NO. 1040

HOUSE BILL NO. 1048

HOUSE BILL NO. 1057

HOUSE BILL NO. 1114

HOUSE BILL NO. 1129

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1003

HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED
HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1001

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, January 27, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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SIXTEENTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

January 27, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Miller.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 140 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No.1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 140

Amend Senate Bill No. 140 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 25 and substitute the following:
"termination from employment for retirement purposes under the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System, is amended to read as"

AND

Page 2, delete SECTION 2 in its entirety and substitute the following:
"SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that the country is in a recession, that the state retirement systems have suffered from the failing economy, that increasing the time period that a member must be terminated from employment in order not to rescind his or her retirement benefits will benefit the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System, and that it is considered sound public policy to increase this time period. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on July 1, 2009."

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 140 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 143 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 143

Amend Senate Bill No. 143 as originally introduced:

Page 4, delete line 31 and substitute the following:
""EMT", ~~"EMT-A", "EMT-P", "EMT-I", "EMT-Instructor"~~ Advanced EMT, Paramedic,"

AND

Page 5, delete line 6 and substitute the following:
"Paramedic, EMS-Instructor, or EMS Instructor Trainer education"

AND

Page 7, delete line 1 and substitute the following:
"~~Communications~~" Advanced EMT, paramedic, Emergency Medical Services"

AND

Page 11, delete line 28 and substitute the following:
"~~EMT-paramedic~~ Advanced EMT, or paramedic and who may perform those"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BROADWAY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 143 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Senator Miller, Senate Bill No. 206 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 206

Amend Senate Bill No. 206 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 18 and substitute the following:
"college for which the person would serve as a member of the local board.

SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that current Arkansas law unfairly limits the possible candidates for appointments to the local boards of trustees of technical colleges and that the law should be revised as soon as possible to increase the pool of candidates for these positions. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or

(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

(SIGNED) SENATOR MILLER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 206 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 27, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 140, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 140 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 27, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 143, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 143 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR

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ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 27, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 206, BY SENATOR MILLER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Miller, Senate Bill No. 206 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 27, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 16, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 53, BY SENATOR SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 80, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 27, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1117, BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 27, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1036, BY REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 27, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1019, BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1021, BY REPRESENTATIVE WOODS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 27, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 37, BY JOINT BUDGET,
SENATE BILL NO. 42, BY JOINT BUDGET,
SENATE BILL NO. 44, BY JOINT BUDGET,
SENATE BILL NO. 51, BY JOINT BUDGET,
SENATE BILL NO. 52, BY JOINT BUDGET,
SENATE BILL NO. 57, BY JOINT BUDGET,
SENATE BILL NO. 82, BY JOINT BUDGET,
SENATE BILL NO. 84, BY JOINT BUDGET,
SENATE BILL NO. 92, BY JOINT BUDGET,
SENATE BILL NO. 98, BY JOINT BUDGET,
SENATE BILL NO. 99, BY JOINT BUDGET,
SENATE BILL NO. 109, BY JOINT BUDGET,
SENATE BILL NO. 111, BY JOINT BUDGET,
SENATE BILL NO. 114, BY JOINT BUDGET,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER
CHAIRMAN

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 27 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 27
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE ARKANSAS MOTOR VEHICLE COMMISSION TO ADMINISTER THE MOTOR VEHICLE EVENT DATA RECORDER LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 27 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE:

Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 27 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 104 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 82 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 103 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Faris.

SENATE BILL NO. 244
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE ARKANSAS MINORITY HEALTH COMMISSION FOR THE MINORITY HEALTH INITIATIVE OF THE TARGETED STATE NEEDS PROGRAMS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 244 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 245
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE CRIME LABORATORY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 245 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 246
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS MINORITY HEALTH COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 246 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 247
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW LOW INCOME HOUSING TAX CREDITS OVER TWO HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS IN A TAXABLE YEAR TO BE GRANTED IN THE SUBSEQUENT YEAR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 247 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 248
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING FAILURE TO PRESENT PROOF OF INSURANCE COVERAGE ON A MOTOR VEHICLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 248 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 249
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS TEAGUE AND LAVERTY
BY: REPRESENTATIVES STEWART AND RAGLAND

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS FOR ADMINISTRATIVE REORGANIZATION OF SMALL SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 249 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 250
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE AUDITOR OF STATE OPERATIONS AND UNCLAIMED PROPERTY PROGRAM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 250 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1050
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE AN EXPRESS STATUTORY CROSS-REFERENCE FOR ALL NEW EXEMPTIONS TO THE ARKANSAS FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1050 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1153
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW CONFISCATED GOODS TO BE SOLD OVER THE INTERNET FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE CITY'S POLICEMEN'S PENSION AND RELIEF FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1153 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 251
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT REPORTS SHALL NOT BE USED FOR COMMERCIAL PURPOSES FOR NINETY (90) DAYS AFTER THE ACCIDENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 251 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 252
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SAUNDERS AND WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THE ENROLLMENT AGE IN PREKINDERGARTEN IS CONSISTENT WITH THE ENROLLMENT CRITERIA FOR ENTRY INTO PUBLIC SCHOOL; TO ENSURE ADEQUATE NOTICE IS GIVEN TO PREKINDERGARTEN PROGRAM PROVIDERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 252 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS 72201

January 26, 2009

The Honorable Bob Johnson
Senate President Pro Tempore
State Chambers, State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Senator Johnson:

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Constitution of Arkansas, I am submitting the following appointments to be confirmed.

I respectfully submit these appointments to your honorable body and request that they be
Confirmed.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
GOVERNOR

SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OR COMMISSION
Bethany Stephans Benton County	September 1, 2010	Arkansas Board of Podiatric Medicine
Bill Millager Benton County	August 17, 2013	Arkansas State Board of Public Accountancy
Dick Trammel Benton County	January 14, 2019	State Highway Commission

SENATOR JACK CRUMBLY
SENATOR CONFIRMATION 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OR COMMISSION
Charlene Reed Lee County	April 1, 2013	Arkansas Governor's Mansion Commission
Cheryl Beene St. Francis County	April 9, 2012	Health Services Permit Commission

Mike Lawyer St. Francis County	June 30, 2012	Crowley's Ridge Technical Institute Board of Directors
Stewart Weaver Crittenden County	July 1, 2010	Arkansas Corn and Grain Sorghum Promotion Board
Glena Willard St. Francis County	June 30, 2012	Crowley's Ridge Technical Institute Board of Directors
Danny Tate St. Francis County	July 1, 2013	Arkansas Tobacco Control Board
Kyle Miller Phillips County	October 1, 2011	Delta Cultural Centerr

SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OR COMMISSION
Kareen Cooper Pulaski County	June 1, 2009	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
Ronald Ross Pulaski County	April 26, 2013	Arkansas State Board of Architects
Christopher Fears Pulaski County	June 1, 2011	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
Sam Ledbetter Pulaski County	June 30, 2015	State Board of Education
Mary Parham Pulaski County	June 1, 2012	Arkansas Workforce Investment Board
Dr. Joseph Thompson Pulaski County	April 8, 2012	State and Public School Life and Health Insurance Board
Billy Burris Pulaski County	July 1, 2012	Sex Offenders Assessment Committee
Eunice Thrasher Pulaski County	July 20, 2011	Advisory Council for the Education of Gifted and Talented Children
Christine Johnson Pulaski County	Will of the Governor	Arkansas Coalition for Juvenile Justice

SENATOR STEVE FARIS
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OR COMMISSION
Tracy Akard Garland County	January 15, 2009	State Board of Cosmetology
Mary Smith Hot Spring County	June 30, 2009	State Board of Sanitarians

Dee Edie Hot Spring County	July 1, 2012	Ouachita Technical College Board of Trustees
Jean Harper Hot Spring County	July 1, 2015	Ouachita Technical College Board of Trustees
Renita Wingo Hot Spring County	September 1, 2015	Ouachita River Commission

SENATOR DAVID JOHNSON
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OR COMMISSION
Maureen Strobel Pulaski County	June 1, 2010	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
Marilou Brodie Pulaski County	January 15, 2013	Arkansas Dietetics Licensing Board
Terry Granderson Pulaski County	June 30, 2012	Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Licensing Board
Michael McClellan Pulaski County	June 30, 2012	Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Licensing Board
Eric Herget Pulaski County	June 1, 2012	Arkansas Workforce Investment Board
Diane Hilburn Pulaski County	June 1, 2012	Arkansas Workforce Investment Board
Ted Fotioo, Sr. Pulaski County	June 30, 2011	Arkansas Board of Dispensing Opticians
Sherman Smith Pulaski County	July 1, 2012	State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors
Dawn Scott-Jones Pulaski County	Will of the Governor	Governor's Council on Physical Fitness
Dr. Jim Guldin Pulaski County	July 18, 2013	Arkansas State Board of Registration for Foresters
Amy Denton Pulaski County	July 1, 2011	Arkansas Early Childhood Commission
Julie Greathouse Pulaski County	July 20, 2011	Advisory Council for the Education of Gifted and Talented Children
Lori Kumpuris Pulaski County	July 1, 2012	Sex Offenders Assessment Committee
Vicki Saviers Pulaski County	July 1, 2015	Pulaski Technical College Board of Directors

Ryan Solomon Pulaski County	September 1, 2012	Arkansas State Board of Dental Examiners
Sheila Castin Pulaski County	September 1, 2013	Arkansas State Board of Dental Examiners
Dr. Jan Richter Pulaski County	July 31, 2011	Arkansas Board of Health Education
Marilyn Rutledge Pulaski County	Will of the Governor	Arkansas coalition of Juvenile Justice
Carol Dyer Pulaski County	July 1, 2013	Arkansas Tobacco Control Board

SENATOR PERCY MALONE
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OR COMMISSION
Mary Elizabeth Eldridge Clark County	January 13, 2012	State Forestry Commission
Sammy Hart Clark County	October 15, 2013	Arkansas Veterans' Commission

SENATOR MARY ANNE SALMON
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OR COMMISSION
Breck Hopkins Pulaski County	April 9, 2010	Health Services Permit Commission
Herman Shirley Pulaski County	April 26, 2013	State Board of Optometry
Janice Vaughn Pulaski County	January 14, 2009	Arkansas School for the Blind and Arkansas School for the Deaf Board of Trustees
Raymond Heaggans Pulaski County	June 30, 2013	State Board of Sanitarians
Shelby McCook Pulaski County	April 8, 2011	State and Public School Life and Health Insurance Board

SENATOR ROBERT THOMPSON
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OR COMMISSION
Weldon Roberts Green County	June 9, 2013	Arkansas State Board of Chiropractic Examiners
Jean Lee Craighead County	June 7, 2011	Arkansas State Board of Massage Therapy
Keith Woolverton Clay County	July 1, 2010	Arkansas Corn and Grain Sorghum Promotion Board
James Jansen Lawrence County	September 30, 2013	Board of Directors of the Arkansas Interest on Lawyers' Trust Account Foundation

January 27, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Cecile Bledsoe, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OR COMMISSION
Bethany Stephans Benton County	September 1, 2010	Arkansas Board of Podiatric Medicine
Bill Millager Benton County	August 17, 2013	Arkansas State Board of Public Accountancy
Dick Trammel Benton County	January 14, 2019	State Highway Commission

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

AC/as
Cc: The Honorable Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State
Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

January 27, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Jack Crumbly, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OR COMMISSION
Charlene Reed Lee County	April 1, 2013	Arkansas Governor's Mansion Commission
Cheryl Beene St. Francis County	April 9, 2012	Health Services Permit Commission
Mike Lawyer St. Francis County	June 30, 2012	Crowley's Ridge Technical Institute Board of Directors
Stewart Weaver Crittenden County	July 1, 2010	Arkansas Corn and Grain Sorghum Promotion Board
Glena Willard St. Francis County	June 30, 2012	Crowley's Ridge Technical Institute Board of Directors

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OR COMMISSION
Danny Tate St. Francis County	July 1, 2013	Arkansas Tobacco Control Board
Kyle Miller Phillips County	October 1, 2011	Delta Cultural Center

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Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

January 27, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Joyce Elliott, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OR COMMISSION
Kareen Cooper Pulaski County	June 1, 2009	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
Ronald Ross Pulaski County	April 26, 2013	Arkansas State Board of Architects
Christopher Fears Pulaski County	June 1, 2011	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
Sam Ledbetter Pulaski County	June 30, 2015	State Board of Education
Mary Parham Pulaski County	June 1, 2012	Arkansas Workforce Investment Board

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OR COMMISSION
Dr. Joseph Thompson Pulaski County	April 8, 2012	State and Public School Life and Health Insurance Board
Billy Burris Pulaski County	July 1, 2012	Sex Offenders Assessment Committee
Eunice Thrasher Pulaski County	July 20, 2011	Advisory Council for the Education of Gifted and Talented Children
Christine Johnson Pulaski County	Will of the Governor	Arkansas Coalition for Juvenile Justice
Dr. Lisa Hutchinson	Will of the Governor	Arkansas Coalition for Juvenile Justice

Respectfully submitted,

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Secretary of the Senate

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Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

January 27, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Steve Faris, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OR COMMISSION
Tracy Akard Garland County	January 15, 2009	State Board of Cosmetology
Mary Smith Hot Spring County	June 30, 2009	State Board of Sanitarians
Dee Edie Hot Spring County	July 1, 2012	Ouachita Technical College Board of Trustees
Jean Harper Hot Spring County	July 1, 2015	Ouachita Technical College Board of Trustees

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OR COMMISSION
Renita Wingo Hot Spring County	September 1, 2015	Ouachita River Commission

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

AC/as
Cc: The Honorable Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State
Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

January 27, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator David Johnson, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OR COMMISSION
Maureen Strobel Pulaski County	June 1, 2010	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
Marilou Brodie Pulaski County	January 15, 2013	Arkansas Dietetics Licensing Board
Terry Granderson Pulaski County	June 30, 2012	Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Licensing Board
Michael McClellan Pulaski County	June 30, 2012	Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Licensing Board
Eric Herget Pulaski County	June 1, 2012	Arkansas Workforce Investment Board
Diane Hilburn Pulaski County	June 1, 2012	Arkansas Workforce Investment Board

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OR COMMISSION
Ted Fotioo, Sr. Pulaski County	June 30, 2011	Arkansas Board of Dispensing Opticians
Sherman Smith Pulaski County	July 1, 2012	State Board of Registration for Professional Engineers and Land Surveyors
Dawn Scott-Jones Pulaski County	Will of the Governor	Governor's Council on Physical Fitness
Dr. Jim Guldin Pulaski County	July 18, 2013	Arkansas State Board of Registration for Foresters
Amy Denton Pulaski County	July 1, 2011	Arkansas Early Childhood Commission
Julie Greathouse Pulaski County	July 20, 2011	Advisory Council for the Education of Gifted and Talented Children
Lori Kumpuris Pulaski County	July 1, 2012	Sex Offenders Assessment Committee
Vicki Saviers Pulaski County	July 1, 2015	Pulaski Technical College Board of Directors
Ryan Solomon Pulaski County	September 1, 2012	Arkansas State Board of Dental Examiners
Sheila Castin Pulaski County	September 1, 2013	Arkansas State Board of Dental Examiners

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OR COMMISSION
Dr. Jan Richter Pulaski County	July 31, 2011	Arkansas Board of Health Education
Marilyn Rutledge Pulaski County	Will of the Governor	Arkansas coalition of Juvenile Justice

Carol Dyer Pulaski County	July 1, 2013	Arkansas Tobacco Control Board

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

AC/as
Cc: The Honorable Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State
Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

January 27, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Percy Malone, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OR COMMISSION
Mary Elizabeth Eldridge Clark County	January 13, 2012	State Forestry Commission
Sammy Hart Clark County	October 15, 2013	Arkansas Veterans' Commission

Respectfully submitted,

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Secretary of the Senate

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January 27, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Mary Anne Salmon, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OR COMMISSION
Breck Hopkins Pulaski County	April 9, 2010	Health Services Permit Commission
Herman Shirley Pulaski County	April 26, 2013	State Board of Optometry
Janice Vaughn Pulaski County	January 14, 2009	Arkansas School for the Blind and Arkansas School for the Deaf Board of Trustees
Raymond Heaggans Pulaski County	June 30, 2013	State Board of Sanitarians

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OR COMMISSION
Shelby McCook Pulaski County	April 8, 2011	State and Public School Life and Health Insurance Board

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Secretary of the Senate

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Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

January 27, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Robert Thompson, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OR COMMISSION
Weldon Roberts Green County	June 9, 2013	Arkansas State Board of Chiropractic Examiners
Jean Lee Craighead County	June 7, 2011	Arkansas State Board of Massage Therapy
Keith Woolverton Clay County	July 1, 2010	Arkansas Corn and Grain Sorghum Promotion Board

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OR COMMISSION
James Jansen Lawrence County	September 30, 2013	Board of Directors of the Arkansas Interest on Lawyers' Trust Account Foundation

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

AC/as
Cc: The Honorable Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State
Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

SENATE BILL TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 27

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1050
HOUSE BILL NO. 1153

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Wednesday, January 28, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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SEVENTEENTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

January 28, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Elliott.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 108 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 108

Amend Senate Bill No. 108 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 16 and substitute the following:
"license applicant is subject to a criminal background check under § 6-17-410 upon application."

(SIGNED) SENATOR TEAGUE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 108 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 20 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 20

Amend Senate Bill No. 20 as originally introduced:

Add the following Senators as cosponsors of the bill:

Senators Teague, D. Wyatt

AND

Add the following Representatives as cosponsors of the bill:

Representatives Cole, Moore

AND

Delete the title entirely and substitute:

"AN ACT TO PROVIDE OPTIONS FOR THE AGRICULTURE INDUSTRY TO USE MORE FUEL-EFFICIENT VEHICLES TO REDUCE COSTS; TO ALLOW MINI-TRUCKS TO BE REGISTERED AND LICENSED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO PROVIDE OPTIONS FOR THE AGRICULTURE INDUSTRY TO USE MORE FUEL-EFFICIENT VEHICLES TO REDUCE COSTS."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 27-14-601(a)(3)(H), regarding the fees for registration and licensing of Class Eight motor vehicles, is amended to read as follows:

(H) Class Eight.

(i) In order to aid in the development of the natural resources and to promote agriculture, timber harvesting, and forestry in Arkansas and in order to eliminate apparent inequities in license charges for vehicles using only improved roads and those used primarily on the farm, for timber harvesting or forestry, in the wooded areas, and off the main highway system of this state, a special classification is created to provide a different and more equitable rate for those vehicles used exclusively for the noncommercial hauling of farm or timber products produced in this state and for the noncommercial hauling of feed, seed, fertilizer, poultry litter, and other products commonly produced or used in agricultural operations or the noncommercial hauling of animal feed by owners of livestock or poultry for consumption in this state by livestock or poultry owned by them and for those vehicles used in the noncommercial hauling of unfinished and unprocessed forest products and clay minerals and ores originating in Arkansas from the point of severance to a point in the state at which they first undergo any processing,

preparation for processing, conversion, or transformation from their natural or severed state. Notwithstanding any provision of this subdivision (a)(3)(H) to the contrary, farmers may transport cotton seed from the gin or warehouse to the first point of sale under this special classification. Rock or stone or crushed rock or crushed stone, except rock or stone which is to undergo further processing into a finished or semifinished product other than crushed rock or crushed stone, shall not be construed as “clay minerals” or “ores” under the provisions of this classification. Notwithstanding any provision of this subdivision (a)(3)(H) or any other law to the contrary, persons in the timber harvesting or forestry industries who transport wood waste, wood chips, or wood dust from a mill or a temporary location may transport the wood waste, wood chips, or wood dust from the mill or the temporary location to a destination for further processing under this special classification.

(ii) The annual license fees for vehicles classified as either farm or natural resources vehicles shall be as follows:

(a) For a vehicle with two (2) axles, including mini-trucks, a fee of three dollars and ninety cents ($3.90) per one thousand pounds (1,000 lbs.) of gross loaded weight of the vehicle, with a minimum fee of thirty-two dollars and fifty cents ($32.50) and a maximum fee of sixty-five dollars ($65.00) for each vehicle;

(b) For a vehicle with three (3) axles, a fee of ninety-seven dollars and fifty cents ($97.50);

(c) For a vehicle with four (4) axles, a fee of one hundred thirty dollars ($130);

(d) For a vehicle with five (5) axles, a fee of one hundred sixty-two dollars and fifty cents ($162.50);

(e) For a vehicle with five (5) axles used exclusively by the owner of livestock or poultry in hauling animal feed for consumption in this state by the owner's livestock or poultry, a fee of six hundred fifty dollars ($650); and

(f) Notwithstanding any of the provisions of this subdivision (a)(3)(H) to the contrary, for a vehicle to be operated separately or in combination with other vehicles, which vehicle or combination has a total outside width in excess of one hundred two inches (102”) but not exceeding one hundred eight inches (108”) and is utilized or intended to be utilized to transport compacted seed cotton, the annual license fee shall be six hundred fifty dollars ($650). Provided, any full trailer or semitrailer used in combination with such registered vehicle shall also be registered in accordance with and pursuant to the applicable fees set out in subdivision (a)(3)(I) of this section. That portion of the annual license fee established by this subdivision (a)(3)(H)(ii)(f) which equals four hundred eighty-seven dollars and fifty cents ($487.50) is declared to be a permit fee for the use of the public roads and streets of this state by such vehicles while operated separately or in combination with other vehicles due to the unusual design and size of such vehicles or combinations of vehicles.

(iii)(a) The foregoing vehicles shall not exceed the maximum axle load permitted by law.

(b) Five-axle vehicles may haul maximum gross loaded weights of up to eighty thousand pounds (80,000 lbs.) without the purchase of any additional or different type license.

(iv) The Director of the Department of Finance and Administration shall cause to be issued special and distinctive license plates for vehicles in this classification, with separate farm license plates to be established for those vehicles used in the noncommercial hauling of farm products produced in this state, ~~and for hauling~~ feed, seed, fertilizer, poultry litter, and other products commonly produced or used in agricultural operations or compacted seed cotton and separate natural resources license plates to be established for those vehicles hauling timber products, clay minerals, or ores.

(v)(a) Before any license may be issued for a vehicle

designated ~~a~~ as either a farm vehicle or a natural resources vehicle, the applicant shall, by affidavit, state that he or she is familiar with the purposes for which such licenses may be used as authorized under this classification and that he or she will not use such vehicle for which application for license is made for any purpose not authorized under this classification. The applicant shall indicate on his or her affidavit whether the vehicle is to be used for the hauling of farm products, animal feed, compacted seed, or cotton~~,~~ or for the hauling of forest products, clay minerals, or ores.

(b) If the applicant is the owner of a mini-truck, then the affidavit shall state that the vehicle is being used exclusively for farm purposes and that the mini-truck meets the other requirements of § 27-14-726.

(vi)(a) Upon submitting an affidavit, any person entitled to obtain a ~~natural resources~~ farm license for a motor vehicle used for hauling farm products as authorized under this classification, if the vehicle is required for only seasonal or occasional use, may be issued a ~~natural resources~~ farm license for the vehicle for the first six (6) months of the annual licensing period, at a rate equal to one-half (½) of the annual fee but in no event less than sixty-five dollars ($65.00) or for the last month of the current annual licensing period and the first six (6) months of the subsequent annual licensing period at a rate equal to seven-twelfths (7/12) of the annual fee but in no event less than seventy-five dollars ($75.00).

(b) The director shall issue special distinctive license plates or license plate validation decals for the vehicles, including the indication thereon of the expiration date, so as to identify them from annual ~~natural resources~~ plates.

(vii) The owner of any motor vehicle who is entitled to obtain a ~~natural resources~~ farm license for such motor vehicle for use in hauling farm products as authorized in this subdivision (a)(3)(H) may use such motor vehicle for the hauling of baled cotton from the cotton gin to a cotton compress without the necessity of the payment of additional license fees or the obtaining of additional license plates for such motor vehicle.

(viii) The director shall promulgate such rules and regulations as may be necessary to carry out the intent of this classification and prevent abuse thereof. However, before any such rules or regulations shall be effective, they shall be approved by majority action of the members of the State Highway Commission acting for and in behalf of the Arkansas Highway Police Division of the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department, which is the agency charged with the principal responsibility of enforcing the motor vehicle license laws of this state.

(ix) Vehicles licensed under this classification for the hauling of farm products only shall be permitted, without payment of additional fees, to transport return loads to the farm or domicile of the owner of such vehicles where such return load contents are the property of, and to be used or consumed by, the owner of the vehicle or his family.

(x) If a violation of the natural resources classification, as authorized in this subdivision (a)(3)(H) is discovered, a license must immediately be purchased for such vehicle in accordance with the rate of license that should lawfully be required for such vehicle for so moving on the roads and highways of this state. No credit shall be given on the purchase price of such license for any amount or amounts paid for license hitherto purchased for use on such vehicle. This requirement of license purchase shall not be in lieu of any criminal prosecution.

(xi) All affidavits required under the provisions of this subdivision (a)(3)(H) shall be acknowledged by the director, his or her authorized agent, or some other person authorized by the laws of this state to administer oaths;

(xii) The owner of a mini-truck under § 27-14-726 may license and register the mini-truck as a Class Eight farm vehicle if the vehicle is used for farm purposes.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 27-14-705(b)(2)(B), regarding the application for registration and certificate of title, is amended to read as follows:

(B)(i) ~~The~~ Except as provided under § 27-14-726, the certificate of origin shall be furnished to the dealer by the manufacturer and shall accompany the application for license and title.

(ii) ~~No~~ Except as provided under § 27-14-726, no license for the operation of the vehicle shall be granted and no certificate of title shall be issued unless the certificate of origin is made a part of the application.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code Title 27, Chapter 14, Subchapter 7 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

27-14-726. Mini-trucks.

(a) As used in this section:

(1) "Low pressure tire" means a pneumatic tire six inches (6") or more in width designed for use on a wheel with a rim diameter of twelve inches (12") or less and utilizing an operating pressure of ten pounds per square inch (10 p.s.i.) or less as recommended by the vehicle manufacturer;

(2)(A) "Mini-truck" means a motor vehicle that is:

(i) At least forty-eight inches (48") in width;

(ii) Not more than one hundred thirty-five inches (135") in length including the bumper;

(iii) At least one thousand five hundred pounds (1,500 lbs.) in unladen weight including fuel and fluids;

(iv) Equipped with:

(a) Four (4) or more low pressure tires or pneumatic rubber tires that are used on motor vehicles;

(b) A steering wheel;

(c) Seating for at least two (2) people to sit side-by-side in the front seating area;

(d) A fully-enclosed metal or metal-reinforced cab with glass and mirrors and complies with § 27-37-301 — 27-37-305 regarding safety glass and mirrors;

(e) Metal doors with functioning handle locks that are similar to the handle locks on motor vehicles;

(f) Head lamps as required under § 27-36-209;

(g) Tail lamps as required under § 27-36-215;

(h) Signal lamps as provided under § 27-36-216;

(i) A working horn as required under § 27-37-202(a);

(j) Seat belts as provided under §§ 27-37-701 et seq.; and

(k) Front and rear bumpers.

(B) A mini-truck may be equipped with a bed or cargo box for hauling materials.

(C) A mini-truck is not an all-terrain vehicle under § 27-20-201 — 27-20-208 and §§ 27-21-101 — 27-21-109.

(b)(1) The owner of a mini-truck may register and license it as a Class Eight farm vehicle under § 27-14-601(a)(3)(H).

(2) In the application to register the mini-truck, the owner of the mini-truck shall provide:

(A) The same affidavit as required under §§ 27-14-601(a)(3)(H)(v) and §§ 27-14-601(a)(3)(H)(xi);

(B) Proof of insurance as required under the Motor Vehicle Safety Responsibility Act, § 27-19-101 et seq., and § 27-22-101 — 27-22-107; and

(C) Proof of ownership that is in the English language to include a bill of sale and an export certificate or a title.

(3) The fees for registering and licensing a mini-truck shall be the

same as for registering a Class Eight farm vehicle under 27-14-601(a)(3)(H)(ii)(a).

(4) The driver of a mini-truck shall have a valid driver's license.

(5) The driver of a mini-truck that is registered and licensed under this section shall comply with and is subject to the same penalties for violating the rules of the road as provided under § 27-51-101 et seq.

(6) A mini-truck is a motor vehicle for the purposes of minimum insurance liability under the Motor Vehicle Safety Responsibility Act, § 27-19-101 et seq., and § 27-22-101 — 27-22-107.

(c) A mini-truck shall not be operated on an interstate highway.

(d) A mini-truck shall not be operated on a road or highway if:

(1) The operation of mini-trucks is prohibited;

(2) The road is a controlled-access highway;

(3) The posted speed limit is more than fifty-five (55) miles per hour; or

(4) The mini-truck cannot maintain a speed equal to the posted speed limit."

(SIGNED) SENATOR DENNY ALTES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 20 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 28, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 20, BY SENATOR ALTES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 20 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 28, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

Senate BILL NO. 108, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 108 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 28, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 112, BY SENATOR THOMPSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 28, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 75, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass, as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 28, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 120, BY SENATOR PERCY MALONE,
SENATE BILL NO. 225, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR W. PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 28, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 85, BY SENATOR KEY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR W. PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 28, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1014, BY REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1022, BY REPRESENTATIVE PENNARTZ,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1031, BY REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1044, BY REPRESENTATIVE PENNARTZ,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR W. PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 28, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 144, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 145, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 147, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 150, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 196, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

SENATE BILL NO. 203, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 207, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 232, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 28, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 206, BY SENATOR MILLER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 28, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1098, BY REPRESENTATIVE WEBB,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Trusty, House Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 1001 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1001
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY AND LEA
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF JUDGE RICHARD MOBLEY AND IN RECOGNITION OF HIS MANY CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND HIS LOCAL COMMUNITY.

House Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 1001 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 1001 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No.16 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 16
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING LETTERS OF CREDIT OR CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT FILED WITH THE PROFESSIONAL BAIL BOND COMPANY AND PROFESSIONAL BAIL BONDSMAN LICENSING BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 16 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 16 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 80 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 80
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS NONPROFIT CORPORATION ACT OF 1993; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 80 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 80 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 53 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 53

As Engrossed: S1/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO MAKE THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER SERVE AT THE PLEASURE OF THE GOVERNOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

Senate Bill No. 53 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 53 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1117 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1117
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE 2008 HOUSING ACT VOLUME CAP; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1117 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1117 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 220 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 220 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 221 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 221 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator Faris, House Bill No. 1019 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 194 was withdrawn from the Committee on Joint Budget, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 194

Amend Senate Bill No. 194 as originally introduced:

Delete Section 23 in its entirety and substitute the following:

" SECTION 23. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. TRANSFER PROVISION - INDUSTRY TRAINING. If during ~~either year of~~ the ~~2007-2009~~ fiscal ~~biennium~~ year, the Industry Training Division effects savings in Item ~~(05)~~ (08), ~~Industry Training Program~~ State Operations Section of this Act, such savings may be transferred to item (02), Extra Help or item (04), Maintenance and General Operations, of the ~~Industry Training~~ State Operations Section of this Act, after obtaining approval of the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State and after prior review by the Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee. In addition, if any savings are effected in ~~either year of~~ the ~~2007-2009~~ fiscal ~~biennium~~ year in item (04), Maintenance and General Operations, of the ~~Industry Training~~ State Operations Section of this Act, such savings may be transferred to item ~~(05)~~ (08), Industry Training Program, of the ~~Industry Training~~ State Operations Section of this Act, after obtaining approval of the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State and after prior approval by the Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee.

Determining the maximum number of employees and the maximum amount of appropriation and general revenue funding for a state agency each fiscal year is the prerogative of the General Assembly. This is usually accomplished by delineating such maximums in the appropriation act(s) for a state agency and the general revenue allocations authorized for each fund and fund account by amendment to the Revenue Stabilization law. Further, the General Assembly has determined that the Department of Economic Development may operate more efficiently if some flexibility is provided to the Department of Economic Development authorizing broad powers under this Section. Therefore, it is both necessary and appropriate that the General Assembly maintain oversight by requiring prior approval of the Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee as provided by this section. The requirement of approval by the Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee is not a severable part of this section. If the requirement of approval by the Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee is ruled unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, this entire section is void.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, ~~2007~~ 2009 through June 30, ~~2009~~ 2010."

(SIGNED) GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 194 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 37 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 37 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 37
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS BEEF COUNCIL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 37 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 37, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 37 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 42 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 42 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 42
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES, RESEARCH, PROMOTION AND CONSUMER ACTIVITIES FOR THE ARKANSAS CATFISH PROMOTION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 42 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 42, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

<vote> AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 27

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 42 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 44 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 44 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 44
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS BOARD OF HEALTH EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 44 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 44, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 27

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 44 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 51 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 51 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 51
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS BOARD OF EXAMINERS IN COUNSELING FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 51 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 51, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

<vote> AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 51 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 52 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 52 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 52
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE BURIAL ASSOCIATION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 52 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 52, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 52 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 57 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 57 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 57
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF EMBALMERS AND FUNERAL DIRECTORS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 57 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 57, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 57 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 84 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 84 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 84
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS TOWING AND RECOVERY BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 84 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 84, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 84 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 92 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 92 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 92
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 92 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 92, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 92 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 98 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 98 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 98
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 98 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 98, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 98 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 99 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baler, Senate Bill No. 99 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 99
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM - ARKANSAS HISTORY COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 99 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 99, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 99 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 109 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 109 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 109
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF COLLECTION AGENCIES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 109 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 109, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 109 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 111 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 111 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 111
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AERONAUTICS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 111 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 111, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 111 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 114 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 114 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 114
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR SALARIES AND EXPENSES OF THE GOVERNOR'S LEGISLATIVE LIAISONS, LEGISLATIVE CLERK, LEGISLATIVE ASSISTANT CLERK, LEGISLATIVE SENIOR ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT, LEGISLATIVE RECEPTIONIST AND LEGISLATIVE ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT DURING THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH SESSION OF THE ARKANSAS GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 114 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 114, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 114 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS TEAGUE, HORN & WILKINSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES COLE, GLIDEWELL, PENNARTZ, BREEDLOVE, ABERNATHY, RICE, R. GREEN, HARRELSON, L. COWLING, WELLS, S. MALONE & PYLE

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING THAT THE CONGRESS, THE ARKANSAS CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION, THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, AND THE DIRECTOR OF THE FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION ENSURE THAT A SIGNIFICANT PORTION OF FUNDING FOR TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE BE COMMITTED TO COMPLETE CONSTRUCTION OF I-49 BETWEEN TEXARKANA, ARKANSAS, AND FT. SMITH, ARKANSAS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS J. KEY AND LAVERTY

SENATE RESOLUTION IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF MR. CLIFFORD D. TOMLINSON.

Senate Memorial Resolution No. 1 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 253
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS FARIS AND B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION; TO MOVE THE DATE OF THE PRIMARY ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 253 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 254
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARRELSON, BARNETT & D. HUTCHINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENACT THE UNIFORM PRUDENT MANAGEMENT OF INSTITUTIONAL FUNDS ACT (2006); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 254 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Senate Bill No. 77 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1005
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF MISCELLANEOUS FUNDS USED IN CALCULATING FOUNDATION FUNDING FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1005 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1109
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THE STATE BOARD OF HEALTH POSSESSES SUBPOENA POWER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1109 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1119

As Engrossed: H1/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES KERR, *ENGLISH & J. BURRIS*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT *WIRELESS* TELEPHONE USE BY DRIVERS WHO ARE UNDER EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE; TO REQUIRE DRIVERS WHO ARE EIGHTEEN TO TWENTY YEARS OF AGE TO USE HANDS-FREE *WIRELESS* TELEPHONES; TO PROHIBIT DRIVERS WHO ARE EIGHTEEN TO TWENTY YEARS OF AGE FROM USING HANDHELD *WIRELESS* TELEPHONES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1119 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1154

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THE EFFECTIVE DATE FOR THE RECEIPT OF BENEFITS BY SURVIVING SPOUSES OF A DECEASED MEMBER OF THE POLICEMEN'S PENSION AND RELIEF FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1154 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1170
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LOWERY, MALOCH, REYNOLDS, HAWKINS & HOYT
BY: SENATORS TRUSTY, B. JOHNSON, MILLER & CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW FLEXIBILITY IN THE REPORTING OF SEVERED NATURAL GAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1170 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1171
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF THE THIRTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT A DIVISION A PROSECUTOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1171 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 28, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 77, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATOR SALMON ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copy with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 2:45 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 77

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 28th day of January 2009, at 2:45 p.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J. D. Lowery
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 28, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 194, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 194 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on Joint Budget.

On motion of Senator Madison and without objection, the Governor requested to return Senate Bill No. 77 for further consideration.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

ARKANSAS SENATE

State Capitol

Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate
State Capitol, Room 320
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

January 28, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
Executive Chambers
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas

Dear Governor Beebe:

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate, of Senate Bill 77.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of Senate

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STATE OF ARKANSAS
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
State Capitol
Little Rock 72201

January 28, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT:

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on January 28, 2009, I returned Senate Bill 77 as requested by the Senate.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

Senate Bill No. 77 returned from the Governor as requested.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS 72201

January 26, 2009

The Honorable Bob Johnson
Senate President Pro Tempore
State Chambers, State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Senator Johnson:

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Constitution of Arkansas, I am submitting the following appointments to be confirmed.

I respectfully submit these appointments to your honorable body and request that they be
Confirmed.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
GOVERNOR

SENATOR STEVE BRYLES
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Bruce Harlan Mississippi County	January 14, 2015	State Crime Laboratory Board
Roger Pohlner Poinsett County	June 30, 2010	Arkansas Rice Research and Promotion Board
Judge Steve McGuire Mississippi County	June 1, 2012	Ar. Workforce Investment Board
Bobby Gammill Mississippi County	July 1, 2012	Boll Weevil Eradication Committee
Dr. Anes Abraham Mississippi County	December 31, 2008	Arkansas Northeastern College Board Trustees
Mike Gibson Mississippi County	January 14, 2014	Arkansas State University Board of Trustees

SENATOR JIM LUKER
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Terry Woodward Cross County	June 1, 2011	State Board of Embalmers and Funeral Directors
Phyllis Stinson Monroe County	June 8, 2013	Mississippi River Parkway Commission
Bryan Moery Cross County	June 30, 2010	Arkansas Rice Research and Promotion Board
William "Bart" Turner Crittenden County	June 30, 2010	Arkansas Wheat Promotion Board
Tim Smith Monroe County	June 30, 2010	Arkansas Wheat Promotion Board

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Michael Richardson Monroe County	July 1, 2010	Arkansas Corn and Grain Sorghum Promotion Board
Frances Harper Monroe County	June 30, 2013	Crowley's Ridge Technical Institute Board of Directors

SENATOR TRACY STEELE
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Delois Sykes Pulaski County	July 1, 2010	Emergency Medical Services Advisory Board
Glenna Butler Pulaski County	June 22, 2011	Arkansas Towing and Recovery Board
Debbie Hoofman Pulaski County	January 14, 2012	Keep Arkansas Beautiful Commission

SENATOR HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Sherica Smith Jefferson County	June 1, 2010	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities

Cora Bradshaw Lincoln County	April 26, 2013	Ar. State Board of Architects
Donald Warren Jefferson County	June 1, 2011	State Bd. of Embalmers and Funeral Directors
Clifford Flowers Jefferson County	July 7, 2015	Southeast Ar. College Board of Trustees

January 28, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Steve Bryles, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Bruce Harlan Mississippi County	January 14, 2015	State Crime Laboratory Board
Roger Pohlner Poinsett County	June 30, 2010	Arkansas Rice Research and Promotion Board
Judge Steve McGuire Mississippi County	June 1, 2012	Ar. Workforce Investment Board
Bobby Gammill Mississippi County	July 1, 2012	Boll Weevil Eradication Committee
Dr. Anes Abraham Mississippi County	December 31, 2008	Arkansas Northeastern College Board Trustees

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Mike Gibson Mississippi County	January 14, 2014	Arkansas State University Board of Trustees

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

AC/as
Cc: The Honorable Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State
Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

January 28, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Jim Luker, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Terry Woodward Cross County	June 1, 2011	State Board of Embalmers and Funeral Directors
Phyllis Stinson Monroe County	June 8, 2013	Mississippi River Parkway Commission
Bryan Moery Cross County	June 30, 2010	Arkansas Rice Research and Promotion Board
William "Bart" Turner Crittenden County	June 30, 2010	Arkansas Wheat Promotion Board
Tim Smith Monroe County	June 30, 2010	Arkansas Wheat Promotion Board

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Michael Richardson Monroe County	July 1, 2010	Arkansas Corn and Grain Sorghum Promotion Board
Frances Harper Monroe County	June 30, 2013	Crowley's Ridge Technical Institute Board of Directors

Respectfully submitted,

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January 28, 2009

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Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Tracy Steele, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Delois Sykes Pulaski County	July 1, 2010	Emergency Medical Services Advisory Board
Glenna Butler Pulaski County	June 22, 2011	Arkansas Towing and Recovery Board
Debbie Hoofman Pulaski County	January 14, 2012	Keep Arkansas Beautiful Commission

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

AC/as
Cc: The Honorable Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State

Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Henry "Hank" Wilkins, IV, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Sherica Smith Jefferson County	June 1, 2010	Governor's Commission on People with Disabilities
Cora Bradshaw Lincoln County	April 26, 2013	Arkansas State Board of Architects
Donald Warren Jefferson County	June 1, 2011	State Board of Embalmers and Funeral Directors

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Clifford Flowers Jefferson County	July 7, 2015	Southeast Arkansas College Board of Trustees

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

AC/as
Cc: The Honorable Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State
Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE

AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 16

SENATE BILL NO. 37

SENATE BILL NO. 42

SENATE BILL NO. 44

SENATE BILL NO. 51

SENATE BILL NO. 52

SENATE BILL NO. 53

SENATE BILL NO. 57

SENATE BILL NO. 80

SENATE BILL NO. 84

SENATE BILL NO. 92

SENATE BILL NO. 98

SENATE BILL NO. 99

SENATE BILL NO. 109

SENATE BILL NO. 111

SENATE BILL NO. 114

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1117

HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN

HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1001

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 77

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1005
HOUSE BILL NO. 1109
HOUSE BILL NO. 1119
HOUSE BILL NO. 1154
HOUSE BILL NO. 1170
HOUSE BILL NO. 1171

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Thursday, January 29, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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EIGHTEENTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

January 29, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 11:00 o'clock a.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Altes.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 7 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 7

Amend Senate Bill No. 7 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 25 and 26, and substitute the following:

"(1) "Biomass" means any organic product or byproduct derived from trees, plants, or other biological matter, including limbs, bark, and other cellulosic material, byproducts from wood pulping, and other biologically-derived materials, including organic fibers and wastewater treatment solids."

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALTES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 7 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 70 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 70

Amend Senate Bill No. 70 as originally introduced:

By deleting Section 2 and substituting the following:
"SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 12-12-209(c) is amended to read as follows to conform the culpable mental state element of a criminal offense to a culpable mental state defined in the Arkansas Criminal Code and to correctly classify the criminal offense:

(c) ~~Any~~ A sheriff, chief of police, city marshal, correction official, prosecuting attorney, court clerk, or other state, county, ~~and~~ or local official who ~~shall willfully fail~~ knowingly fails to comply with ~~the provisions of~~ this subchapter or any ~~regulation~~ rule issued by the board carrying out ~~the provisions of~~ this subchapter ~~shall be found~~ upon conviction is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor and upon conviction~~ violation and shall be punished by a fine not exceeding five hundred dollars ($500).

AND

By deleting Section 5 and substituting the following:
"SECTION 5. Arkansas Code § 12-12-504(a)-(c) is amended to read as follows to clarify the culpable mental state required to commit the criminal offenses, clarify the criminal offenses, and make stylistic changes:

(a)(1) ~~Any~~ A person or an official negligently ~~or willfully~~ failing to make notification when required by this subchapter ~~shall be~~ upon conviction is guilty of a Class C misdemeanor.

(2) ~~Any~~ A person or an official ~~willfully~~ knowingly making false notification ~~pursuant to~~ under this subchapter~~, knowing such allegations to be false, shall be~~ upon conviction is guilty of a Class A misdemeanor.

(3) ~~Any~~ A person or an official ~~willfully~~ knowingly making false notification ~~pursuant to~~ under this subchapter~~, knowing such allegations to be false,~~ and who has been previously convicted of ~~making willful false allegations shall be~~ violating subdivision (a)(2) of this section upon conviction is guilty of a Class D felony.

(b) ~~Any~~ A person, an official, or an institution required by this subchapter to make notification of suspected child maltreatment who willfully fails to do so ~~shall be~~ is civilly liable for damages proximately caused by that failure.

(c) ~~Any~~ A person ~~who willfully permits, and any other person who encourages,~~ knowingly permitting or encouraging the release of data or information contained in the central registry to ~~persons~~ a person to whom disclosure is not permitted by this subchapter ~~shall be~~ upon conviction is guilty of a Class A misdemeanor."

AND

Delete Section 11, and substitute the following:
"SECTION 11. Arkansas Code § 12-12-1717(e) is amended to read as follows to conform the culpable mental state element of a criminal offense to a culpable mental state defined in the Arkansas Criminal Code and make stylistic changes:

(e) ~~Any~~ A person who ~~willfully~~ knowingly permits ~~and any other person who~~ or encourages the release of data or information contained in the adult and long-term care facility resident maltreatment central registry to a person not permitted by this subchapter to receive the data or information upon conviction is guilty of a Class A misdemeanor."

AND

Delete Section 12 , and substitute the following:
"SECTION 12. Arkansas Code § 12-12-1720 is amended to read as follows to conform the culpable mental state element of criminal offenses to a culpable mental state defined in the Arkansas Criminal Code, clarify criminal offenses, and make stylistic changes:

12-12-1720. Penalties.

(a) ~~Any~~ A person or caregiver required by this subchapter to report a case of suspected adult maltreatment or long-term care facility resident maltreatment who purposely fails to do so ~~shall be~~ upon conviction is guilty of a Class B misdemeanor.

(b) ~~Any~~ A person or caregiver required by this subchapter to report a case of suspected adult maltreatment or long-term care facility resident maltreatment who purposely fails to do so ~~shall be~~ is civilly liable for damages proximately caused by the failure.

(c) ~~Any~~ A person, an official, or an institution ~~willfully~~ knowingly making false notification under this subchapter ~~knowing the allegations to be false shall be~~ upon conviction is guilty of a Class A misdemeanor.

(d) ~~Any~~ A person, an official, or an institution ~~willfully~~ knowingly making false notification under this subchapter ~~knowing the allegations to be false~~ and who has been previously convicted of ~~making false allegations shall be~~ violating subsection (c) of this section upon conviction is guilty of a Class D felony.

(e) ~~Any~~ A person who ~~willfully~~ knowingly permits ~~and any other person who~~ or encourages the release of data or information contained in the adult and long-term care facility resident maltreatment central registry to a person to whom disclosure is not permitted under this subchapter ~~shall be~~ upon conviction is guilty of a Class A misdemeanor.

(f) ~~Any~~ A person required to report a death as the result of suspected adult maltreatment or long-term care facility resident maltreatment who knowingly fails to make the report in the manner and time provided in this subchapter ~~shall be~~ upon conviction is guilty of a Class C misdemeanor.

(g) ~~Any~~ A person required to report suspected adult maltreatment or long-term care facility resident maltreatment who knowingly fails to make the report in the manner and time provided in this subchapter ~~shall be~~ upon conviction is guilty of a Class C misdemeanor.

AND

Page 7, delete lines 34 through 36

AND

Page 8, delete line 1 and substitute the following:

"(c)(1) All drug crime special assessments collected shall ~~be paid to the treasurer of the applicable city or county and transmitted to the Department of Finance and Administration~~ be remitted by the county official, city official, agency, or department designated in § 16-13-709 as primarily responsible for the collection of fines assessed in the circuit courts, district courts, or city courts on or before the fifteenth day of each month to the Administration of Justice Fund Section of the Office of Administrative Services of the Department of Finance and Administration, for deposit into the State Drug Crime Enforcement and Prosecution Grant Fund, as established by § 12-17-102.

(2) A form provided by the section identifying the amount of the special assessments shall be transmitted with the collected special assessments."

AND

Page 10, line 22, delete the word "preparedness" and substitute the word "management"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 70 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 28 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 28

Amend Senate Bill No. 28 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 11, delete "CELLULAR" and substitute "WIRELESS"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO PROHIBIT A DRIVER UNDER EIGHTEEN (18) YEARS OF AGE FROM OPERATING A MOTOR VEHICLE WHILE USING A WIRELESS TELEPHONE DEVICE."

AND

Page 1, line 25, delete "cellular" and substitute "wireless"

AND

Page 1, line 28, delete "cellular" and substitute "wireless"

(SIGNED) SENATOR HENDREN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 28 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 31 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 31

Amend Senate Bill No. 31 as originally introduced:

Add the following Senator as a cosponsor of the bill:

Senator Faris

AND

Page 1, line 10, delete "CELLULAR" and substitute "WIRELESS"

AND

Page 1, line 12, delete "CELLULAR" and substitute "WIRELESS"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO REQUIRE A DRIVER OF A MOTOR VEHICLE
TO USE A HANDS-FREE WIRELESS TELEPHONE
DEVICE WHILE DRIVING ON A PUBLIC
HIGHWAY."

AND

Page 1, line 27, delete "cellular" and substitute "wireless"

AND

Page 1, delete line 29 and substitute:

"(a)(1) As used in this section, "hands-free mode" means the use of a wireless telephone that allows a user to engage in conversation or communication without the use of either hand by means of:

(A) An internal feature or function; or

(B) An attachment or additional device.

(2) Hands-free mode may be a permanent or temporary part of the wireless telephone or other wireless communication device.

(3) Hands-free mode may require the use of either hand to activate, deactivate, or initiate a function of the wireless telephone.

(b) Except as provided in subsection (c) of this section, it is"

AND

Page 1, line 30, delete "cellular" and substitute "wireless"

AND

Page 1, delete line 32 and substitute:

"(c) A person shall use a wireless telephone device while operating a"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 4 and substitute:

"wireless telephone with hands-free mode; and

(B) Is using the wireless telephone in hands-free mode;"

AND

Page 2, line 15, delete "parked" and substitute "stopped"

AND

Page 2, delete line 16 and substitute:

"(d) A person who violates subsection (b) of this section shall be"

AND

Page 2, delete line 25 and substitute:

"(e) A violation of subsection (b) of this section shall be a secondary"

AND

Page 2, line 28, delete "(e)" and substitute "(f)"

AND

Page 3, line 2, delete "(f)" and substitute "(g)"

AND

Page 3, line 4, delete "(g)" and substitute "(h)"

AND

Page 3, delete line 8 and substitute:

"subdivision (d)(2) of this section.

(i) This section supersedes and preempts all county or municipal ordinances regarding the use of a handheld wireless telephone by an operator of a motor vehicle.

(SIGNED) SENATOR HENDREN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 31 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 220 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 220

Amend Senate Bill No. 220 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 22, delete "." and substitute "under §§ 24-10-101 et seq., and 24-11-101 et seq., so that:

"(1) The total police and fire payroll for each participating community is calculated;

(2) Each governmental unit's percentage of the total payroll for all participating governments is calculated; and

(3) Governmental units with the same or similar percentage, as determined in subsection (2) above, will receive the same proportion of funds."

(SIGNED) SENATOR LAVERTY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 220 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 104 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 104

Amend Senate Bill No. 104 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives McCrary and Barnett as cosponsors of the bill.

AND

Page 2, line 11, add the following:

"SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 27-64-405(b) and (c), concerning elections under the Arkansas Interstate Highway Financing Act of 2007, are amended to read as follows:

(b) The notice of election shall state that the election is to be held for the purpose of submitting to the people the following proposition, in substantially the form set forth herein:

"Authorizing the State Highway Commission to issue State of Arkansas Federal Highway Grant Anticipation and Tax Revenue Bonds (the "Bonds") from time to time provided that the total principal amount outstanding from the issuance of such bonds, together with the total principal amount outstanding from the issuance of bonds pursuant to Arkansas Highway Financing Act of 1999, § 27-64-201 et seq., shall not, at any time, exceed five hundred seventy-five million dollars ($575,000,000). If approved, the bonds will be issued in one or more series of various principal amounts, with the last series being issued no later than December 31, ~~2013~~ 2015. The bonds shall be issued for the purpose of paying the cost of constructing and renovating improvements to interstate highways and related facilities in the State of Arkansas.

The bonds shall be general obligations of the State of Arkansas, payable from certain designated revenues and also secured by the full faith and credit of the State of Arkansas, including its general revenues. Pursuant to the Arkansas Interstate Highway Financing Act of 2007 (the "Bond Act"), the bonds will be repaid first from: (1) revenues derived from federal highway assistance funding allocated to the State of Arkansas designated as federal highway interstate maintenance funds, and (2) revenue derived from the increase in the excise tax levied on distillate special fuels (diesel) pursuant to section 2 of the "Arkansas Distillate Special Fuel Excise Tax Act of 1999" and the "Motor Fuel Excise Tax Act of 1999" and transferred to the State Highway and Transportation Department Fund pursuant to § 27-70-207(c) in accordance with section 4(a) of the "Arkansas Distillate Special Fuel Excise Tax Act of 1999" and the "Motor Fuel Excise Tax Act of 1999." To the extent that designated revenues are insufficient to make timely payment of debt service on the bonds, such payment shall be made from the general revenues of the State of Arkansas. The bonds shall be issued pursuant to the authority of and the terms set forth in the Bond Act.

Pursuant to the Bond Act, the highway improvements to be financed are limited to the restoration and improvements to all of the interstate highway system within the state, including roadways, bridges, or rights-of-way under jurisdiction of the State Highway Commission, which shall also include the acquisition, construction, reconstruction, and renovation of such interstate highway system and facilities appurtenant or pertaining thereto.

Pursuant to the Bond Act, “designated revenues” are defined as: (1) that portion designated by the commission of all funds received or to be received from the federal government as federal highway interstate maintenance funds, and (2) revenues derived from the increase in taxes levied on distillate special fuels pursuant to section 2 of the “Arkansas Distillate Special Fuel Excise Tax Act of 1999” and the “Motor Fuel Excise Tax Act of 1999” and transferred to the State Highway and Transportation Department Fund pursuant to Arkansas Code § 27-70-207(c) in accordance with section 4(a) of the “Arkansas Distillate Special Fuel Excise Tax Act of 1999” and the “Motor Fuel Excise Tax Act of 1999.” Designated revenues shall not include the revenues derived from the increase in tax on motor fuel (gasoline) resulting from the “Arkansas Distillate Special Fuel Excise Tax Act of 1999” and the “Motor Fuel Excise Tax Act of 1999”. The bonds are further secured by the full faith and credit of the State of Arkansas, and to the extent “designated revenues” are insufficient to make timely payment of debt service on the bonds, the general revenues of the state shall be used to pay debt service on the bonds."

(c) The ballot title shall be “Issuance of State of Arkansas Federal Highway Grant Anticipation and Tax Revenue Bonds and pledge of full faith and credit of the State of Arkansas.” On each ballot there shall be printed the title, the proposition set forth in § 27-64-406 and the following:

“FOR authorizing the State Highway Commission to issue State of Arkansas Federal Highway Grant Anticipation and Tax Revenue Bonds from time to time provided that the total principal amount outstanding from the issuance of such bonds, together with the total principal amount outstanding from the issuance of bonds pursuant to the Arkansas Highway Financing Act of 1999, Arkansas Code § 27-64-201 et seq., shall not, at any time, exceed five hundred seventy-five million dollars ($575,000,000); such bonds to be issued in one or more series of various principal amounts, with the last series being issued no later than December 31, ~~2013~~ 2015, and to be secured by the full faith and credit of the State of Arkansas . . . . . [ ]”

“AGAINST authorizing the State Highway Commission to issue State of Arkansas Federal Highway Grant Anticipation and Tax Revenue Bonds from time to time provided that the total principal amount outstanding from the issuance of such bonds, together with the total principal amount outstanding from the issuance of bonds pursuant to the Arkansas Highway Financing Act of 1999, Arkansas Code § 27-64-201 et seq., shall not, at any time, exceed five hundred seventy-five million dollars ($575,000,000); such bonds to be issued in one or more series of various principal amounts, with the last series being issued no later than December 31, ~~2013~~ 2015, and to be secured by the full faith and credit of the State of Arkansas . . . . . [ ]”

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 27-64-412(a), concerning refunding of bonds, is amended to read as follows:

(a) The State Highway Commission may issue bonds for the purpose of refunding bonds previously issued pursuant to this act; provided, however, that such bonds are not issued after December 31, ~~2013~~ 2015, and that the total amount of bonds outstanding after the refunding is completed does not exceed the total amount authorized by this act."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GLOVER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 104 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 2 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No.1 to SENATE BILL NO. 2

Amend Senate Bill No. 2 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete all the language below the enacting clause and substitute the following language:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 26-52-316(a), concerning services subject to the gross receipts tax, is amended to read as follows:

26-52-316. Services subject to tax.

(a) The gross proceeds or gross receipts derived from the following services are subject to this chapter:

(1) Wrecker and towing services;

(2) Collection and disposal of solid wastes;

(3) The cleaning of parking lots and gutters;

(4) Dry cleaning and laundry services;

(5) Industrial laundry services;

~~(6) Mini-warehouse and self-storage rental services;~~

~~(7)~~(6) Body piercing, tattooing, and electrolysis services;

~~(8)~~(7) Pest control services;

~~(9)~~(8) Security and alarm monitoring services;

~~(10)~~(9) Boat storage and docking fees;

~~(11)~~(10) The furnishing of camping spaces or trailer spaces at public or privately-owned campgrounds, except for federal campgrounds, on less than a month-to-month basis;

~~(12)~~(11) Locksmith services; and

~~(13)~~(12) Pet grooming and kennel services.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 26-52-316, concerning the imposition of the gross receipts tax on services, is amended to add a new subsection to read as follows:

(c)(1) The gross receipts tax levied on mini-warehouse and self-storage rental services shall be at the same rate as the services subject to the gross receipts tax under subsection (a) of this section.

(2) Effective July 1, 2010, in lieu of the gross receipts tax levied on mini-warehouse and self-storage rental services that may be levied under §§ 26-52-301 and 26-52-302, and under subdivision (c)(1) of this section, there is levied a tax of three percent (3%) on the gross receipts or gross proceeds on mini-warehouse and self-storage rental services.

(3) Effective July 1, 2011, the gross receipts tax levied on mini-warehouse and self-storage rental services that may be levied under §§ 26-52-301, 26-52-302, and under this section is repealed."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GLOVER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 2 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 29, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 2, BY SENATOR GLOVER,
SENATE BILL NO. 7, BY SENATOR ALTES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 2 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 7 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 29, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 28, BY SENATOR HENDREN,
SENATE BILL NO. 31, BY SENATOR HENDREN,
SENATE BILL NO. 104, BY SENATORS GLOVER AND CAPPS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 28 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 31 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 104 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 29, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 70, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 70 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 29, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 220, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 220 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 29, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 133, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,
Senate Bill No. 218, BY SENATOR ALTES,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 29, 2009

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 142, BY SENATOR PRITCHARD,
SENATE BILL NO. 230, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 29, 2009

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1018, BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1050, BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1129, BY REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 29, 2009

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1019, BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2 having receded from its previous action on Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 29, 2009

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 86, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 246, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 250, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Memorial Resolution No. 1 was read for the third time and final disposition.

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS J. KEY AND LAVERTY

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF MR. CLIFFORD D. TOMLINSON.

Senate Memorial Resolution No. 1 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Memorial Resolution No. 1 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 75 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 75

Amend Senate Bill No. 75 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 29 and substitute the following:
"in light of the repeal of § 1-2-305 and to insert additional programs and funds that also receive installments from the State Administration of Justice Fund:"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 30 and 31 and substitute the following:
"authorized by § 16-10-133; ~~and~~
~~(17)~~ (16) The Department of Arkansas State Police Fund~~.~~;
(17) The State Central Services Fund for the benefit of the Administrative Office of the Courts Division of Dependency-Neglect Representation;
(18) The Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account for the benefit of the State Crime Laboratory;

(19) The District Judges Association for the District Court Coordinator;
(20) The Public Legal Aid Fund;
(21) The Administrative Office of the Courts for the county reimbursements for jurors; and
(22) The Administrative Office of the Courts to reimburse the State Central Services Fund for the Drug Court Coordinator."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 33 through 36

AND

Page 3, delete lines 1 through 7

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent section

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 75 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 85 was placed back on second reading for purpose of amendment.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 85

Amend Senate Bill No. 85 as originally introduced:

Immediately following SECTION 1 add an additional section to read as follows:
"SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that recent disasters have created a serious shortage of human blood; that to prevent future shortages, the pool of donors must be increased; and that this act is immediately necessary because a broad, new pool of blood donors will become available to help alleviate the immediate shortage and to prevent future shortages of human blood. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;
(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or
(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

(SIGNED) SENATOR KEY

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 85 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Malone, Senate Bill No. 120 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 120
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE LAW REGARDING PHARMACISTS AND PHARMACIES; TO CLARIFY THE REGULATORY AUTHORITY OF THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 120 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 120 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator R. Thompson, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 112 at this time.

On motion of Senator R. Thompson, Senate Bill No. 112 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 112

Amend Senate Bill No. 112 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Moore as a cosponsor of the bill.

(SIGNED) Senator R. Thompson

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 112 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator R. Thompson, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator R. Thompson, Senate Bill No. 112 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 112
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO DESIGNATE THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE A LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 112 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 112, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 112 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 225 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 225
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOBBS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE JOB CLASSIFICATIONS OF EMPLOYEES OF STATE AGENCIES OR DEPARTMENTS WHO PROVIDE FAMILY SERVICES, SOCIAL SERVICES, OR ADULT PROTECTIVE SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 225 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 225 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Miller, Senate Bill No. 206 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 206

As Engrossed: S1/27/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MILLER

BY: REPRESENTATIVES EVERETT AND COOPER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING APPOINTMENTS TO THE LOCAL BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF TECHNICAL COLLEGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 206 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 206, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 206 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1098 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1098
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW STUDENTS WHO HAVE COMPLETED PRE-K TO ENROLL IN KINDERGARTEN IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson House Bill No. 1098 was pulled down at this time.

On motion of Senator Johnson, House Bill No. 1036 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1036
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES INGRAM AND DAVIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE SALE OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES FOR ON-PREMISES CONSUMPTION AT RESTAURANTS LOCATED IN THE SAME CITY AS A LARGE ATTENDANCE FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1036 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1036 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Steele, House Bill No. 1022 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1022

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES PENNARTZ, SHELBY, ADCOCK, J. ROEBUCK, HALL, HAWKINS, GASKILL, COOPER, RAGLAND & WELLS

BY: SENATORS STEELE, TRUSTY, LAVERTY, BAKER & HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE ADDITIONAL FUNDING FOR THE NURSING STUDENT LOAN PROGRAM; TO PROMOTE TEACHING IN NURSING EDUCATION PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1022 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1022, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1022 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

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EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 29, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 62, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 29, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1009, BY: REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1023, BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENNARTZ,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 144 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 145 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 145 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 145
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION OF FUNDS TO ALLEVIATE CONDITIONS ARISING IN PUBLIC EMERGENCIES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 145 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 145, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 145 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 147 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 147 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 147

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS PSYCHOLOGY BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 147 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 147, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 147 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 150 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 150 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 150
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE PAROLE BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 150 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 150, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 150 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 196 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 196 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 196
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OFFICE OF LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 196 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 196, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 196 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 203 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 203 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 203
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, THE BUREAU OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH, AND THE INTERIM COMMITTEES OF THE ARKANSAS GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 203 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 203, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 203 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 207 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 207 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 207
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SENTENCING COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 207 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 207, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 207 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 232 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 232 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 232

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE CAPITOL ZONING DISTRICT COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 232 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 232, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 232 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

SENATE BILL NO. 255
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE GROSS VEHICLE WEIGHT RATING USED IN THE DEFINITION OF MOTOR VEHICLE UNDER THE ARKANSAS NEW MOTOR VEHICLE QUALITY ASSURANCE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 255 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 256
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 16-17-1105(a) TO ADD ALPENA AND SALESVILLE TO THE LIST OF CITY COURTS TO BE CONSOLIDATED WITH DISTRICT COURTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 256 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 257
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OFFICIAL COURT REPORTERS OF THE CIRCUIT COURTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 257 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 29, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 75, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 85, BY SENATOR KEY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 5
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

RECOGNIZING NATIONAL WEAR RED DAY.

Senate Resolution No. 5 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 29, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 112, BY SENATOR THOMPSON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No. 112 was transmitted to the House.

SENATE BILL NO. 258
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MAXWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A "GROWTH POOL" OF POSITIONS FOR STATE-SUPPORTED FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 258 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 259
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MAXWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A "GROWTH POOL" OF POSITIONS FOR STATE-SUPPORTED TWO-YEAR INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 259 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1268
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH
BY: SENATOR BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ACT 3 OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF 2009, THE GENERAL APPROPRIATION ACT FOR THE ORDINARY EXPENSES OF THE EXECUTIVE, JUDICIAL AND LEGISLATIVE BRANCHES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1268 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 6
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

TO HONOR THE OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENTS OF CLIFF LEE, MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL'S 2008 AMERICAN LEAGUE CY YOUNG AWARD WINNER.

Senate Resolution No. 6 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 260
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 260 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 261
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR MAINTAINING AND OPERATING A CONTINUING EDUCATION PROGRAM FOR THE COUNTY CLERKS, CIRCUIT CLERKS, COUNTY TREASURERS, AND COUNTY COLLECTORS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 261 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 262
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 262 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 263
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE PAYMENT OF A PORTION OF FULL-TIME JUVENILE PROBATION AND INTAKE OFFICERS' SALARIES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 263 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 264
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR ALLOCATION OF THE FEDERAL BANKHEAD-JONES GRANTS AND FEDERAL TURNBACK FOR ROADS BY THE AUDITOR OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 264 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 265
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, SUBSTITUTE EXPENSES, AND EXPENSE ALLOWANCE OF THE TRIAL COURT ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANTS OF THE CIRCUIT COURTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 265 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 266
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPUTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 266 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1004
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND

REQUESTING THE ARKANSAS CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION AND THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES TO SUPPORT HORSE PROCESSING FACILITIES.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1004 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1011
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. HUTCHINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO FURTHER DEFINE THE CRIMINAL ACT OF VOYEURISM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1011 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1013

As Engrossed: H1/23/09 H1/28/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES KIDD, BLOUNT, CARROLL, COOK, EVERETT, J. ROGERS, L. SMITH, STEWART, *WILLS, ALLEN, DALE, J. EDWARDS, GLIDEWELL, HALL, HOYT, LOVELL, PATTERSON, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, SAMPLE, SHELBY, WAGNER, B. WILKINS & WORD*

BY: SENATORS LAVERTY AND D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE SAFETY OF ROADS FOR ALL DRIVERS AND PASSENGERS BY PROHIBITING DRIVERS OF MOTOR VEHICLES FROM USING HANDHELD *WIRELESS TELEPHONES TO ENGAGE IN TEXT MESSAGING;* AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

House Bill No. 1013 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1041

As Engrossed: H1/28/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE, *T. BAKER, LEA, M. MARTIN, NIX, PYLE, WAGNER & B. WILKINS*

BY: SENATORS *D. JOHNSON* AND BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE PENALTY CLASSIFICATION FOR THE OFFENSE OF DOMESTIC BATTERING IN THE THIRD DEGREE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1041 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1085
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE PROCESS FOR SELECTION OF CERTAIN CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS IN CITIES OF THE FIRST CLASS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1085 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1118
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES MAY SELECT A DESIGNEE TO SERVE ON HIS OR HER BEHALF ON THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE PRINTING REQUIREMENTS AND SPECIFICATIONS AND ON THE JOINT INTERIM COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1118 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1144
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SELECTION OF MEMBERS OF MUNICIPAL AIRPORT COMMISSIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1144 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1182
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE REIMBURSEMENT OF TIPS FOR COUNTY PERSONNEL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1182 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 39 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 50 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1043
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE CORONER'S ADVISORY TASK FORCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1043 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1146
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE FIREWORK SALES TO BE AT LEAST FIFTY FEET FROM MOTOR VEHICLE FUEL DISPENSING STATION DISPENSERS, RETAIL PROPANE DISPENSING STATION DISPENSERS, ABOVE-GROUND STORAGE TANKS FOR FLAMMABLE OR COMBUSTIBLE LIQUIDS, FLAMMABLE GASES OR FLAMMABLE LIQUEFIED GASES, AND COMPRESSED NATURAL GAS DISPENSING FACILITIES; TO REQUIRE "NO SMOKING" SIGNS AT EACH ENTRANCE TO A FIREWORK RETAIL SALES AREA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1146 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1147
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE APPLICATION PERIOD FOR FIREWORK PUBLIC DISPLAY PERMITS FROM TWO DAYS TO FIVE DAYS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1147 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1152
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE FIREWORK SHOOTER'S LICENSING PERIOD TO START WHEN THE APPLICATION IS APPROVED TO ALLOW FOR A FULL FIVE-YEAR LICENSING PERIOD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1152 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1214
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, COOK, BLOUNT, STEWART, NIX, ABERNATHY, SAUNDERS, RAINEY, HOYT, BETTS, T. BRADFORD & CHEATHAM
BY: SENATORS J. JEFFRESS AND ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE RULES AND PROCEDURES OF THE PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE STANDARDS BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1214 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

January 29, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 39, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 50, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 3:45 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 39

SENATE BILL NO. 50

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 29 day of January, 2009 at 3:45 p.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) SARAH S. AGEE
Secretary

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 112

SENATE BILL NO. 120

SENATE BILL NO. 145

SENATE BILL NO. 147

SENATE BILL NO. 150

SENATE BILL NO. 196

SENATE BILL NO. 203

SENATE BILL NO. 206

SENATE BILL NO. 207

SENATE BILL NO. 225

SENATE BILL NO. 232

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1022

HOUSE BILL NO. 1036

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 39

SENATE BILL NO. 50

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1011

HOUSE BILL NO. 1013

HOUSE BILL NO. 1041

HOUSE BILL NO. 1043

HOUSE BILL NO. 1085

HOUSE BILL NO. 1118

HOUSE BILL NO. 1144

HOUSE BILL NO. 1146

HOUSE BILL NO. 1147

HOUSE BILL NO. 1152

HOUSE BILL NO. 1182

HOUSE BILL NO. 1214

HOUSE BILL NO. 1268

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED

TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 1004

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m, Monday, February 2, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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TWENTY-SECOND DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

February 2, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Teague.

Senator Taylor requested leave for Senator Trusty.

Senator Pritchard requested leave for Senator Key.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 8 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 8

Amend Senate Bill No. 8 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 25 and 26, and substitute the following:

"(1) "Biomass" means any organic product or byproduct derived from trees, plants, or other biological matter, including limbs, bark, and other cellulosic material, byproducts from wood pulping, and other biologically-derived materials, including organic fibers and wastewater treatment solids."

(SIGNED) SENATOR DENNY ALTES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 8 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 253 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 253

Amend Senate Bill No. 253 as originally introduced:

Add Senator Baker as a cosponsor of the bill

AND
Add Representative Saunders as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete lines 10 through 11 and substitute the following:

"PRIMARY ELECTION; TO MOVE THE DATE OF THE GENERAL PRIMARY ELECTION TO AUGUST; TO MOVE THE DATE OF THE PREFERENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION TO JULY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Immediately following SECTION 1, add an additional section to read as follows:

"SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 7-5-203 is amended to read as follows:
7-5-203. Certification of candidate lists.
(a) Not less than ~~seventy-five (75)~~ seventy (70) days before each general election day, the Secretary of State shall certify to all county boards of election commissioners a full ~~lists~~ list of all United States, state, and district candidates to be voted for in their respective counties as ~~the nominations have been certified to him or her~~ nominated in party primary elections, by petition, notice, or as otherwise may be provided in law.
(b) Not less than seventy-five (75) days before each general election day, the clerk of each county shall certify to the county board of his or her county a full list of all county, township, municipal, and other local candidates to be voted for in the county as ~~the nominations have been certified to him or her~~ nominated in party primary elections, by petition, notice, or as otherwise provided in law.
(c) However, in special elections held to fill vacancies or to elect officers in case of a tie vote, the certification shall issue at the time specified in the writ of election issued by the appropriately constituted authority."

AND

Page 6, delete lines 26 through 36 and Page 7, delete lines 1 through 14 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 5. Arkansas Code § 7-7-203 is amended to read as follows:
7-7-203. Dates.
(a) The general primary election shall be held on the second Tuesday in ~~June~~ August preceding the general election.
(b) The preferential primary election shall be held on the Tuesday three (3) weeks prior to the general primary election.

(c)(1) Party pledges, if any, shall be filed and any filing fees of a political party, if any, shall be paid during regular office hours in the period beginning at 12:00 noon on the first weekday in ~~March~~ May and ending at 12:00 noon on the seventh day thereafter before the preferential primary election.

(2) A party certificate and the political practice pledge for primary elections shall be filed with the county clerk or the Secretary of State, as the case may be, during regular office hours in the period beginning at 12:00 noon on the first weekday in ~~March~~ May and ending at 12:00 noon on the seventh day thereafter before the preferential primary election.

(3) The name of a candidate who fails to file a party certificate by the filing deadline with the Secretary of State or county clerk, as the case may be, shall not appear on the ballot.

(4) Party pledges, if any, shall be filed, filing fees, if any, shall be paid, and party certificates and political practice pledges shall be filed for special primary elections on or before the deadline established by proclamation of the Governor.

(d) At least seventy (70) days before the preferential primary election, the Secretary of State shall certify the ballot to the various county committees and to the various county boards of election commissioners with the names of all candidates who have qualified with the state committee for election by filing the party pledge and paying the filing fees of the political party within the time required by law.

(e)(1) The county board shall convene, at the time specified in the notice to the members given by the chair of the board, no later than the tenth day after each primary election for the purpose of canvassing the returns and certifying the election results.

(2) If no time is specified for the meeting of the county board, the meeting shall be at 5:00 p.m.

(f) The county convention of a political party holding a primary election shall be held on the first Monday following the date of the general primary.

(g)(1) The county board of election commissioners shall certify to the county clerk and the county committee a list of all nominated candidates for county, township, and municipal offices, and the political parties' county committee members and delegates.

(2) At the same time, the county board of election commissioners shall certify to the Secretary of State, the county clerk, and the secretary of the state committee the results of the contests for all United States, state, and district offices. Immediately after ascertaining the results for all United States, state, and district offices, the Secretary of State shall certify to the state committee and to the county board of election commissioners a list of all nominated candidates for the offices.

~~(h)(1)(A) The Secretary of State shall at least one hundred (100) days prior to the date of the general election notify by registered mail the chair and secretary of the state committee of the respective political parties that a certificate of nomination is due for all nominated candidates for United States, state, and district offices in order that the candidates' names be placed on the ballot of the general election.~~

~~(B)(i) The state committee shall issue certificates of nomination to all nominated candidates for United States, state, and district offices, who shall file the certificates with the Secretary of State at least ninety (90) days prior to the general election.~~

~~(ii) However, if the chair and secretary of the state committee of the respective political parties are not properly notified as directed by subdivision (h)(1)(A) of this section, the failure of a candidate to file a certificate of nomination shall not prevent that candidate's name from being placed on the ballot of the general election.~~

~~(2)(A) Each county clerk shall at least ninety (90) days prior to the date of the general election notify by registered mail the chairs and secretaries of the county committees of the respective political parties that a certified list of all nominated candidates for county, township, and municipal offices is due and shall be filed with the county board of election commissioners and the county clerk in order that the candidates' names be placed on the ballot for the general election.~~

~~(B)(i) Each county committee shall issue the certified list on behalf of those nominated candidates and submit the certified list to the county board of election commissioners and the county clerk at least eighty (80) days prior to the general election.~~

~~(ii) However, if the chairs and secretaries of the county committees of the respective political parties are not properly notified as directed by subdivision (h)(2)(A) of this section, the failure of a certified list to be filed shall not prevent any candidate's name from being placed on the ballot of the general election.~~

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 253 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 8, BY SENATOR ALTES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 8 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE AND TAXATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 253, BY SENATOR FARIS ,
BY SENATOR PRITCHARD,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 253 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 139, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 229, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 28, BY SENATOR HENDREN,
SENATE BILL NO. 104, BY SENATOR GLOVER,

SENATE BILL NO. 255, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4,
BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1013, BY REPRESENTATIVE KIDD,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1119, BY REPRESENTATIVE KERR,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1033
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE ELECTRONIC PUBLICATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF THE ARKANSAS REPORTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1033 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1250
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE A REVIEW OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR EDUCATIONAL ADEQUACY BEFORE EACH FISCAL SESSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1250 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1003 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1003
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING SUSAN WAGGENER ON HER SELECTION AS ARKANSAS'S 2009 TEACHER OF THE YEAR.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1003 was read the third time and concurred in by the House.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1003 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Faris, House Bill No. 1019 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1019

Amend House Bill No. 1019 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 31 through 36 and substitute the following:

"(7)(A)(i) All articles, statements, or communications appearing in any newspaper printed or circulated in this state ~~or on radio, television, or any other electronic medium~~ intended or calculated to influence the vote of any elector in any election and for the publication of which a consideration is paid or to be paid shall clearly contain the words “Paid Political Advertisement” or “Paid Political Ad”.

~~(B)~~(ii) Both the persons placing and the persons publishing the articles, statements, or communications shall be responsible for including the required disclaimer~~;~~.

(B)(i) All articles, statements, or communications appearing in any radio, television, or any other electronic medium intended or calculated to influence the vote of any elector in any election and for the publication of which a consideration is paid or to be paid shall clearly contain the words:

(a) “Paid political advertisement” or “paid political ad”; or

(b) “Paid for by”, “sponsored by”, or “furnished by” the true sponsor of the advertisement.

(ii) Both the persons placing and the persons publishing the articles, statements, or communications shall be responsible for including the required disclaimer;"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 1 through 3

AND

Page 5, line 29, delete "~~and~~" and substitute "and"

AND

Page 5, line 32, delete "section; and" and substitute "section."

AND

Page 5, delete lines 33 through 36

AND

Page 6, delete lines 1 through 8

(SIGNED) SENATOR G. BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1019 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Miller, House Bill No. 1021 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1021

Amend House Bill No. 1 as originally introduced:
Add Senator Miller as a cosponsor of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1021 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 77 delivered to the Governor.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 133 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 133

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

BY: REPRESENTATIVES PATTERSON AND WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY ACT OF 1975; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 133 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 133 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 230 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 230
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING REIMBURSEMENT FOR CERTAIN MEMBERS OF THE TASK FORCE ON SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 230 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 230 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 75 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 75

As Engrossed: S1/29/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 16 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 75 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 75 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 85 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 85

As Engrossed: 1/29/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW BLOOD DONATIONS BY SIXTEEN (16) YEAR OLDS WITH PARENTAL PERMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 85 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 85, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 85 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 218 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 218
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE CASH SURRENDER VALUE OF A LIFE INSURANCE POLICY FROM THE CLAIMS OF CREDITORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 218 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Crumbly, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, Laverty, P. Malone, B. Pritchard, T. Smith, J. Taylor, Whitaker, D. Wyatt.

Total 18

NEGATIVE: D. Johnson, Miller.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bryles, Capps, Elliott, Faris, B. Johnson, Luker, Madison, Salmon, Steele, Teague, R. Thompson, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson.

Total 15

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 20

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 218 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 142 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 142
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE AN ALTERNATE METHOD FOR NATIONAL FINGERPRINT-BASED BACKGROUND CHECKS FOR NON-CRIMINAL JUSTICE PURPOSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 142 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 142 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 62 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 62
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 14 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 62 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 62 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1153 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1153
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW CONFISCATED GOODS TO BE SOLD OVER THE INTERNET FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE CITY'S POLICEMEN'S PENSION AND RELIEF FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1153 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1153 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1154 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1154
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THE EFFECTIVE DATE FOR THE RECEIPT OF BENEFITS BY SURVIVING SPOUSES OF A DECEASED MEMBER OF THE POLICEMEN'S PENSION AND RELIEF FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1154 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

<vote> AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1154 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Altes, House Bill No. 1023 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1023

As Engrossed: H1/15/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES PENNARTZ, GLIDEWELL, *S. MALONE, BARNETT, BREEDLOVE & SLINKARD*

BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT *CONCERNING OFFICERS* IN A CITY ADMINISTRATOR FORM OF GOVERNMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1023 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1023 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1044 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1044
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENNARTZ

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXPAND THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE ARKANSAS EARLY CHILDHOOD COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1044 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1044 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, House Bill No. 1031 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1031

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ALLEN, WILLIAMS, PENNARTZ, GEORGE, ABERNATHY, T. BAKER, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, CHEATHAM, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, DUNN, EVERETT, GASKILL, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, HALL, HARDY, HAWKINS, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, KIDD, W. LEWELLEN, LOVELL, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PIERCE, POWERS, RAINEY, REYNOLDS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, STEWART, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS & WORD

BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE HEALTH BENEFIT PLANS TO PROVIDE PROSTATE CANCER SCREENING FOR MEN FORTY (40) YEARS OF AGE AND OVER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1031 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

<vote> AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1031 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of JOINT BUDGET BILLS.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 86 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 86 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 86
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 534 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 86 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard,

Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 86, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 86 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1268 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1268 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1268
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ACT 3 OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF 2009, THE GENERAL APPROPRIATION ACT FOR THE ORDINARY EXPENSES OF THE EXECUTIVE, JUDICIAL AND LEGISLATIVE BRANCHES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1268 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1268, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1268 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 250 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 250 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 250
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE AUDITOR OF STATE OPERATIONS AND UNCLAIMED PROPERTY PROGRAM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 250 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

<vote> AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 250, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 250 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS HENDREN, J. KEY, TRUSTY, ALTES, WHITAKER, G. BAKER, BLEDSOE & B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: TO RECOGNIZE FEBRUARY 6 AS "RONALD REAGAN DAY" IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 267
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES
BY: REPRESENTATIVES T. BAKER AND WAGNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW COUNTIES TO ESTABLISH AN EFFECTIVE DATE FOR THE LEVY OF CERTAIN COUNTY SALES AND USE TAXES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 267 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 268
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE STEWART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS NATIONAL GUARD TUITION INCENTIVE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 268 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL FFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 269
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 269 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 270
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION - ARKANSAS REHABILITATION SERVICES - FOR VARIOUS MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, EQUIPPING, CONSTRUCTION, ACQUISITION, IMPROVEMENT, UPGRADE AND REPAIR PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 270 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 271
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 271 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 272
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 272 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 273
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS BUILDING AUTHORITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 273 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 274
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE WAR MEMORIAL STADIUM COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 274 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 275
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR REAL PROPERTY REAPPRAISAL COSTS FOR THE ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DEPARTMENT WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1218 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 275 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 276
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 276 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 277
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF CHILD CARE AND EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 277 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 278
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 278 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 279
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDARDS AND TRAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 279 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 280
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 280 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 281
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE STATE CRIME LABORATORY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 281 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 282
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 282 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 283
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 283 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 284
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS CEMETERY BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 284 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 285
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - REVENUE SERVICES DIVISION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 285 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 286
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 286 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 287
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF A TEACHER RETIRMENT BUILDING WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 419 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 287 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 288
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 288 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 289
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 289 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 290
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 290 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 291
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR GRANTS AND AID TO LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 291 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 292
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - BEEBE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1251 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 292 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 293
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PROVIDING ARKANSAS RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM GRANTS TO INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1229 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 293 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 294
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR VARIOUS PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 294 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 295
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT ENSURE CONSISTENT PUBLIC SCHOOL ATTENDANCE LAWS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 295 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1116
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT IT IS UNLAWFUL TO REPRODUCE, PAINT, OR ALTER A TEMPORARY CARDBOARD BUYER'S TAG; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1116 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1215
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HYDE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION OF AN ORDINANCE REGULATING OR FORBIDDING THE UNSAFE DISCHARGE OF A FIREARM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1215 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

ARKANSAS SENATE

State Capitol

Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate
State Capitol, Room 320
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

February 2, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
Executive Chambers
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas

Dear Governor Beebe:

The Senate respectfully returns to the Governors Office, Senate Bill 77.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of Senate

AC:as

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 77

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 2nd day of February 2009, at 1:55 p.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J. D. Lowery
Secretary

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1062
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF ATHLETIC TRAINING FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1062 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1063
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS BOARD OF PODIATRIC MEDICINE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1063 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1064
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS BOARD OF HEARING INSTRUMENT DISPENSERS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1064 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1065
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS HOME INSPECTOR REGISTRATION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1065 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1068
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION OF FORESTERS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1068 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1070
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF SANITARIANS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1070 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1072
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS CORN AND GRAIN SORGHUM PROMOTION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1072 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1073
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS RICE RESEARCH AND PROMOTION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1073 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1074
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SOYBEAN PROMOTION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1074 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1075
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS WHEAT PROMOTION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1075 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1076
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF ALCOHOLISM AND DRUG ABUSE COUNSELORS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1076 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1077
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR PROFESSIONAL SOIL CLASSIFIERS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1077 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1082
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF PRIVATE CAREER EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1082 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1087
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS DIETETICS LICENSING BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1087 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1088
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS MANUFACTURED HOME COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1088 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1094
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF BARBER EXAMINERS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1094 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1019, BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENBURG,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1021, BY REPRESENTATIVE WOODS,
BY REPRESENTATIVE GEORGE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1095
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE PROFESSIONAL BAIL BONDSMAN LICENSING BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1095 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1096
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS BOARD OF DISPENSING OPTICIANS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1096 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1102
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE NORTHWEST TECHNICAL INSTITUTE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1102 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1104
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE RIVERSIDE VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL SCHOOL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1104 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1106
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1106 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1107
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1107 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1112
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND LAND SURVEYORS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1112 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1121
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS REAL ESTATE COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1121 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1122
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1122 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1123
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE WAR MEMORIAL STADIUM COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1123 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1125
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - EDUCATIONAL TELEVISION DIVISION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1125 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1127
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SPINAL CORD COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1127 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1128
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE HEALTH SERVICES PERMIT AGENCY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1128 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1136
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR PROFESSIONAL GEOLOGISTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1136 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1139
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1139 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1141
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE SECURITIES DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1141 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1158
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF FINANCE FOR THE PURPOSE OF MANAGING AND INVESTING THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT PROCEEDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1158 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1159
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR INVESTMENTS OF CERTAIN TREASURY BALANCES, DEBT SERVICES, AND PREMIUMS AND DISCOUNTS BY THE STATE BOARD OF FINANCE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1159 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1174
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DISABLED VETERANS' SERVICES OFFICE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1174 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1176
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DISABLED VETERANS' SERVICES OFFICE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1176 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 296
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REMOVE ABANDONMENT AS GROUNDS FOR TERMINATION OF THE RELATIONSHIP OF PARENT AND CHILD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 296 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1071
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS CEMETERY BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1071 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1101
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS WATERWAYS COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1101 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1196
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DIVISION OF RACING FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1196 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 37 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 42 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 44 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 51 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 84 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 92 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 98 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 99 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 114 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 145 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 147 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 150 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 196 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 207 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 232 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

February 2, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on February 2, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 039, - ACT 4,
Senate Bill No. 050, - ACT 5,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE

AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 62

SENATE BILL NO. 75

SENATE BILL NO. 85

SENATE BILL NO. 86

SENATE BILL NO. 133

SENATE BILL NO. 142

SENATE BILL NO. 218

SENATE BILL NO. 230

SENATE BILL NO. 250

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1023
HOUSE BILL NO. 1031
HOUSE BILL NO. 1044
HOUSE BILL NO. 1153
HOUSE BILL NO. 1154
HOUSE BILL NO. 1268

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1003

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 37
SENATE BILL NO. 42
SENATE BILL NO. 44
SENATE BILL NO. 51
SENATE BILL NO. 84
SENATE BILL NO. 92
SENATE BILL NO. 98
SENATE BILL NO. 99
SENATE BILL NO. 114
SENATE BILL NO. 145
SENATE BILL NO. 147
SENATE BILL NO. 150
SENATE BILL NO. 196
SENATE BILL NO. 207
SENATE BILL NO. 232

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1033

HOUSE BILL NO. 1062

HOUSE BILL NO. 1063

HOUSE BILL NO. 1064

HOUSE BILL NO. 1065

HOUSE BILL NO. 1068

HOUSE BILL NO. 1070

HOUSE BILL NO. 1071

HOUSE BILL NO. 1072

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1074

HOUSE BILL NO. 1075

HOUSE BILL NO. 1076

HOUSE BILL NO. 1077

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1087

HOUSE BILL NO. 1088

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1104

HOUSE BILL NO. 1106

HOUSE BILL NO. 1107

HOUSE BILL NO. 1112

HOUSE BILL NO. 1116

HOUSE BILL NO. 1121

HOUSE BILL NO. 1122

HOUSE BILL NO. 1123

HOUSE BILL NO. 1125

HOUSE BILL NO. 1127

HOUSE BILL NO. 1128

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1139

HOUSE BILL NO. 1141
HOUSE BILL NO. 1158
HOUSE BILL NO. 1159
HOUSE BILL NO. 1174
HOUSE BILL NO. 1176
HOUSE BILL NO. 1196
HOUSE BILL NO. 1215
HOUSE BILL NO. 1250

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, February 3, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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TWENTY-THIRD DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

February 3, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Pastor Jim Lagrone, First Baptist Church, 62 Pleasant Valley Drive, Little Rock, Arkansas.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 108 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 108

Amend Senate Bill No. 108 as engrossed S1/28/09 (version: 01/28/09:

Page 1, line 22, add a new section as follows:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-17-2602 is amended to read as follows:

6-17-2602. Definitions.

As used in this subchapter:

(1) "Educational setting" means the employment setting where the ~~certified~~ licensed employee works, including without limitation:

(A) A public or private school;

(B) An institution of higher education;

(C) An education service cooperative;

(D) The Department of Education;

(E) An adult education setting; or

(F) Another agency or organization that employs licensed teachers for educational purposes;

(2) "Professional development" means a coordinated set of planned, learning development activities for teachers that are standards-based and that meet the focus areas for professional development required by the department; and

(3) "Teaching experience" means the experience gained while working in an educational setting as a teacher, librarian, counselor, administrator, educational consultant, substitute teacher, or other ~~certified~~ licensed employee."

AND

Page 1, line 25, delete "certified" and substitute "~~certified~~ licensed"

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR TEAGUE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 108 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 143 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 143

Amend Senate Bill No. 143 as engrossed S1/27/09:

Page 6, delete line 13 and substitute the following:
"(5) "Board" means the State Board of Health;"

AND

Page 6, line 19,delete "(7)" and substitute "(7)(6)"

AND

Page 6, line 23, delete "~~(9)~~(5)"and substitute"~~(9)~~(7)"

AND

Page 6, line 30, delete "~~(10)~~(6)(A)" and substitute "~~(10)~~(8)(A)"

AND

Page 7, line 3, delete "(7)" and substitute "(9)"

AND

Page 7, line 8, delete "~~(11)~~(8)" and substitute "~~(11)~~(10)"

AND

Page 7, delete line 11 and substitute the following:
"SECTION 8. Arkansas Code § 20-13-205(a), concerning creation of the"

AND

Page 9, delete lines 12 through 15 and substitute the following:
"(a)(1) The State Board of Health shall have the responsibility and authority to hold public hearings and promulgate and implement rules, regulations, and standards which it deems necessary to carry out the provisions of this subchapter."

AND

Page 9, delete lines 16 and 17 and substitute the following:
"(2) However, ~~prior to~~ before implementing any rules, regulations, or standards, the board shall submit and obtain the review of"

AND

Page 9, delete lines 21 and 22 and substitute the following:
"(b) In addition, the board may establish appropriate rules, regulations, and standards defining or limiting the emergency medical"

AND

Page 9, delete line 26 and substitute the following:
"~~to~~ before implementing any rules, regulations, and standards, the board shall"

AND

Page 10, line 6, delete "certification" and substitute "~~certification~~ licensure"

AND

Page 10, line 8, delete "certification" and substitute "~~certification~~ licensure"

AND

Page 11, delete lines 12 and 13 and substitute the following:
"~~(5) "Certifying agency" means the government agency charged with certifying the qualified individual to provide prehospital care;~~"

AND

Page 11, line 16, delete "~~(7)~~(5)" and substitute "~~(7)~~(4)"

AND

Page 11, line 20, delete "~~(8)~~(6)" and substitute "~~(8)~~(5)"

AND

Page 11, line 22, delete "certified" and substitute "~~certified~~ licensed"

AND

Page 11, line 26, delete "~~(9)~~(7)" and substitute "~~(9)~~(6)"

AND

Page 11, line 29, delete "certification" and substitute "~~certification~~ licensure"

AND

Page 11, line 30, delete "~~(10)~~(8)" and substitute "~~(10)~~(7)"

AND

Page 11, line 33, delete "(9)" and substitute "(8)"

AND

Page 11, delete line 36 and substitute the following:
"the Arkansas EMS Rules and Regulations;

(9) "Licensing agency" means the government agency charged with licensing the qualified individual to provide prehospital care;

AND

Page 12, line 17, delete "certification" and substitute "~~certification~~ licensure"

AND

Page 14, delete lines 13 and 14 and substitute the following:
"The Division of EMS and Trauma Systems of the ~~Division of Health of the Department of Health and Human Services~~ the Department of Health maintains the right to conduct"

AND

Page 14, line 30 delete "EMTs" and substitute "emergency medical services personnel"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BROADWAY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 143 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 251 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 251

Amend Senate Bill No. 251 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 25 through 27 and substitute "time each week; and
(D) Has at least four (4) pages of five (5) columns each;"

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALTES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 251 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 20 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 20

Amend Senate Bill No. 20 as engrossed S1/28/09:

Page 1, line 35, delete "and other" and substitute "and for the noncommercial hauling of other"

AND

Page 3, line 26, delete "and other" and substitute "and for the noncommercial hauling of other"

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALTES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 20 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 20, BY SENATOR ALTES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 20 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 108, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 108 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 143, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 143 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 251, BY SENATOR ALTES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 251 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 60, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 61, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 66, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 67, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 71, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 74, BY SENATOR MADISON,

SENATE BILL NO. 91, BY SENATOR WILKINS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1118, BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLIS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1028, BY REPRESENTATIVE WOODS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1048, BY REPRESENTATIVE WOODS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1144, BY REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1182, BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ROBERT THOMPSON
VICE CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 83, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 199, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 261, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 264, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 297
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 297 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 298
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIC FACILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 298 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 299
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS H. WILKINS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT & STEELE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES ALLEN, T. BAKER, BLOUNT, CARROLL, DAVIS, RAINEY, WILLIAMS & WORD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REESTABLISH A TASK FORCE ON RACIAL PROFILING; TO REQUIRE ALL LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS WHO STOP A VEHICLE FOR THE VIOLATION OF NOT WEARING A SEATBELT AS A PRIMARY OFFENSE TO RECORD INFORMATION ABOUT THE DRIVER OR PASSENGERS SO AS TO NOT VIOLATE THE PROHIBITION AGAINST RACIAL PROFILING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 299 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 300
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BREEDLOVE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL ARKANSAS CODE §§ 15-59-101 - 15-59-115 CONCERNING THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE WEIGHING VEHICLES HAULING COAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 300 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS TEAGUE, HORN & WILKINSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES COLE, GLIDEWELL, PENNARTZ, BREEDLOVE, ABERNATHY, RICE, R. GREEN, HARRELSON, L. COWLING, WELLS, S. MALONE & PYLE

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING THAT THE CONGRESS, THE ARKANSAS CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION, THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, AND THE DIRECTOR OF THE FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION ENSURE THAT A SIGNIFICANT PORTION OF FUNDING FOR TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE BE COMMITTED TO COMPLETE CONSTRUCTION OF I-49 BETWEEN TEXARKANA, ARKANSAS, AND FT. SMITH, ARKANSAS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1119 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1119

Amend House Bill No. 1119 as engrossed H1/23/09:
Add the following Senator as a cosponsor of the bill:

Senator D. Johnson

AND

Page 1, delete line 28 and substitute:

"(1) "Emergency purpose" means a person is contacting:
(A) Law enforcement personnel;
(B) Fire department personnel;
(C) Public safety personnel;
(D) Emergency medical personnel; or
(E) A 911 public safety communications center to report an emergency situation;
(2) "Wireless telephone" means a wireless interactive communication"

AND

Page 1, line 30, delete "(2)" and substitute "(3)"

AND

Page 1, delete line 36 and substitute:

"(c) A driver of a motor vehicle who is under eighteen (18) years of age may use a wireless telephone for"

AND

Page 2, line 1, delete "for emergency purposes" and substitute "for an emergency purpose"

AND

Page 2, insert a blank line between lines 6 and 7

AND

Page 2, delete line 10 and substitute:

"(1) "Emergency purpose" means a person is contacting:
(A) Law enforcement personnel;

(B) Fire department personnel;
(C) Public safety personnel;
(D) Emergency medical personnel; or
(E) A 911 public safety communications center to report an emergency situation;
(2)(A) "Handheld wireless telephone" means a wireless interactive"

AND

Page 2, line 17, delete "(2)(A)" and substitute "(3)(A)"

AND

Page 2, remove the blank line at line 28 entirely

AND

Page 2, line 29, delete "(3)" and substitute "(4)"

AND

Page 3, line 2, delete "for emergency purposes" and substitute "for an emergency purpose"

(SIGNED) SENATOR D. JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1119 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, House Bill No. 1013 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 229 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 229
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT LUMP-SUM BENEFITS PAID TO A MEMBER UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM ARE INTENDED TO BE TREATED FOR TAX PURPOSES AS PROCEEDS FROM A LIFE INSURANCE POLICY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 229 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 229, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 229 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 139 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 139
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE FIDUCIARY DUTIES OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE STATE-SUPPORTED RETIREMENT SYSTEMS; TO REQUIRE REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE STATE-SUPPORTED RETIREMENT SYSTEMS TO APPEAR BEFORE THE LEGISLATIVE REVIEW COMMITTEE IN CERTAIN SITUATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 139 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 139 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 104 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 104

As Engrossed: S1/29/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS GLOVER AND CAPPS

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCCRARY AND BARNETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS INTERSTATE HIGHWAY FINANCING ACT OF 2007 TO EXTEND THE TIME FOR ISSUING GRANT ANTICIPATION REVENUE BONDS FOR THE RESTORATION AND IMPROVEMENT TO THE INTERSTATE HIGHWAY SYSTEM WITHIN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 104 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 104 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Key, House Bill No. 1009 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1009
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE REQUIREMENT THAT THREE (3) COPIES OF CERTAIN MUNICIPAL ORDINANCES SHALL BE FILED WITH THE CITY CLERK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1009 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1009 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1098 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1098
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW STUDENTS WHO HAVE COMPLETED PRE-K TO ENROLL IN KINDERGARTEN IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Hendren spoke against the Bill.
Senator Miller spoke against the Bill and on the Bill.
Senator Bryles spoke for the Bill.
Senator G. Jeffress spoke against the Bill.
Senator Madison spoke for the Bill.
Senator D. Johnson closed for his Bill.

House Bill No. 1098 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 26

NEGATIVE: G. Baker, Hendren, G. Jeffress, Miller, B. Pritchard, Teague, Trusty.

Total 7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: J. Jeffress, Salmon.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1098, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 26

NEGATIVE: G. Baker, Hendren, G. Jeffress, Miller, B. Pritchard, Teague, Trusty.

Total 7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: J. Jeffress, Salmon.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1098 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Senate Resolution No. 6, recognizing Cliff Lee, Major League's 2008 American League Cy Young Award winner.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Resolution No. 6 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 6
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

SENATE RESOLUTION TO HONOR THE OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENTS OF CLIFF LEE, MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL'S 2008 AMERICAN LEAGUE CY YOUNG AWARD WINNER.

Senate Resolution No. 6 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Miller, House Bill No. 1021 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1021
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EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WOODS AND GEORGE
BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1021 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1021 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Laverty, House Bill No. 1129 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1129
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO HONOR AND PAY TRIBUTE TO A SOLDIER WHO IS KILLED IN ACTION BY LOWERING ALL STATE FLAGS TO HALF-MAST ON PUBLIC BUILDINGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1129 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1129 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of JOINT BUDGET BILLS.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 262 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 262

Amend Senate Bill No. 262 as originally introduced:
Amend Senate Bill No. 262 as originally introduced:

Delete SECTION 6 in its entirety

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent sections

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 262 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of JOINT BUDGET.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1062 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1062 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1062
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF ATHLETIC TRAINING FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1062 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1062, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1062 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1063 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1063 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1063
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS BOARD OF PODIATRIC MEDICINE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1063 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1063, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1063 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1064 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1064 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1064
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS BOARD OF HEARING INSTRUMENT DISPENSERS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1064 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1064, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1064 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1065 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1065 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1065
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS HOME INSPECTOR REGISTRATION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1065 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1065, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1065 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1068 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1068 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1068
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION OF FORESTERS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1068 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1068, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1068 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1070 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1070 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1070
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF SANITARIANS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1070 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1070, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1070 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1071 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1071 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1071
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS CEMETERY BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1071 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1071, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1071 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1072 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1072 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1072
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS CORN AND GRAIN SORGHUM PROMOTION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1072 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1072, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1072 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1073 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1073 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1073
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS RICE RESEARCH AND PROMOTION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1073 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1073, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1073 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1074 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1074 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1074
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SOYBEAN PROMOTION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1074 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1074, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1074 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1075 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1075 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1075
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS WHEAT PROMOTION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1075 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1075, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1075 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1076 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1076 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1076
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF EXAMINERS OF ALCOHOLISM AND DRUG ABUSE COUNSELORS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1076 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1076, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1076 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1077 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1077 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1077
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR PROFESSIONAL SOIL CLASSIFIERS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1077 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1077, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1077 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1082 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1082 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1082
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF PRIVATE CAREER EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1082 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1082, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1082 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1087 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1087 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1087
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS DIETETICS LICENSING BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1087 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1087, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1087 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1088 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1088 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1088
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS MANUFACTURED HOME COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1088 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1088, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1088 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1094 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1094 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1094
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF BARBER EXAMINERS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1094 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1094, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1094 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1095 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1095 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1095
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE PROFESSIONAL BAIL BONDSMAN LICENSING BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1095 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1095, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1095 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Bill No. 1096 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1096 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1096
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS BOARD OF DISPENSING OPTICIANS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1096 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1096, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1096 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1101 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1101 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1101
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS WATERWAYS COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1101 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1101, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1101 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1102 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1102 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1102
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE NORTHWEST TECHNICAL INSTITUTE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1102 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1102, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1102 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1104 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1104 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1104
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE RIVERSIDE VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL SCHOOL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1104 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1104, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1104 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1106 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1106 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1106
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1106 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1106, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1106 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1107 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1107 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1107
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1107 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1107, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1107 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1112 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1112 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1112
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND LAND SURVEYORS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1112 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1112, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1112 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1121 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1121 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1121
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS REAL ESTATE COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1121 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1121, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1121 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1122 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1122 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1122
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE VETERINARY MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1122 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1122, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1122 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1123 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1123 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1123
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE WAR MEMORIAL STADIUM COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1123 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1123, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1123 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1125 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. House was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1125
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - EDUCATIONAL TELEVISION DIVISION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1125 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1125, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1125 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1127 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1127 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1127
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SPINAL CORD COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1127 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1127, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1127 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1128 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1128 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1128
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE HEALTH SERVICES PERMIT AGENCY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1128 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1128, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1128 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1136 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1136 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1136
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF REGISTRATION FOR PROFESSIONAL GEOLOGISTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1136 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1136, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1136 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1139 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1139 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1139
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF CHIROPRACTIC EXAMINERS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1139 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1139, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1139 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1141 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1141 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1141
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE SECURITIES DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1141 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1141, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1141 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill 1158 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1158 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1158
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF FINANCE FOR THE PURPOSE OF MANAGING AND INVESTING THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT PROCEEDS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1158 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1158 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1158, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1158 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1159 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1159 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1159
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR INVESTMENTS OF CERTAIN TREASURY BALANCES, DEBT SERVICES, AND PREMIUMS AND DISCOUNTS BY THE STATE BOARD OF FINANCE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1159 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1159, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1159 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1174 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1174 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1174
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DISABLED VETERANS' SERVICES OFFICE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1174 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1174, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1174 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1176 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1176 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1176
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS VETERANS' CHILD WELFARE SERVICE OFFICE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1176 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1176, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1176 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1196 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1196 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1196
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DIVISION OF RACING FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1196 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1196, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1196 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

SENATE BILL NO. 301
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE BOOK REPORT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 301 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 302
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE ARKANSAS BUILDING AUTHORITY; TO AMEND THE PERCENTAGE OF EARNED PROGRESS PAYMENTS PAYABLE TO CONTRACTORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 302 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 303
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TAYLOR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING COURT SECURITY OFFICER TRAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 303 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1135
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT THE GOVERNING BODY OF A CITY OF THE SECOND CLASS MAY PRESCRIBE THE RETIREMENT BENEFITS OF A MAYOR OF THE CITY OF THE SECOND CLASS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1135 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1119, BY REPRESENTATIVE KERR, ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 37, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 42, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 44, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 51, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 84, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 92, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 98, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 99, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

SENATE BILL NO. 114, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 145, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 147, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 150, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 196, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 207, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 232, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:05 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 37
SENATE BILL NO. 42
SENATE BILL NO. 44
SENATE BILL NO. 51
SENATE BILL NO. 84
SENATE BILL NO. 92
SENATE BILL NO. 98
SENATE BILL NO. 99
SENATE BILL NO. 114
SENATE BILL NO. 145
SENATE BILL NO. 147
SENATE BILL NO. 150
SENATE BILL NO. 196

SENATE BILL NO. 207
SENATE BILL NO. 232

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 3rd day of February, 2009 at 10:05 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Marc Harrison
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 262, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 262 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 304
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT STUDENTS MAKE SATISFACTORY ACADEMIC PROGRESS IN PUBLIC ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 304 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED
SENATE BILL NO. 104
SENATE BILL NO. 139
SENATE BILL NO. 229

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1009
HOUSE BILL NO. 1062
HOUSE BILL NO. 1063
HOUSE BILL NO. 1064
HOUSE BILL NO. 1065
HOUSE BILL NO. 1068
HOUSE BILL NO. 1070
HOUSE BILL NO. 1071
HOUSE BILL NO. 1072
HOUSE BILL NO. 1073
HOUSE BILL NO. 1074

HOUSE BILL NO. 1075
HOUSE BILL NO. 1076
HOUSE BILL NO. 1077
HOUSE BILL NO. 1082
HOUSE BILL NO. 1087
HOUSE BILL NO. 1088
HOUSE BILL NO. 1094
HOUSE BILL NO. 1095
HOUSE BILL NO. 1096
HOUSE BILL NO. 1098
HOUSE BILL NO. 1101
HOUSE BILL NO. 1102
HOUSE BILL NO. 1104
HOUSE BILL NO. 1106
HOUSE BILL NO. 1107
HOUSE BILL NO. 1112
HOUSE BILL NO. 1121
HOUSE BILL NO. 1122
HOUSE BILL NO. 1123
HOUSE BILL NO. 1125
HOUSE BILL NO. 1127
HOUSE BILL NO. 1128
HOUSE BILL NO. 1129
HOUSE BILL NO. 1136
HOUSE BILL NO. 1139
HOUSE BILL NO. 1141
HOUSE BILL NO. 1158
HOUSE BILL NO. 1159
HOUSE BILL NO. 1174
HOUSE BILL NO. 1176
HOUSE BILL NO. 1196

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1021 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1135

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Wednesday, February 4, 2009.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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TWENTY-FOURTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

February 4, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Wilkinson.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 121 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 121

Amend Senate Bill No. 121 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 24, delete "resolution adopted by" and replace with "a"

AND

Page 3, line 30, delete "or this" and replace with "of this"

AND

Page 4, line 3, delete "One hundred dollars ($100)" and replace with "Fifty dollars ($50.00)"

AND

Page 4, line 5, delete "One hundred dollars ($100)" and replace with "Fifty dollars ($50.00)"

AND

Page 4, line 7, delete "One hundred dollars ($100)" and replace with "Fifty dollars ($50.00)"

AND

Immediately following SECTION 5, add additional sections to read as follows:

"SECTION 6. Arkansas Code § 3-4-605 is amended to read as follows:

3-4-605. Wholesalers.

(a) Any person other than a distiller, manufacturer, rectifier, or importer may apply to the Director of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division for a permit to sell spirituous liquor, ~~vinous (except wines)~~ wine as defined in § 3-9-301(2), beer, or malt liquors at wholesale.

(b) The application shall be in writing and shall set forth in detail such information concerning the applicant for the permit and the premises to be used by the applicant as the director may require.

(c) The application shall be accompanied by a certified check, cash, or postal money order for the amount required by this act for the permit.

(d) If the director ~~shall grant~~ grants the application, he or she shall issue a permit in ~~such form as shall be~~ a form as determined by the rules of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division.

(e) The permit shall contain a description of the premises permitted and in form and substance shall be a permit to the person ~~therein~~ specifically designated in the permit to sell spirituous liquor, ~~vinous~~ wine as defined in § 3-9-301(2), beer, or malt liquors for beverage purposes.

(f) A person holding a distiller's or rectifier's permit need not obtain a wholesaler's permit in order to sell at wholesale spirituous or ~~vinous liquors~~ wine as defined in § 3-9-301(2).

(g)(1)(A) ~~No~~ A person other than a person holding a distiller's, manufacturer's, or rectifier's, ~~or wholesaler's~~ permit shall not sell spirituous liquor, ~~vinous (except wines)~~ wine as defined in § 3-9-301(2), or malt liquors at wholesale.

(B) A person other than a person holding a wholesaler's permit shall not sell spirituous liquor, wine as defined in § 3-9-301(2), or malt liquors at wholesale.

(2) ~~No~~ A wholesaler holding a permit shall not sell or buy from another unless he or she holds a permit, but a wholesaler may export from or import into this state ~~such~~ liquors under rules ~~and regulations~~ promulgated by the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division.

(h) ~~No~~ A wholesaler shall not sell or contract to sell any spirituous liquor, ~~vinous~~ wine as defined in § 3-9-301(2), beer, or malt liquors to ~~any~~ a dispensary, hotel, restaurant, or club if the dispensary, hotel, restaurant, or club is not ~~duly~~ authorized under this act to receive, possess, transport, distribute, or sell spirituous liquor, ~~vinous~~ wine as defined in § 3-9-301(2), beer, or malt liquors.

(i) Further, a licensed wholesaler of any spirituous liquor, beer, or ~~vinous liquors~~ wine as defined in § 3-9-301(2) in Arkansas ~~can~~ may only purchase spirituous liquor, beer, or ~~vinous liquors~~ wine as defined in § 3-9-301(2) from a distiller, importer, rectifier, or a domestic wine producer~~, provided that~~. However, this restriction ~~shall~~ does not apply to the purchase of native wines.

(j)(1) For the privilege of storing, transporting, and selling spirituous liquor, ~~vinous~~ wine as defined in § 3-9-301(2), beer, or malt liquors at wholesale, there is assessed and there shall be paid an annual permit fee of and by every person engaged therein. The permit fee shall be in the sum of seven hundred dollars ($700) for each separate and distinct establishment.

(2) However, this section ~~shall~~ does not apply to residents of Arkansas who store, transport, and sell wine at wholesale manufactured by them in this state.

SECTION 7. Arkansas Code Title 3, Chapter 4, Subchapter 6 is amended to add a new section to read as follows:

3-4-607. Minimum wholesale liquor permit.

(a)(1) Any person other than a distiller, manufacturer, rectifier, or importer may apply to the Director of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division for a minimum wholesale liquor permit that allows the person to sell spirituous liquors, wine as defined in § 3-9-301(2), and malt liquors at wholesale.

(2) A minimum wholesale liquor permit holder shall not sell more than a combined total of twenty thousand (20,000) cases of spirituous liquors, wine as defined in § 3-9-301(2), or malt liquors.

(3) A case is a container that holds nine (9) liters of beverages.

(b) The application shall be in writing and shall provide information concerning the applicant for the minimum wholesale liquor permit and the premises to be used by the applicant as the director requires.

(c) The application shall be accompanied by a certified check, cash, or postal money order for the amount required by this section for the minimum wholesale liquor permit.

(d) If the director grants the application, he or she shall issue a minimum wholesale liquor permit in a form as determined by the rules of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division.

(e) The minimum wholesale liquor permit shall contain a description of the premises permitted and in form and substance shall be a minimum wholesale liquor permit to the person specifically designated to sell spirituous liquors, wine as defined in § 3-9-301(2), and malt liquors for beverage purposes.

(f)(1) A person other than a person holding a distiller's, manufacturer's, rectifier's, or minimum wholesale liquor permit shall not sell spirituous liquors, wine as defined in § 3-9-301(2), and malt liquors at wholesale.

(2) A wholesaler holding a minimum wholesale liquor permit shall not sell or buy from another person unless the other person holds a minimum wholesale liquor permit, but a wholesaler may export from or import into this state spirituous liquors, wine as defined in § 3-9-301(2), and malt liquors under rules promulgated by the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division.

(g) A wholesaler holding a minimum wholesale liquor permit shall not sell or contract to sell any spirituous liquors, wine as defined in § 3-9-301(2), and malt liquors to a dispensary, hotel, restaurant, or club if the dispensary, hotel, restaurant, or club is not authorized under § 3-4-601 to receive, possess, transport, distribute, or sell spirituous liquors, wine as defined in § 3-9-301(2), and malt liquors.

(h) A minimum wholesale liquor permitee of any spirituous liquors, wine as defined in § 3-9-301(2), and malt liquors in Arkansas shall purchase spirituous liquors, wine as defined in § 3-9-301(2), and malt liquors only from a distiller, importer, rectifier, or a domestic wine producer. However, this restriction does not apply to the purchase of native wines.

(i)(1) The minimum wholesale liquor permit fee is two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500) for each separate establishment.

(2) This section does not apply to residents of Arkansas who store, transport, and sell wine at wholesale manufactured by them in this state.

(j) The provisions of § 3-4-606 shall apply to a wholesaler who has a minimum wholesale liquor permit."

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

AND

Page 6, line 23, delete "malt beverages,"

AND

Page 6, line 24, delete "§ 3-9-302" and replace with "§ 3-9-301(4)"

AND

Page 6, line 27, delete "shall" and replace with "may"

AND

Page 6, line 35, delete "the"

AND

Delete SECTION 16 in its entirety

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

AND

Page 10, delete line 17 and replace with "~~($15.00)~~ one hundred dollars ($100)."

AND

Page 10, line 19, delete "grocery stores, convenience stores, liquor stores, and package stores" and replace with "grocery stores~~,~~ and convenience stores~~, liquor stores, and package stores~~"

AND

Page 11, delete line 11 and replace with "~~dollars ($300)~~ nine thousand three hundred dollars ($9,300)."

AND

Page 13, delete lines 12 and 13 and replace with "be accompanied by an annual permit fee of seventy-five dollars ($75.00)."

(SIGNED) SENATOR R. THOMPSON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 121 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes Senate Bill No. 20 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 20

Amend Senate Bill No. 20 as engrossed, S2/3/09:

Page 1, line 35, delete "and for the noncommercial hauling of other" and substitute "and other"

AND

Page 3, line 26, delete "and for the noncommercial hauling of other" and substitute "and other"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DENNY ALTES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 20 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 78 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 78 to SENATE BILL NO. 78

Amend Senate Bill No. 78 as originally introduced:
By adding Senators Elliott, Crumbly, and Steele as cosponsors of the bill

AND

By adding Representatives Allen, Baker, Word, Rainey, Davis, Lewellen, Carroll, Williams, and Blount as cosponsors of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR HENRY "HANK" WILKINS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 78 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 25 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 25

Amend Senate Bill No. 25 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Glidewell as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, line 25, delete "thirty-eight percent (38%)" and insert "fifty-one percent (51%)"

AND

Page 1, line 26, delete "thirty-eight percent (38%)" and insert "fifty-one percent (51%)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DENNY ALTES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 25 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

February 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 20, BY SENATOR ALTES,

SENATE BILL NO. 78, BY SENATOR H. WILKINS ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS

CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 20 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 78 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 25, BY SENATOR ALTES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 25 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 121, BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 121 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Trusty, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of presentation of citation to Winthrop P. Rockefeller family and Kevin Kresse.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Horn, Senate Resolution No. 5 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 5
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

SENATE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING NATIONAL WEAR RED DAY.

Senate Resolution No. 5 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

February 4, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on February 4, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 37, - ACT 10,
Senate Bill No. 42, - ACT 11,
Senate Bill No. 44, - ACT 12,
Senate Bill No. 51, - ACT 13,
Senate Bill No. 84, - ACT 14,
Senate Bill No. 92, - ACT 15,
Senate Bill No. 98, - ACT 16,
Senate Bill No. 99, - ACT 17,
Senate Bill No. 114, - ACT 18,
Senate Bill No. 145, - ACT 19,
Senate Bill No. 147, - ACT 20,
Senate Bill No. 150, - ACT 21,
Senate Bill No. 196, - ACT 22,
Senate Bill No. 207, - ACT 23,
Senate Bill No. 232, - ACT 24,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 33, BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 35, BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 59, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 70, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RUTH WHITAKER
VICE CHAIR

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 296, BY SENATOR LUKER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 34, BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RUTH WHITAKER
VICE CHAIR

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1171, BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1109, BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1146, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. BURRIS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1147, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. BURRIS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1152, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. BURRIS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 88, BY SENATOR GLOVER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 49, BY SENATOR KEY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pas, as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1035, BY REPRESENTATIVE NICKELS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1170, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 226, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR S. BRYLES
VICE CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 74 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 74

Amend Senate Bill No. 74 as originally introduced: Page 2, line 3, delete "§24-7-807" and substitute "§24-7-801"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Amend Senate Bill No. 74 as engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 91 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 91

Amend Senate Bill No. 91 as originally introduced:

Add Senators Bryles, B. Johnson, Faris, Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Crumbly, Elliott, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, P. Malone, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, and D. Wyatt as Senate cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Representatives Allen, T. Baker, Blount, Cook, Davis, Flowers, Gaskill, W. Lewellen, Rainey, Saunders, Williams, and Word as House cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 2, delete lines 32 through 36 and substitute the following:

"(C) One (1) member shall serve a term of three (3) years; and

(D) Two (2) members shall serve terms of four (4) years;"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 1 through 4

AND

Page 3, delete line 22 and substitute the following:

"section, all succeeding appointments shall be for terms of four (4) years.

(6) The Governor shall select annually a chair from the membership of the commission."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 31 through 33 and substitute the following:

"~~(e)~~(f)(1) Members of the commission shall be subject to removal from office by the ~~cochairs~~ appointing authority when the actions or condition of a member shall be considered as ~~sufficient~~ good cause for removal.

(2) "Good cause" means the same as defined in § 25-16-804."

AND

Page 3, line 36, delete "but," and substitute "but"

AND

Page 4, delete line 1 and substitute the following:

"~~to the extent moneys are appropriated therefor,~~ may receive expense"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 22 through 24 and substitute the following:

"(6)(A) To establish a Martin Luther King, Jr. Youth Commission to educate young persons on the principles and legacy of Martin Luther King, Jr.

(B) Members of the Martin Luther King, Jr. Youth Commission may receive expense reimbursement in accordance with § 25-16-901 et seq.; and"

AND

Page 4, delete line 28 and substitute the following:
"oriented.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 25-24-103 is amended to read as follows:
25-24-103. ~~Powers~~ Staff of commission.
(a) The Governor shall appoint an executive director of the Martin Luther King, Jr. Commission.
(2) The executive director shall serve at the pleasure of the Governor.
(b) The Martin Luther King, Jr. Commission may employ ~~such~~ staff and consultants as authorized by law and fix their compensation, duties, authority, and responsibilities."

AND

Appropriately renumber the remaining sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR HENRY "HANK" WILKINS IV

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Amend Senate Bill No. 91 as engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 28 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 28

As Engrossed: S1/29/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT A DRIVER UNDER EIGHTEEN (18) YEARS OF AGE FROM OPERATING A MOTOR VEHICLE WHILE USING A *WIRELESS* TELEPHONE DEVICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 28 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 31

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Elliott, Luker, H. Wilkins.

Total 3

VOTING PRESENT: D. Johnson, .

Total 1

Total number of votes cast 32

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 28 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1119 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1119

As Engrossed: H1/23/09 S2/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES KERR, ENGLISH & J. BURRIS

BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT *WIRELESS* TELEPHONE USE BY DRIVERS WHO ARE UNDER EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE; TO REQUIRE DRIVERS WHO ARE EIGHTEEN TO TWENTY YEARS OF AGE TO USE HANDS-FREE *WIRELESS* TELEPHONES; TO PROHIBIT DRIVERS WHO ARE EIGHTEEN TO TWENTY YEARS OF AGE FROM USING HANDHELD *WIRELESS* TELEPHONES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1119 was pulled down at this time and ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Bill No. 1144 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1144

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SELECTION OF MEMBERS OF MUNICIPAL AIRPORT COMMISSIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1144 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1144 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 1182 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1182
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE REIMBURSEMENT OF TIPS FOR COUNTY PERSONNEL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1182 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1182 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 205 was withdrawn from JOINT BUDGET, placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 205

Amend Senate Bill No. 205 as originally introduced:

Page 3, line 14, delete the number "0" and substitute "25,000";

AND

Page 3, line 18, delete "3,587,435" and substitute "3,612,435".

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 205 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 83 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 83 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 83
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS APPRAISER LICENSING AND CERTIFICATION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 83 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 83, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 83 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 199 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 199 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 199

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 199 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 199, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 199 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 261 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 261 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 261
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR MAINTAINING AND OPERATING A CONTINUING EDUCATION PROGRAM FOR THE COUNTY CLERKS, CIRCUIT CLERKS, COUNTY TREASURERS, AND COUNTY COLLECTORS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 261 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 261, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 261 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 264 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 264 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 264

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR ALLOCATION OF THE FEDERAL BANKHEAD-JONES GRANTS AND

FEDERAL TURNBACK FOR ROADS BY THE AUDITOR OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 264 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 264, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 264 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

Senate Bill No. 52 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 57 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 86 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 139 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 250 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

SENATE BILL NO. 305
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1283 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 305 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 306
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR GRANTS TO CITIES AND COUNTIES FOR THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AERONAUTICS WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 572 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 306 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 307
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT FROM LICENSURE THOSE ADULT DAY CARE CENTERS THAT CARE FOR IMPAIRED ADULTS FOR PERIODS OF FOUR (4) OR LESS HOURS PER DAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 307 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 308
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 308 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 309
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS J. JEFFRESS, ALTES, BLEDSOE, BRYLES, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, GLOVER, HENDREN, G. JEFFRESS, D. JOHNSON, MILLER, R. THOMPSON, TRUSTY, H. WILKINS, WILKINSON & D. WYATT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SHELBY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BLOUNT, CHEATHAM, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, HARRELSON, HOYT, W. LEWELLEN, MAXWELL, NIX, J. ROEBUCK, SAUNDERS, SUMMERS, TYLER, WEBB & WILLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE SAFETY OF ROADS AND HIGHWAYS IN THE STATE BY ADDRESSING ISSUES RELATED TO THE LICENSING OF YOUTHFUL DRIVERS; TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING RESTRICTED DRIVER'S LICENSES, LEARNER'S LICENSES, AND INTERMEDIATE LICENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 309 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1132
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BLOUNT, ABERNATHY, T. BAKER, M. BURRIS, COOK, DAVIS, HARDY, W. LEWELLEN, RAINEY, SAUNDERS, WILLIAMS & WORD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A BIRTH THROUGH PREKINDERGARTEN TEACHING CREDENTIAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1132 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 310
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE SALE AND LICENSURE OF LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 310 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 311
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MAKEUP OF THE COSMETOLOGY TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 311 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1133
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BLOUNT, ABERNATHY, T. BAKER, COOK, DAVIS, FLOWERS, HARDY, HOUSE, W. LEWELLEN, MCLEAN, RAINEY, SAUNDERS, WAGNER, WILLIAMS & WORD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ELIGIBILITY AND APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR THE LIFETIME TEACHING LICENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1133 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1264
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT FROM LANDFILL FEES THE LITTER COLLECTED DURING THE KEEP ARKANSAS BEAUTIFUL AND THE KEEP AMERICA BEAUTIFUL CAMPAIGNS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1264 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1258
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1258 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1260
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1260 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1274
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES ADCOCK, PYLE, GREENBERG, L. SMITH, WEBB, HOUSE & POWERS
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODERNIZE ARKANSAS'S RABIES CONTROL ACT; TO EMPOWER THE STATE BOARD OF HEALTH TO ESTABLISH REASONABLE VACCINATION REQUIREMENTS AGAINST RABIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1274 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1277
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE CONFIDENTIALITY PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS TAX PROCEDURE ACT TO ALLOW DISCLOSURE TO THE OFFICE OF A STANDING CHAPTER 13 BANKRUTPCY TRUSTEE WHETHER OR NOT A TAXPAYER FILED STATE TAX RETURNS FOR THE FOUR YEARS PRIOR TO THE DATE OF THE FILING OF THE CHAPTER 13 BANKRUPTCY PETITION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1277 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 74, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 91, BY SENATOR WILKINS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 205, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 205 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 312
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS STEELE, BROADWAY, CRUMBLY & LAVERTY
BY: REPRESENTATIVES ABERNATHY, ALLEN, GASKILL, GEORGE, HARRELSON, REEP, SAUNDERS, WILLIAMS, WORD, FLOWERS, CARROLL & T. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE "THE ANTONY HOBBS III ACT"; TO CREATE SCHOOL-BASED AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATOR AND CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 312 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 313
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY APPLICABLE KINDERGARTEN AND PREKINDERGARTEN PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 313 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

February 4, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on February 4, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 77, - ACT 33,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

SENATE BILL NO. 314

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REMOVE BARRIERS TO EDUCATIONAL SUCCESS FOR MILITARY CHILDREN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 314 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5,
BY SENATOR HENDREN ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN
SENATOR KIM HENDREN
SENATOR STEVE BRYLES
SENATOR BILL PRITCHARD
SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED
SENATE BILL NO. 28
SENATE BILL NO. 83
SENATE BILL NO. 199
SENATE BILL NO. 261
SENATE BILL NO. 264

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1144
HOUSE BILL NO. 1182

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE

AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 52

SENATE BILL NO. 57

SENATE BILL NO. 86

SENATE BILL NO. 139

SENATE BILL NO. 250

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1132

HOUSE BILL NO. 1133

HOUSE BILL NO. 1258

HOUSE BILL NO. 1260

HOUSE BILL NO. 1264

HOUSE BILL NO. 1274

HOUSE BILL NO. 1277

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, the Senate adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Thursday, February 5, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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TWENTY-FIFTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

February 5, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 11:00 o'clock a.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Key.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 210 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 210

Amend Senate Bill No. 210 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 26, delete "termination of active membership" and substitute "~~termination of active membership~~ retirement"

AND

Page 1, line 30, delete "employee" and substitute "employer"

AND

Page 1, line 32, delete "active membership" and substitute "~~active membership~~ their retirement"

AND

Page 3, line 32, insert a new subsection (g) to read as follows:

" (g) The election to rescind under this section may be exercised only once by the member or retirant."

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 210 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 128 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendments No. 1 and No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 128

Amend Senate Bill No. 128 as originally introduced:

Page 3, line 36, delete line 36 in its entirety

AND

Page 4, line 1, delete line 1 in its entirety and appropriately renumber the remaining subdivisions.

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 128

Amend Senate Bill No. 128 as originally introduced:
Add Senator Wilkinson as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Add Representative Stewart as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 128 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 165 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 165

Amend Senate Bill No. 165 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 4, delete line 4 and substitute the following:

"(B) Has not attained the system's normal retirement age."

(SIGNED) SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 165 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 224 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 224

Amend Senate Bill No. 224 as originally introduced:
Page 4, delete lines 11 and 12, and substitute the following:

"exempt from income tax."

(SIGNED) SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 224 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 128, BY FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 165, BY G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 210, BY FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 224, BY G. JEFFRESS

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 128 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 165 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 210 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 224 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator Steele, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of presenting a citation to Fire Chief Joe McCall of North Little Rock.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 208, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 301, BY SENATOR FARIS,

SENATE BILL NO. 302, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 268, BY SENATOR BAKER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 300, BY SENATOR WHITAKER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR LUKER
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS HENDREN, KEY, TRUSTY, ALTES, WHITAKER, BAKER, BLEDSOE & PRITCHARD

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE FEBRUARY 6 AS "RONALD REAGAN DAY" IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 5 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 34 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 34

Amend Senate Bill No. 34 as engrossed, S1/22/09:

Page 2, line 3, delete "Complaint" and substitute "Complaint — Jurisdiction"

AND

Page 2, line 4, delete "The prosecuting attorney" and substitute "(a) The prosecuting attorney"

AND

Page 2, line 6, delete "circuit court" and substitute "court"

AND

Page 2, delete line 10 and substitute the following:

"502.

(b) A civil action under this subchapter is cognizable before the:

(1) Circuit court of any county in which an act described in § 18-16-501 or § 18-16-502 is committed; and

(2) District court with jurisdiction concurrent with the jurisdiction of the circuit court if permitted by rule or order of the Supreme Court.

(c) As used in this subchapter, "court" means:

(1) A circuit court; and

(2) If permitted by rule or order of the Supreme Court, a district court."

AND

Page 2, line 19, delete "circuit court" and substitute "court"

AND

Page 2, line 22, delete "circuit court" and substitute "court"

AND

Page 2, line 32, delete "circuit clerk" and substitute "clerk"

AND

Page 2, line 33, delete “county” and substitute “court”

AND

Page 3, line 5, delete "circuit court of this county" and substitute "court"

AND

Page 3, line 9, delete "Circuit Clerk of . . . . . County"
and substitute "Clerk of Court"

AND

Page 3, line 17, delete "circuit court" and substitute "court"

AND

Page 3, line 35, delete "circuit court" and substitute "court"

AND

Page 4, delete line 1 and substitute the following:
"court shall order the clerk of the court to immediately issue"

AND

Page 4, line 6, delete "the circuit" and substitute "the"

AND

Page 5, line 4, delete "circuit court" and substitute "court"
AND

Page 5, delete line 17 and substitute the following:
"no bond shall be required unless ordered by the court as a"

(SIGNED SENATOR THOMPSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 34 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 49 was placed back on second reading for purpose of amendment.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 49

Amend Senate Bill No. 49 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 34, delete "$1" and substitute "$25"

AND

Page 1, line 35, delete "$5" and substitute "$50"

AND

Page 1, line 35, delete "$10" and substitute "$100"

AND

Page 2, line 7, delete "(2)" and substitute "(3)"

AND

Page 2, line 10, delete "(3)" and substitute "(4)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR KEY

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Amend Senate Bill No. 49 as engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1214 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1214

Amend House Bill No. 1 as originally introduced:

Page 3, delete lines 4 through 5, and substitute the following language:
"(B) The chair shall serve as a nonvoting member during his or her term as chair, however the chair may vote in the case of a tie. "

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1214 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 60 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 60
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 10 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 60 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 60 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

Senator Wilkinson moved that Senate Bill No. 61, Senate Bill No. 66, Senate Bill No. 67, Senate Bill No. 71, Senate Bill No. 70 and Senate Bill No. 74 be voted in block. Motion passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 61 at this time.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 61 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 61
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 1 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 61 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 61 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 66 at this time.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 66 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 66
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 7 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 66 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 66 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 67 at this time.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 67 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 67
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 3 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 67 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 67 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 71 at this time.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 71 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 71
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 19 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 71 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 71 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 70 at this time.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 70 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 70

As Engrossed: S1/29/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 12 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 70 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 70 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 74 at this time.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 74 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 74

As Engrossed: S2/4/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 21 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 74 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 74 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 59 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 59
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS MADISON, PRITCHARD, HENDREN & WHITAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SMITH, BARNETT, HOBBS, HOUSE, HUTCHINSON, KING, LINDSEY, RAGLAND, SLINKARD & SUMMERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A NEW CIRCUIT JUDGESHIP IN THE FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 59 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 59 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 33 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 33
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR THOMPSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND SUPREME COURT RULE 5-2 AS AUTHORIZED BY SECTION 9 OF AMENDMENT 80 TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO PERMIT UNPUBLISHED OPINIONS OF THE COURT OF APPEALS TO BE CITED BY COURTS OR IN MATERIALS PRESENTED TO COURTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 33 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 33 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 35 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 35
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR THOMPSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE A PROCEDURE FOR TERMINATING AN ORAL LEASE OF FARMLANDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 35 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 35 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 88 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 88

As Engrossed: S1/22/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS GLOVER, BROADWAY, ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, HENDREN, J. JEFFRESS, G. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, J. KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MALONE, MILLER, SALMON, STEELE, THOMPSON, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT & *HORN*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REDUCE THE STATE SALES AND USE TAX RATE ON FOOD AND FOOD INGREDIENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Taylor spoke against the Bill.

Senator Glover closed for his Bill.

Senate Bill No. 88 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 32

NEGATIVE: J. Taylor.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Elliott, H. Wilkins.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 88, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 32

NEGATIVE: J. Taylor.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Elliott, H. Wilkins.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 88 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Bill No. 296 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1171 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1171
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF THE THIRTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT A DIVISION A PROSECUTOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1171 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1171, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1171 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1109 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1109
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THE STATE BOARD OF HEALTH POSSESSES SUBPOENA POWER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1109 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1109 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, House Bill No. 1118 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1118
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES MAY SELECT A DESIGNEE TO SERVE ON HIS OR HER BEHALF ON THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE PRINTING REQUIREMENTS AND SPECIFICATIONS AND ON THE JOINT INTERIM COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1118 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1118 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1014 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1014

As Engrossed: H1/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES CREEKMORE, ALLEN, BURRIS, WILKINS, BREEDLOVE, GASKILL, HUTCHINSON, MOORE, POWERS, REEP, J. ROEBUCK, SAUNDERS, STEWART, *ADCOCK*, *COLE, DUNN, GARNER, R. GREEN, KERR, LOVELL, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PENNARTZ, PYLE, & L. SMITH*

BY: SENATORS HORN, BROADWAY, FARIS, MALONE, T. SMITH & *TEAGUE*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE TASK FORCE ON THE EFFECT OF ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1014 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1014 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 284 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 284

Amend Senate Bill No. 284 as originally introduced:
Page 1, line 29, delete "on" and substitute "one"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 284 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1258 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1258 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1258
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1258 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1258, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1258 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1260 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1260 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1260
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1260 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1260, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1260 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 148, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 245, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

SENATE BILL NO. 269, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 270, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 271, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 272, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 273, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 274, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 275, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 277, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 279, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 280, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 281, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 282, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 283, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 285, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 292, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 293, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 294, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER
CHAIRMAN

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 4
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR PRITCHARD

PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO AMENDMENT NO. 73, SECTION 2 TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS TO LIMIT THE TOTAL NUMBER OF YEARS A MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY MAY SERVE.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 4 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 315
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE TRAUMA SYSTEM ACT, § 20-13-801 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 315 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 316
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES ABERNATHY AND J. ROEBUCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO LIMIT THE AMOUNT OF UNRESTRICTED EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL TUITION AND FEE INCOME AN INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION CAN SPEND ON ACADEMIC AND PERFORMANCE SCHOLARSHIPS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 316 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION INCREASING THE LENGTH OF TERMS FOR CERTAIN COUNTY OFFICIALS; TO PROVIDE THAT THE ELECTION OF CERTAIN COUNTY OFFICIALS SHALL BE ON A NONPARTISAN BASIS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 5 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 34, BY SENATOR THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 49, BY SENATORS KEY AND BAKER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 284, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 284 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1214, BY REPRESENTATIVE ROEBUCK ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, HOUSE Bill No. 1214 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 317
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE RELATING TO ETHICS; AMENDING PORTIONS OF ARKANSAS LAW RESULTING FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1988, INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1990, AND INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 317 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 318
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING LICENSE FEES FOR BURIAL ASSOCIATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 318 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 319
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REMOVE THE MISCELLANEOUS FUNDS RECEIVED BY A SCHOOL DISTRICT FROM THE CALCULATION OF STATE FUNDING ASSISTANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 319 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1267
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS ORTHOTICS, PROSTHETICS, AND PEDORTHICS PRACTICE ACT OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1267 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1204
As Engrossed: H2/2/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES REEP, WILLS, SHELBY, *EVERETT, ALLEN,* T. BAKER, J. BROWN, CARROLL, CHEATHAM, COOK, J. EDWARDS, GASKILL, R. GREEN, HARRELSON, HOUSE, HYDE, LINDSEY, MALOCH, MAXWELL, MOORE, PENNARTZ, POWERS, RAINEY, J. ROEBUCK, L. SMITH, TYLER, WEBB, WELLS, *MCCRARY, PATTERSON, BLOUNT, PIERCE, DUNN, ABERNATHY & SAUNDERS*
BY: SENATORS STEELE AND J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE TAX ON CIGARETTES AND OTHER TOBACCO PRODUCTS; TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION TO PAY THE COMMISSION TO THE STAMP DEPUTIES FOR CERTAIN CIGARETTE TAXES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1204 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 52, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 57, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 86, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 139, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 250, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 3:35 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 52,
SENATE BILL NO. 57,
SENATE BILL NO. 86,
SENATE BILL NO. 139,
SENATE BILL NO. 250,

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 5th day of February, 2009 at 3:35 p.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Sarah S. Agee
Secretary

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1239
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES COLE AND MOORE
BY: SENATORS ALTES, TEAGUE & WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE OPTIONS FOR THE AGRICULTURE INDUSTRY TO USE MORE FUEL-EFFICIENT VEHICLES TO REDUCE COSTS; TO ALLOW MINI-TRUCKS TO BE REGISTERED AND LICENSED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1239 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1261
As Engrossed: H2/4/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BREEDLOVE, PENNARTZ, ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, T. BAKER, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, J. BROWN, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DUNN, EVERETT, GASKILL, R. GREEN, HALL, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KIDD, KING, LEA, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, M. MARTIN, MCCRARY, MOORE, NICKELS, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PIERCE, POWERS, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROGERS, T. ROGERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, WAGNER, B. WILKINS, WILLS, WOODS, WORD & *J. ROEBUCK*
BY: SENATORS WHITAKER, HORN, T. SMITH, CAPPS, PRITCHARD, BLEDSOE BAKER & HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 12-8-214 TO ALLOW THE SPOUSE OF AN ARKANSAS STATE POLICE OFFICER TO PURCHASE THE OFFICER'S SERVICE SHOTGUN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1261 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1263
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOYT AND REYNOLDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE INTERIM FILLING OF VACANCIES FOR THE OFFICE OF COUNTY JUDGE AND SHERIFF DURING TIMES OF EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1263 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1265
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARDY, MALOCH, REEP & G. SMITH
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO RENAME THE SAU-TECH ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL CENTER TO THE ARKANSAS ENVIRONMENTAL TRAINING ACADEMY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1265 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1276
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PENNARTZ, GLIDEWELL, BREEDLOVE & S. MALONE
BY: SENATORS ALTES AND WILKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING COUNTY RECORDERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1276 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1279
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACCESS TO CERTAIN INFORMATION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1279 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1315
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES T. BAKER, OVERBEY, PYLE & REEP

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REGARDING THE REQUIREMENTS OF ANNUAL REPORTS BY MAYORS OF CITIES OF THE FIRST CLASS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1315 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1340
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MOORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO BROADEN THE LIST OF RECIPIENTS THAT MAY RECEIVE SURPLUS CAMPAIGN FUNDS TO INCLUDE CITIES OF THE FIRST CLASS, CITIES OF THE SECOND CLASS, AND INCORPORATED TOWNS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1340 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 112, BY SENATOR THOMPSON
SENATE BILL NO. 133, BY SENATOR SMITH ET AL
SENATE BILL NO. 206, BY SENATOR MILLER

Be leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 3:25 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 112
SENATE BILL NO. 133
SENATE BILL NO. 206

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 5th day of February, 2009 at 3:25 p.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J. D. Lowery
Secretary

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 33
SENATE BILL NO. 35
SENATE BILL NO. 59
SENATE BILL NO. 60
SENATE BILL NO. 61
SENATE BILL NO. 66
SENATE BILL NO. 67
SENATE BILL NO. 70
SENATE BILL NO. 71
SENATE BILL NO. 74
SENATE BILL NO. 88

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 5

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1014
HOUSE BILL NO. 1109
HOUSE BILL NO. 1118
HOUSE BILL NO. 1171
HOUSE BILL NO. 1258
HOUSE BILL NO. 1260

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 112
SENATE BILL NO. 133
SENATE BILL NO. 206

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1204

HOUSE BILL NO. 1239

HOUSE BILL NO. 1261

HOUSE BILL NO. 1263

HOUSE BILL NO. 1265

HOUSE BILL NO. 1267

HOUSE BILL NO. 1276

HOUSE BILL NO. 1279

HOUSE BILL NO. 1315

HOUSE BILL NO. 1340

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., February 9, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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TWENTY-NINTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

February 9, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Crumbly.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 121 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 121

Amend Senate Bill No. 121 as engrossed, S2/4/09:

Page 14, line 1, delete "~~dollars ($100)~~ one thousand dollars ($1,000)" and substitute "~~dollars ($100)~~ four hundred fifty dollars ($450)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR R. THOMPSON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 121 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 209 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 209

Amend Senate Bill No. 209 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 25, after "(a)" insert "(1)"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 30 through 36, and Page 2, delete lines 1 through 4, and substitute the following:

"Revenue Code.

(2) The annual benefits, as may be increased in subsequent years, that are paid to retirants by the system shall not exceed the limitations under section 415(b) of the Internal Revenue Code applicable to the annuity effective date under section 415(d) of the Internal Revenue Code.

(b) For purposes of determining compliance with section 415 of the Internal Revenue Code, "compensation" ~~shall be~~ is defined as set forth in United States Treasury Regulation § 1.415-2(d)(2) as it existed on January 1, ~~2001~~2009, ~~and shall include any elective deferrals as defined in section 402(g)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code and any amount which is contributed or deferred by a member's employer at the election of the member and which is not includable in the gross income of the member by reasons of section 125 or section 457 of the Internal Revenue Code~~."

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 209 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 239 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 239

Amend Senate Bill No. 239 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 9, delete "PHYSICIANS" and substitute "PHYSICIANS AND PODIATRISTS"

AND

Page 1, line 14, delete "PHYSICIANS" and substitute "PHYSICIANS AND PODIATRISTS"

AND

Immediately following SECTION 1, add an additional section to read as follows:

"SECTION 2. Arkansas Code Title 17, Chapter 96, Subchapter 2 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

17-95-204. General authority of podiatrist to delegate.

(a)(1) A podiatrist may delegate to a qualified and properly trained employee under the podiatrist's supervision the performance of tasks that do not require substantial specialized judgment and skill based on knowledge and applications of principles of biological, physical, and social sciences, as determined by the Arkansas Board of Podiatric Medicine, if in the opinion of the delegating podiatrist, the task:

(A) Can be properly and safely performed by the employee to whom the task is delegated;

(B) Is performed in its customary manner; and

(C) Is performed within the physical boundaries of the delegating podiatrist's offices.

(2) The employee to whom the delegation of the task is made shall not be represented to the public as a licensed podiatrist, licensed nurse, licensed podiatrist's assistant, or other licensed healthcare provider.

(b) The delegating podiatrist remains responsible for the acts of the employee performing the delegated task.

(c) This section does not authorize the Arkansas State Medical Board to permit nor shall it repeal other acts that deal with specific tasks of licensed health care providers."

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 239 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 309 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 309

Amend Senate Bill No. 309 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 6, delete "permit" and substitute "~~permit~~ license"

AND

Page 2, line 8, delete "(4)" and substitute "(4)(A)"

AND

Page 2, delete line 10 and substitute:

"operating a motor vehicle.

(B) This subdivision (f)(4) is not retroactive and applies only to a person who:

(i) Applies for a learner's license after the effective date of this act; and

(ii) Is issued a learner's license after the effective date of this act."

AND

Pages 2 and 3, delete Section 2 entirely and substitute:

"SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 27-16-804(g), regarding intermediate licenses, is amended to read as follows:

(g)(1)(A) The office shall have authority to issue to those persons under eighteen (18) years of age a restricted driver's license to be known as an "intermediate driver's license".

~~(2)~~(B) The intermediate driver's license shall be issued only to an applicant with a valid instruction permit or a learner's license who is at least sixteen (16) years of age, who has remained free of a serious accident and conviction of a serious traffic violation for at least the previous six (6) months, and who meets all other licensing examination requirements of this chapter.

~~(3)~~(C) The driver with an intermediate driver's license shall operate the motor vehicle on the public streets and highways only when all passengers in the vehicle are wearing their seat belts.

(D) A driver with an intermediate driver's license shall not use a cellular telephone device or other interactive wireless communication device while operating a motor vehicle.

(E)(i) A driver with an intermediate driver's license shall not operate a motor vehicle on public streets or highways with more than one (1) unrelated minor passenger in the motor vehicle unless the driver is accompanied by a licensed driver who is twenty-one (21) years of age or older and who is occupying the front passenger seat of the motor vehicle.

(ii) As used in this section, "unrelated minor passenger" means a passenger who is under twenty-one (21) years of age and who is not:

(a) A sibling of the driver;

(b) A step-sibling of the driver; or

(c) A child who resides in the same household as the driver.

(F) A driver with an intermediate driver's license shall not operate a motor vehicle on public streets or highways between the hours of 11:00 p.m. and 5:00 a.m. unless the driver is:

(i) Accompanied by a licensed driver who is twenty-one (21) years of age or older;

(ii) Driving to or from a school activity, church-related activity, or job; or

(iii) Driving because of an emergency.

(2) Subdivisions (g)(1)(D)—(F) are not retroactive and apply only to a person who:

(A) Applies for an intermediate license after the effective date of this act; and

(B) Is issued an intermediate license after the effective date of this act."

AND

Page 3, line 34, delete "less than" and substitute "under"

AND

Page 4, delete Section 5 entirely

AND

If appropriate, renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 309 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 121, BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 121 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 209, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 209 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 239, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 239 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 309, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 309 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 27 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 53 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 58 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 83 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 85 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 199 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 261 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 264 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 116, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 117, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 118, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 119, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 188, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1116, BY REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1239, BY REPRESENTATIVE COLE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1013, BY REPRESENTATIVE KIDD,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2. Having receded from its previous action on Amendment No.1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1119, BY REPRESENTATIVE KERR,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 255 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 54 at this time.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 54 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 54

Amend Senate Bill No. 54 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 32 through 34, and substitute the following:

"(b) The jeweler or merchant may dispose of the jewelry if at the time of receiving the jewelry:"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 23 through 25 and substitute the following:

"(d)(1) A jeweler or merchant that disposes of jewelry under this section shall apply the proceeds from the sale or other disposition of the jewelry to:

(A) A reasonable handling charge of the jeweler or merchant not to exceed fifty dollars ($50.00); and

(B) The indebtedness owed to the jeweler or merchant for repairs or services performed in connection with the jewelry.

(2) Any proceeds that exceed the amount necessary to make the jeweler or merchant whole under subdivision (d)(1) of this section shall be treated as unclaimed property and reported and paid to the Auditor of State under § 18-28-201 et seq."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 54 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 14 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 14 was withdrawn by the author Senator J. Jeffress.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 268 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 268

Amend Senate Bill No. 268 as originally introduced:

Add the following Representatives as cosponsors of the bill:

Representative Pennartz

(SIGNED) SENATOR G. BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 268 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 301 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 301
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE BOOK REPORT OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 301 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 301 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 302 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 302
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE ARKANSAS BUILDING AUTHORITY; TO AMEND THE PERCENTAGE OF EARNED PROGRESS PAYMENTS PAYABLE TO CONTRACTORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 302 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 302 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 34 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 34

As Engrossed: S1/22/09 S2/5/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE A PROCEDURE FOR THE EVICTION OF TENANTS ENGAGED IN CERTAIN GAMBLING, ALCOHOL, AND PROSTITUTION OFFENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 34 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 34 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 49 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 49

As Engrossed: S2/5/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS J. KEY AND BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW TAXPAYERS TO DIVERT ALL OR PART OF THEIR STATE INCOME TAX REFUND TO AN ARKANSAS TAX-DEFERRED TUITION SAVINGS PROGRAM ACCOUNT BY DESIGNATING THE CONTRIBUTION ON THEIR INCOME TAX FORM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 49 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 49 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Capps, House Bill No. 1170 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1170
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LOWERY, MALOCH, REYNOLDS, HAWKINS & HOYT
BY: SENATORS TRUSTY, B. JOHNSON, MILLER & CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW FLEXIBILITY IN THE REPORTING OF SEVERED NATURAL GAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1170 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1170, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1170 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, House Bill No. 1035 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1035
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE NICKELS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT A HOMESTEAD USED AS A PRINICIPAL PLACE OF RESIDENCE BY A PERSON WHO IS DISABLED OR AT LEAST SIXTY-FIVE YEARS OF AGE SHALL BE ASSESSED FOR PROPERTY TAX ON THE LOWER OF THE ASSESSED VALUE AT THE TIME THE TAXPAYER QUALIFIED FOR THE PROPERTY TAX RELIEF OR A LATER ASSESSED VALUE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1035 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1035, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1035 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 101 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 101

Amend Senate Bill No. 101 as originally introduced:

Page 3, line 4, delete "203,791" and substitute "233,791"

And

Page 3, line 6, delete "0" and substitute "6,000"

And

Page 3, line 13, delete "$ 2,003,313" and substitute "$ 2,039,313"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 101 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 288 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 288

Amend Senate Bill No. 288 as originally introduced:

Page 28, line 27, following the word "Center" insert "and for other Ozarka college Campus construction, renovation, personal services, operating expenses, and associated costs for Ozarka College";

AND

Page 28, line 31, following the word "Center" insert "and for other Ozarka college Campus construction, renovation, personal services, operating expenses, and associated costs for Ozarka College";

AND

Page 29, line 3, following the word "renovation" insert "and for other Ozarka College campus operations, construction, renovation, personal services, operating expenses, and other capital improvements";

AND

Following SECTION 39, insert a new section:

" SECTION 40. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. PRIOR FUNDING ACTS. (a) As referenced in SECTION 3 of Act 1691 of 2001, the authorized funding for Ozarka College for institutional facilities and improvements, shall also be deemed to include other Ozarka College campus operations, construction, renovation, personal services, operating expenses, and other capital improvement costs for Ozarka College.

(b) As referenced in SECTION 3 of Act 2315 of 2005, the authorized funding for Ozarka College for facilities and equipment for the Melbourne Secondary Center, and for facilities and equipment for the Mountain View Secondary Center, shall also be deemed to include other Ozarka College campus construction, renovation, personal services, operating expenses, and associated costs for Ozarka College.";

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent sections.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 288 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 148 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 148 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 148
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 148 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 148, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 148 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 245 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 245 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 245

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE CRIME LABORATORY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 245 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 245, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 245 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 277 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 277 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 277
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF CHILD CARE AND EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 277 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 277, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 277 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 269 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 269 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 269
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 269 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 269, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 269 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 270 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 270 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 270
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION - ARKANSAS REHABILITATION SERVICES - FOR VARIOUS MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, EQUIPPING, CONSTRUCTION, ACQUISITION, IMPROVEMENT, UPGRADE AND REPAIR PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 270 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 270, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clausel.....24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 270 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 271 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 271 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 271
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 271 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 271, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 271 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 272 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 272 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 272
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 272 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 272, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 272 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 273 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 273 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 273
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS BUILDING AUTHORITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 273 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 273, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 273 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 274 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 274 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 274
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE WAR MEMORIAL STADIUM COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 274 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 274, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 274 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 275 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 275 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 275
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR REAL PROPERTY REAPPRAISAL COSTS FOR THE ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DEPARTMENT WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1218 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 275 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 275, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 275 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 279 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 279 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 279
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDARDS AND TRAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 279 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 279, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 279 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 280 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 280 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 280
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 280 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 280, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 280 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 281 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 281 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 281
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE STATE CRIME LABORATORY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 281 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 281, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 281 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 282 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 282 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 282
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 282 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 282, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 282 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 283 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 283 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 283
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 283 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 283, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 283 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 285 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 285 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 285
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - REVENUE SERVICES DIVISION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 285 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 285, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 285 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 292 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 292 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 292
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - BEEBE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1251 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 292 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 292, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 292 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 293 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 293 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 293
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PROVIDING ARKANSAS RESEARCH DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM GRANTS TO INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1229 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 293 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 293, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 293 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 294 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 294 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 294
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR VARIOUS PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 294 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 294, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 294 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CHEATHAM AND MOORE

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING ASHLEY COUNTY AND ITS COMMUNITIES FOR OBTAINING THE FIREWISE COMMUNITIES CERTIFICATION FROM THE ARKANSAS FORESTRY COMMISSION.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 320
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW FOR THE EXTENSION OF A LOCAL SALES AND USE TAX UPON THE APPROVAL OF THE VOTERS OF THE MUNICIPALITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 320 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 321
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW FOR THE EXTENSION OF A COUNTY-WIDE SALES AND USE TAX UPON THE APPROVAL OF THE VOTERS OF THE COUNTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 321 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 322
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE SALE AND USE TAX LAWS TO BE CONSISTENT WITH THE STREAMLINED SALES TAX AGREEMENT; TO CLARIFY THAT A WITHDRAWAL FROM STOCK IS SUBJECT TO SALES AND USE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 322 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 323
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCLUDE A DEFINITION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITY IN THE ARKANSAS INCOME TAX LAW RATHER THAN BY REFERENCE TO A PROVISION CONTAINED IN TITLE 20 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 323 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 324
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXTEND THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS FOR A VETERAN TO FILE A CLAIM FOR REFUND OF AN OVERPAYMENT OF INCOME TAX THAT RESULTS FROM A RETROACTIVE DETERMINATION BY THE SECRETARY OF VETERANS AFFAIRS THAT THE VETERAN IS ENTITLED TO COMPENSATION FOR A SERVICE-CONNECTED DISABILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 324 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 325
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF FAILURE TO APPEAR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 325 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 326
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 326 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 327
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENACT THE UNIFORM ADULT GUARDIANSHIP AND PROTECTIVE PROCEEDINGS JURISDICTION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 327 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 328
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 328 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1195
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1195 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1219
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1219 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1246
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CARROLL
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE REGARDING CERTIFICATION OF NEW POLITICAL PARTIES AND INDEPENDENT CANDIDATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1246 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1269
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY, T. BAKER & PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL OUTDATED SECTIONS OF THE CODE DEALING WITH YEAR 2000 COMPUTER ISSUES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1269 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1270
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY, T. BAKER & PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 16-81-106(c) TO CORRECT A TYPOGRAPHICAL ERROR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1270 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1271
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE FLOWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXPAND THE MEMBERSHIP FOR THE COMMITTEE ON PERSONNEL POLICIES FOR CLASSIFIED EMPLOYEES IN EACH SCHOOL DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1271 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1285
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS CRIME INFORMATION CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1285 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1289
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE STATE MILITARY DEPARTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1289 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1290
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR PAYMENT OF CONSULTANTS, EXPERT WITNESSES, ATTORNEYS FEES, OR OTHER COSTS OF THE PULASKI COUNTY DESEGREGATIONS CASE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1290 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1291
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE CROWLEY'S RIDGE TECHNICAL INSTITUTE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1291 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1292
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE A CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION FOR THE CROWLEY'S RIDGE TECHNICAL INSTITUTE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO APPROPRIATION IN ACT 1274 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1292 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1293
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE STATE BOARD OF FINANCE FOR RURAL MEDICAL CLININCS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1293 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1294
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1294 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1295
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1295 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1296
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR VARIOUS OPERATION EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS HOME INSPECTOR REGISTRATION BOARD WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 499 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1296 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1297
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE PAYMENT OF REIMBURSEMENT TO COUNTIES HOUSING STATE INMATES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1291 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1297 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1298
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM - ARKANSAS HISTORY COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1298 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1299
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PURCHASE/CORPORATE TRAVEL CARD PROGRAM FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - MANAGEMENT SERVICES DIVISION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 801 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1299 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1300
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1300 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1301
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1281 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1301 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1302
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1302 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1303
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1303 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1304
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1304 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1306
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1306 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1331
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING FEES FOR THE ISSUANCE OF WRITS OF GARNISHMENT AND EXECUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1331 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1333
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE REFUND OF LOCAL SALES AND USE TAXES BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1333 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1334
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PAYMENT OF THE MATURING BONDS AND INTEREST OF THE COLLEGE SAVINGS AND HIGHER EDUCATION GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND THE STATE WATER, WASTE DISPOSAL, AND POLLUTION ABATEMENT GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1334 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1335
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR DISTRIBUTION OF AMENDMENT 74 FUNDS TO COUNTIES BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1335 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1341
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MOORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MAXIMUM FINES FOR VIOLATION OF A MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1341 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1345
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOVELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN ALTERNATIVE DATE FOR THE ASSESSMENT OF TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1345 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1350
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE AND GARNER
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE TRANSPORT OF INMATES REQUIRED FOR LEGAL PROCEEDINGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1350 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1351
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE AND GARNER
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE AWARD OF THE PISTOL CARRIED BY A DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION PAROLE OR PROBATION OFFICER UPON RETIREMENT OR DEATH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1351 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1352
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE AND GARNER
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE PRESCRIPTION OF RULES REGARDING THE DISCIPLINE OF INMATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1352 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 54, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 54 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 268, BY SENATOR G. BAKER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 101, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 288, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 101 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 288 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 27, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 53, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 58, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 83, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 85, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 199, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 261, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 264, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 2:16 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 27
SENATE BILL NO. 53
SENATE BILL NO. 58
SENATE BILL NO. 83
SENATE BILL NO. 85
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SENATE BILL NO. 261
SENATE BILL NO. 264

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 9th day of February, 2009 at 2:16 p.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J. D. Lowery
Secretary

Senate Bill No. 16 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 104 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1034

As Engrossed: H1/30/09 H2/4/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES COOK, ABERNATHY, M. BURRIS, GEORGE, RAINEY, J. ROEBUCK, *BETTS, DALE, PERRY, G. SMITH, WAGNER, BLOUNT, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, CHEATHAM, J. DICKINSON, NIX, PENNARTZ & TYLER*

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO STRENGTHEN THE SYSTEM OF ARKANSAS *EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1034 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1058

As Engrossed: H1/22/09 H1/30/69 H2/06/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO MODIFY THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS FOR THE OFFENSE OF RAPE WHEN IDENTIFIED GENETIC INFORMATION IS PRESENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1058 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1307
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS GEOLOGICAL SURVEY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1307 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1308
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1308 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1310
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE NORTHWEST TECHNICAL INSTITUTE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1310 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1311
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - AND ITS VARIOUS DIVISIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1311 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1312
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1312 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1313
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE RIVERSIDE VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL SCHOOL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1313 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1320
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - MANAGEMENT SERVICES DIVISION FOR A STATEWIDE ACCOUNTING SYSTEM WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 367 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1320 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1321
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - MANAGEMENT SERVICES DIVISION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1321 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1338
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PIERCE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE CRIMINAL OFFENSE OF POSSESSION OF EXPLOSIVES BY CERTAIN PERSONS; TO ADD PROHIBITED CATEGORIES; TO CREATE A DEFENSE TO PROSECUTION IF A PERSON IS ACTING IN THE SCOPE OF HIS OR HER EMPLOYMENT WITH AN AUTHORIZED COMPANY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1338 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1346
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOVELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REMOVE THE REQUIREMENT FOR THE COMPLETION OF AN ORIGINAL VALUATION OF NEWLY DISCOVERED AND NEWLY CONSTRUCTED PERSONAL PROPERTY BY JULY 1; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1346 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1349
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES COOK AND J. ROGERS
BY: SENATORS MILLER AND R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE RUNNING WATER LEVEE DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1349 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1356
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO RENAME THE ARKANSAS STATE LAND INFORMATION BOARD TO THE ARKANSAS GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS BOARD; TO MAKE THE STATEWIDE DIGITAL CADASTRE SYSTEM A REQUIRED FUNCTION OF THE BOARD; TO IMPLEMENT THE CENTERLINE PROGRAM AND THE ORTHOPHOTOGRAPHY PROGRAM AS ONGOING FUNCTIONS OF THE BOARD; TO ESTABLISH A MINIMUM ACCURACY LEVEL FOR STATEWIDE FRAMEWORK DATA; TO REMOVE THE REQUIREMENT OF A FEE SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1356 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1357

As Engrossed: H2/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. BURRIS, J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, CARNINE, COOK, J. DICKINSON, EVERETT, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, NICKELS, NIX, PERRY, PIERCE, RAINEY, T. ROGERS, STEWART, WAGNER, *ALLEN, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, CARROLL, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOPER, L. COWLING, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. EDWARDS, FLOWERS, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HYDE, INGRAM, KIDD, LOVELL, LOWERY, MALOCH, S. MALONE, MAXWELL, MCLEAN, MOORE, PENNARTZ, POWERS, RAGLAND, REEP, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SUMMERS, TYLER, WEBB, B. WILKINS, WILLS, WOODS, & WORD*

BY: SENATORS G. BAKER, ELLIOTT & J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A SYSTEM FOR FULLY TRANSFERABLE CREDIT HOURS FROM DEGREES IN ASSOCIATE OF ARTS, ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE, AND ASSOCIATE OF ARTS IN TEACHING AMONG PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1357 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1371
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARDY, ALLEN, GARNER, HALL, LINDSEY, MALOCH, RAINEY, REEP, SAUNDERS, G. SMITH, TYLER & WILLIAMS
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 12-9-103 TO ADD AN OFFICER OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE TO THE ARKANSAS COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDARDS AND TRAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1371 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 329
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CARTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 28-40-111 CONCERNING NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF A PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE AND CLAIMS AGAINST ESTATES; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 28-50-101 REGARDING THE LIMITATIONS PERIOD AFTER A DECEDENT'S DEATH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 329 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 330
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOBBS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE FAST-TRACKED ADOPTION OF GARRETT'S LAW BABIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 330 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 331
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE
BY: REPRESENATIVES BAIRD AND SLINKARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE LAW CONCERNING THE SERVICE AREA AND DUES OF VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 331 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 332
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION MAY ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE OLD STATE HOUSE COMMISSION TO PRODUCE OR MANUFACTURE ITEMS UTILIZING INMATE LABOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 332 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 6
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DISMANG

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING TO AMEND AMENDMENT 65 OF THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO CLARIFY THAT SAVINGS FROM PERFORMANCE-BASED EFFICIENCY PROJECTS ARE REVENUES UNDER THE REVENUE BOND STATUTES; TO CLARIFY THAT SAVINGS FROM PERFORMANCE-BASED EFFICIENCY PROJECTS ARE REVENUES FOR STATE PROJECTS; AND THAT THE AMENDMENT WILL NOT REQUIRE ADDITIONAL TAXPAYER MONEYS.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 6 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE

AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 34

SENATE BILL NO. 49

SENATE BILL NO. 148

SENATE BILL NO. 245

SENATE BILL NO. 269

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SENATE BILL NO. 292

SENATE BILL NO. 293

SENATE BILL NO. 294

SENATE BILL NO. 301

SENATE BILL NO. 302

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1035

HOUSE BILL NO. 1170

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 16
SENATE BILL NO. 27
SENATE BILL NO. 53
SENATE BILL NO. 58
SENATE BILL NO. 83
SENATE BILL NO. 85
SENATE BILL NO. 104
SENATE BILL NO. 199
SENATE BILL NO. 261
SENATE BILL NO. 264

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1034
HOUSE BILL NO. 1058
HOUSE BILL NO. 1195
HOUSE BILL NO. 1219
HOUSE BILL NO. 1246
HOUSE BILL NO. 1269
HOUSE BILL NO. 1270
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1341
HOUSE BILL NO. 1345
HOUSE BILL NO. 1346
HOUSE BILL NO. 1349
HOUSE BILL NO. 1350
HOUSE BILL NO. 1351
HOUSE BILL NO. 1352
HOUSE BILL NO. 1356
HOUSE BILL NO. 1357
HOUSE BILL NO. 1371

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, February 10, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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THIRTIETH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

February 10, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Dr. Gary Hollingsworth, Immanuel Baptist Church, Little Rock.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 155 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 155

Amend Senate Bill No. 155 as originally introduced:
Page 1, line 30, insert "interest calculation" before the word "amount"

(SIGNED) SENATOR GLOVER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 155 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 231 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 231

Amend Senate Bill No. 231 as originally introduced:
Page 2, lines 14 through 18, delete in their entirety

AND

Page 3, line 25, after "(iii)" insert "(a)"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 34 through 36, and Page 4, delete line 1, and substitute the following:

"~~(d) An increase in school revenues.~~ A full service year of salary used in calculating a member's final average salary for retirement benefits shall not exceed the greater of:

(1) One hundred and twenty percent (120%) of the next highest salary used in the calculation; or

(2) Five thousand dollars ($5000).

(b) Salary paid to a member that is less than a member's full service year of salary shall not be used to compare salaries within the final average salary calculated under subdivision (A)(iii)(a) of this subdivision (27).

(iv) If a member's salary includes remuneration paid other than in cash, the cash value of the remuneration is considered in the amount the employer is required to report for federal income tax purposes."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 33 through 36, and Page 5, delete line 1, and substitute the following:

"~~(E)~~(C) ~~An employee~~ A member who is receiving remuneration under both a regular contract and a purchased contract or under both a regular contract and a contract won through litigation, consent agreement, judgment, or decree shall have only the greater of the two (2) amounts considered as salary for Arkansas Teacher Retirement System purposes.

(D) A member's contributions if contributory, and an employer's contributions are required on covered salary, including salary that is paid concurrently with other remuneration from another covered employer, even if the salary is not used in calculating member benefits.

(E) Retirement annuities may be based on service credit covered by the purchased contract."

AND

Page 5, line 7, delete "(C)" and substitute "(F)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 231 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 15 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 15

Amend Senate Bill No. 15 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 27, delete "by certified mail" and substitute "in the manner provided in Rule 4 of the Arkansas Rules of Civil Procedure"

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 15 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 228 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 228

Amend Senate Bill No. 228 as originally introduced:

Page 4, line 2, delete "by a covered employer" and substitute "in covered employment"

AND

Page 5, line 29, delete "~~In the event~~ The" and substitute "~~In the event~~ If the"

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 228 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 165 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 165

Amend Senate Bill No. 165 as engrossed, S2/5/09:

Page 1, line 33, delete "Effective" and substitute "Except for a member who accumulates eight (8) or more years of participation in the Teacher Deferred Retirement Option Plan before July 1, 2009, effective"

(SIGNED) SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 165 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 316 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 316

Amend Senate Bill No. 316 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 25 add the following new sections:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-80-106(a)(1)(B) concerning academic scholarships is amended to read as follows:

(B) "Academic scholarships" does not include:

(i) Graduate assistantships or fellowships;

(ii) Tuition waivers based on age, military service, or occupation and out-of-state tuition waivers for graduate students or students from contiguous states in close proximity to a college or university; ~~and~~

(iii) Scholarships for transfers from two-year institutions; and

(iv) Scholarships made to a student who qualifies for a maximum Pell grant; and

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 6-80-106(a)(2) concerning performance scholarships is amended to read as follows:

(2)(A) "Performance scholarships" means scholarships for band, musical performing groups, arts, theater, forensics, and similar activities that are not awarded on the basis of entrance exam scores or high school academic achievement.

(B) "Performance scholarships" does not include scholarships made to a student who qualifies for a maximum Pell grant."

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 316 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 251 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 251

Amend Senate Bill No. 251 as engrossed, S2/3/09:

Page 3, line 14, delete "accident" and replace with "accident or a company as an agent on behalf of the insurer"

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALTES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 251 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 64 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 64

Amend Senate Bill No. 64 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 10 of the Title and substitute:
"THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED, SOME PORTIONS OF WHICH RESULTED FROM INITIATED ACT 4 OF 1949; AND FOR"

AND

Page 1, delete line 16 of the Subtitle and substitute:
"ANNOTATED, SOME PORTIONS OF WHICH RESULTED FROM INITIATED ACT 4 OF 1949."

AND

Page 1, delete line 21 and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 11-9-508(d)(4) resulting from Initiated Act 4 of 1949 is amended to read as"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 64 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 as originally introduced:

Add Senators B. Johnson, G. Baker, Glover, Hendren and Wilkinson as sponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 15, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 15 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 64, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 64 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 251, BY SENATOR ALTES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 251 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

Senate BILL NO. 316, BY SENATOR BAKER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 316 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 155, BY SENATORS GLOVER AND FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 165, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 228, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 231, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 155 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 165 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 228 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 231 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

February 9, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on February 9, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 052, - ACT 76,
Senate Bill No. 057, - ACT 77,
Senate Bill No. 086, - ACT 78,
Senate Bill No. 139, - ACT 79,
Senate Bill No. 250, - ACT 80,
Senate Bill No. 112, - ACT 81,
Senate Bill No. 206, - ACT 82,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

February 10, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on February 10, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 083, - ACT 88,
Senate Bill No. 199, - ACT 89,
Senate Bill No. 261, - ACT 90,
Senate Bill No. 264, - ACT 91,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

February 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 101, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

SENATE BILL NO. 151, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

SENATE BILL NO. 306, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SE

February 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1315, BY REPRESENTATIVE T. BAKER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1085, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1276, BY REPRESENTATIVE PENNARTZ,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL 107, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL 311, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 10, 2009

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 121, BY SENATOR THOMPSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 3.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1261, BY REPRESENTATIVE BREEDLOVE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1279, BY REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 54, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 254, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 318, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR HORN
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 122 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 122 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Bledsoe.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 18 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 18 was withdrawn by the author, Senator J. Jeffress.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1119 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1119

Amend House Bill No. 1119 as engrossed, S2/3/09:
Add the following Senators as cosponsors of the bill:

Senator Hendren

AND

Delete the title in its entirety and substitute:

"AN ACT TO PROHIBIT WIRELESS TELEPHONE USE BY DRIVERS WHO ARE UNDER EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE; TO PROHIBIT DRIVERS WHO ARE AT LEAST EIGHTEEN BUT UNDER TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE FROM USING HANDHELD WIRELESS TELEPHONES; TO ALLOW DRIVERS WHO ARE AT LEAST EIGHTEEN BUT UNDER TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE TO USE HANDS-FREE WIRELESS TELEPHONES OR DEVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete all language after the enacting clause and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 27, Chapter 51 is amended to add an additional subchapter to read as follows:

27-51-1501. Title.

This subchapter shall be known and may be cited as the “Fewer Distractions Mean Safer Driving Act”.

27-51-1502. Definitions.

As used in this subchapter:

(1) "Emergency purpose" means the reason for contacting any of the following is to report an emergency:

(A) Law enforcement personnel;

(B) Fire department personnel;

(C) Public safety personnel;

(D) Emergency medical personnel; or

(E) A 911 public safety communications center;

(2)(A) "Handheld wireless telephone" means a wireless interactive communication device with which a user engages in a call or text-based communication using at least one (1) hand.

(B) “Handheld wireless telephone” does not include:

(i) A hands-free wireless telephone or device;

(ii) Citizens band radio; or

(iii) Citizens band radio hybrid; and

(3)(A) "Hands-free wireless telephone or device" means a wireless telephone or other wireless communication device that allows a user to engage in text-based communication without the use of either hand with:

(i) An internal feature or function; or

(ii) An attachment or additional device.

(B) A hands-free wireless telephone or device may be a permanent or temporary part of the wireless telephone or other wireless communication device.

(C) A hands-free wireless telephone or device may require the use of either hand to activate, deactivate, or initiate a function of the wireless telephone or other communication device;

(4) “Wireless interactive communication” means talking, typing, text messaging, emailing, or accessing information on the Internet with a wireless telephone; and

(5)(A) "Wireless telephone" means a wireless interactive communication device.

(B) “Wireless telephone” includes a handheld wireless telephone and a hands-free wireless telephone or device.

27-51-1503. Restrictions on drivers under 18 years of age.

(a) Except as provided under subsection (b) of this section, a driver of a motor vehicle who is under eighteen (18) years of age shall not use a wireless telephone for wireless interactive communication while operating a motor vehicle.

(b) A driver of a motor vehicle who is under eighteen (18) years of age may use a wireless telephone for wireless interactive communication while operating a motor vehicle for an emergency purpose only.

27-51-1504. Restrictions on drivers at least 18 but under 21 years of age.

(a)(1) Except as otherwise provided in this section, the driver of a motor vehicle who is at least eighteen (18) but under twenty-one (21) years of age shall not use a handheld wireless telephone for wireless interactive communication while operating a motor vehicle.

(b) A driver of a motor vehicle who is at least eighteen (18) but under twenty-one (21) years of age may use a handheld wireless telephone for wireless interactive communication while operating a motor vehicle for an emergency

purpose only.

27-51-1505. Enforcement.
A driver of a motor vehicle is not to be stopped or detained solely to determine compliance with this section.

27-51-1506. Preemption.
This section supersedes and preempts all county or municipal ordinances regarding wireless telephone use by persons under twenty-one (21) years of age.

27-51-1507. Penalties.
(a)(1) For a first offense under this subchapter, a person shall be issued a citation that is a warning citation and no court appearance is required and no penalty shall be imposed by the court.
(2) A record of each warning citation issued shall be maintained.
(b) A person who pleads guilty or nolo contendere to or has been found guilty of violating this subchapter for a second or subsequent offense is guilty of a violation under § 5-1-108 and shall be fined fifty dollars ($50.00).

27-51-1508. Applicability.
This act applies to all violations committed on and after October 1, 2009."

(SIGNED) SENATOR D. JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1119 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 91 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 91

As Engrossed: S2/4/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS H. WILKINS, *BRYLES, B. JOHNSON, FARIS, ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, D. JOHNSON, LAVERTY, LUKER, MALONE, PRITCHARD, SALMON, T. SMITH, STEELE, J. TAYLOR, TEAGUE, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINSON & WYATT,*

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARDY, *ALLEN, T. BAKER, BLOUNT, COOK, DAVIS, FLOWERS, GASKILL, W. LEWELLEN, RAINEY, SAUNDERS, WILLIAMS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Steele spoke in favor of the Bill.

Senate Bill No. 91 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 91, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 91 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

Senator J. Jeffress made a motion that Retirement Senate Bill No. 116, Senate Bill No. 117, Senate Bill No. 118, Senate Bill No. 119, and Senate Bill No. 188 be voted as a block as they are noncontroversial. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 116 at this time.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 116 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 116

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CORRECT THE LANGUAGE IN ARKANSAS CODE § 24-11-804(a)(1); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 116 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 116 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 117 at this time.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 117 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 117

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR FORMER MILITARY PERSONNEL TO OBTAIN SERVICE CREDIT IN LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE PENSION AND RELIEF FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 117 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 117 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 118 at this time.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 118 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 118

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR FORMER MILITARY PERSONNEL TO OBTAIN SERVICE CREDIT IN THE ARKANSAS LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 118 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 118 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 119 at this time.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 119 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 119

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE ARKANSAS LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO RECOVER OVERPAYMENTS THROUGH COURT ACTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 119 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 119 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 188 at this time.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 188 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 188

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY WHEN A FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE STATEMENT IS NEEDED UNDER THE LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE PENSION AND RELIEF FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 188 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 188 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Altes, House Bill No. 1013 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1013

Amend House Bill No. 1013 as engrossed, H1/28/09:
Add the following Senators as cosponsors of the bill:

Senators Altes, Bookout

AND

Add the following Representatives as cosponsors of the bill:

Representatives McLean, Nix

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALTES

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1013 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 268 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 268

As Engrossed: S2/9/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BAKER

BY: REPRESENTATIVES STEWART AND *PENNARTZ*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS NATIONAL GUARD TUITION INCENTIVE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 268 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 268, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 268 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1239 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1239
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES COLE AND MOORE
BY: SENATORS ALTES, TEAGUE & WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE OPTIONS FOR THE AGRICULTURE INDUSTRY TO USE MORE FUEL-EFFICIENT VEHICLES TO REDUCE COSTS; TO ALLOW MINI-TRUCKS TO BE REGISTERED AND LICENSED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1239 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1239 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1135 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1135
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT THE GOVERNING BODY OF A CITY OF THE SECOND CLASS MAY PRESCRIBE THE RETIREMENT BENEFITS OF A MAYOR OF THE CITY OF THE SECOND CLASS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1135 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1135 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, House Bill No. 1028 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1028
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE POWER OF A MUNICIPALITY TO REGULATE UNSANITARY CONDITIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1028 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1028 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 7 was read the first time, second reading objected to by Senator Malone.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 7
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MALONE

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO ESTABLISH THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL MEET IN REGULAR SESSION ONE TIME EVERY TWO YEARS; TO REPEAL THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO MEET IN FISCAL SESSIONS DURING EVEN-NUMBERED YEARS; TO PROVIDE THAT APPROPRIATION BILLS ARE VALID FOR TWO (2) YEARS; AND TO MAKE CONFORMING AMENDMENTS TO REFLECT THE CHANGES PROPOSED IN THIS AMENDMENT.

Without objection, Senate Joint Resolution No. 7 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Malone.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1195 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1195 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1195
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1195 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No.1195, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1195 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1219 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1219 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1219
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1219 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1219, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1219 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1333 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1333 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1333
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE REFUND OF LOCAL SALES AND USE TAXES BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1333 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1333, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1333 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1334 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1334 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1334

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PAYMENT OF THE MATURING BONDS AND INTEREST OF THE COLLEGE SAVINGS AND HIGHER EDUCATION GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS AND THE STATE WATER, WASTE DISPOSAL, AND POLLUTION ABATEMENT GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1334 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1334, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1334 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1335 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1335 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1335
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR DISTRIBUTION OF AMENDMENT 74 FUNDS TO COUNTIES BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1335 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1335, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1335 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1285 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1285 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1285
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS CRIME INFORMATION CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1285 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1285, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1285 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1289 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1289 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1289
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE STATE MILITARY DEPARTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1289 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1289, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1289 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1290 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1290 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1290
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR PAYMENT OF CONSULTANTS, EXPERT WITNESSES, ATTORNEYS FEES, OR OTHER COSTS OF THE PULASKI COUNTY DESEGREGATIONS CASE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1290 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1290, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1290 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1291 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1291 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1291
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE CROWLEY'S RIDGE TECHNICAL INSTITUTE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1291 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1291, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1291 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1292 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1292 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1292
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE A CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION FOR THE CROWLEY'S RIDGE TECHNICAL INSTITUTE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO APPROPRIATION IN ACT 1274 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1292 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1292, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1292 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1293 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1293 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1293
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE STATE BOARD OF FINANCE FOR RURAL MEDICAL CLININCS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1293 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1293, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1293 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1294 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1294 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1294
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1294 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1294, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1294 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1295 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1295 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1295
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1295 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1295, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1295 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1296 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1296 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1296
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR VARIOUS OPERATION EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS HOME INSPECTOR REGISTRATION BOARD WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 499 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1296 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1296, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1296 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1297 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1297 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1297
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE PAYMENT OF REIMBURSEMENT TO COUNTIES HOUSING STATE INMATES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1291 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1297 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1297, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1297 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1298 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1298 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1298
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM - ARKANSAS HISTORY COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1298 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1298, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1298 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1299 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1299 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1299
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PURCHASE/CORPORATE TRAVEL CARD PROGRAM FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - MANAGEMENT SERVICES DIVISION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 801 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1299 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1299, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1299 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1300 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1300 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1300
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1300 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1300, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1300 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1301 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1301 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1301
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1281 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1301 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1301, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1301 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1302 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1302 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1302
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1302 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1302, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1302 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1303 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1303 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1303
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1303 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1303, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1303 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1304 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1304 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1304
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1304 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1304, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1304 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1306 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1306 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1306
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1306 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1306, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1306 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1307 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1307 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1307
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS GEOLOGICAL SURVEY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1307 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1307, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1307 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1308 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1308 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1308
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1308 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1308, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1308 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1310 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1310 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1310
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE NORTHWEST TECHNICAL INSTITUTE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1310 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1310, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1310 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1311 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1311 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1311
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - AND ITS VARIOUS DIVISIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1311 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1311, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1311 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1312 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1312 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1312
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1312 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1312, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1312 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1313 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1313 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1313
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE RIVERSIDE VOCATIONAL TECHNICAL SCHOOL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1313 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1313, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1313 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1320 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1320 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1320
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - MANAGEMENT SERVICES DIVISION FOR A STATEWIDE ACCOUNTING SYSTEM WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 367 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1320 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1320, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1320 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1321 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1321 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1321
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - MANAGEMENT SERVICES DIVISION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1321 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1321, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1321 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES
BY: REPRESENTATIVE T. BAKER

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF MR. MICHAEL "MIKE" EVANS WILSON AND IN RECOGNITION OF HIS MANY CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND HIS LOCAL COMMUNITY.

Senate Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 1 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 333
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GLIDEWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN INCOME TAX CREDIT TO EMPLOYEES THAT DONATE UNUSED LEAVE TIME TO THE CATASTROPHIC LEAVE BANK PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 333 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 334
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO BE KNOWN AS THE ARKANSAS SMALL BREWERY ACT; TO CREATE A NEW CATEGORY OF BEER LICENSES; TO PROVIDE FOR THE OPERATION OF THE LICENSED FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 334 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 335
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE PROCESS OF FILLING AN ALDERMANIC VACANCY IN A CITY OF THE FIRST CLASS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 335 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 336
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE MARK-TO-MARKET ACCOUNTING PRINCIPLES APPLIED TO THE ASSESSMENT OF REAL PROPERTY FOR PROPERTY TAX PURPOSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 336 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1319
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 245 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1319 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 16, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 104, BY SENATORS GLOVER AND CAPPS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:05 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 16
SENATE BILL NO. 104

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 10th day of February, 2009 at 10:05 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J. D. Lowry
Secretary

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 8
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO IMPROVE THE LIVES OF ARKANSANS.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 8 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 9
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING TERM LIMITS FOR MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 9 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1013, BY REPRESENTATIVE KIDD,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed <copy/copies> with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No. 148 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 245 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 269 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 270 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 271 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 272 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 273 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 275 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 277 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 279 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 280 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 281 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 282 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 283 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 285 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 292 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 293 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 294 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1119, BY REPRESENTATIVE KERR ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MALONE

PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO ESTABLISH THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL MEET IN REGULAR SESSION ONE TIME EVERY TWO YEARS; TO REPEAL THE AUTHORIZATION OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO MEET IN FISCAL SESSIONS DURING EVEN-NUMBERED YEARS; TO PROVIDE THAT APPROPRIATION BILLS ARE VALID FOR TWO (2) YEARS; AND TO MAKE CONFORMING AMENDMENTS TO REFLECT THE CHANGES PROPOSED IN THIS AMENDMENT.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 10 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 337
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS FARIS AND BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FACILITIES FUNDING FOR THE ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND AND THE ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 337 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 338
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT CERTAIN ADVERTISING OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 338 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 339
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR CERTAIN APPEALS OF THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION ORDERS BE MADE DIRECTLY TO THE COURT OF APPEALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 339 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 340
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR GRANTS TO LEVEE DISTRICTS FOR THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 340 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 341
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 9-9-220(c) CONCERNING THE RELINQUISHMENT AND TERMINATION OF PARENT AND CHILD RELATIONSHIP; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 341 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED
SENATE BILL NO. 91
SENATE BILL NO. 116
SENATE BILL NO. 117
SENATE BILL NO. 118
SENATE BILL NO. 119
SENATE BILL NO. 188
SENATE BILL NO. 268

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1028

HOUSE BILL NO. 1135

HOUSE BILL NO. 1195

HOUSE BILL NO. 1219

HOUSE BILL NO. 1239

HOUSE BILL NO. 1285

HOUSE BILL NO. 1289

HOUSE BILL NO. 1290

HOUSE BILL NO. 1291

HOUSE BILL NO. 1292

HOUSE BILL NO. 1293

HOUSE BILL NO. 1294

HOUSE BILL NO. 1295

HOUSE BILL NO. 1296

HOUSE BILL NO. 1297

HOUSE BILL NO. 1298

HOUSE BILL NO. 1299

HOUSE BILL NO. 1300

HOUSE BILL NO. 1301

HOUSE BILL NO. 1302

HOUSE BILL NO. 1303

HOUSE BILL NO. 1304

HOUSE BILL NO. 1306

HOUSE BILL NO. 1307

HOUSE BILL NO. 1308

HOUSE BILL NO. 1310

HOUSE BILL NO. 1311

HOUSE BILL NO. 1312

HOUSE BILL NO. 1313

HOUSE BILL NO. 1320

HOUSE BILL NO. 1321

HOUSE BILL NO. 1333

HOUSE BILL NO. 1334

HOUSE BILL NO. 1335

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 148
SENATE BILL NO. 245
SENATE BILL NO. 269
SENATE BILL NO. 270
SENATE BILL NO. 271
SENATE BILL NO. 272
SENATE BILL NO. 273
SENATE BILL NO. 275
SENATE BILL NO. 277
SENATE BILL NO. 279
SENATE BILL NO. 280
SENATE BILL NO. 281
SENATE BILL NO. 282
SENATE BILL NO. 283
SENATE BILL NO. 285
SENATE BILL NO. 292
SENATE BILL NO. 293
SENATE BILL NO. 294

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Wednesday, February 11, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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THIRTY-FIRST DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

February 11, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Reverend Elder Steve Raines, East Side Baptist Church, Benton, Arkansas.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 313 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 313

Amend Senate Bill No. 313 as originally introduced :
Add Senator D. Wyatt as a cosponsor

(SIGNED) SENATOR D. JOHNSON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 313 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 309 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 309

Amend Senate Bill No. 309 as engrossed, S2/9/09:
Page 2, delete lines 10 and 11 and substitute:

"while operating a motor vehicle except for an emergency purpose.

(B) As used in this subdivision (f)(4), "emergency purpose" means the driver:

(i) Has reason to fear for his or her life, safety, or property;

(ii) Reasonably believes that a criminal act may be perpetrated against him or her, his or her property, another person, or another person's property; or

(iii) Is reporting:

(a) A fire;

(b) A traffic accident;

(c) A serious road hazard;

(d) A medical emergency;

(e) A hazardous materials emergency;

(f) Another driver who is recklessly, carelessly, or unsafely driving; or

(g) Another driver who appears to be driving under the influence of drugs or alcohol.

(C) This subdivision (f)(4) is not retroactive and applies"

AND

Page 2, line 32, delete "(D)" and substitute "(D)(i)"

AND

Page 2, delete line 34 and substitute:

"communication device while operating a motor vehicle except for an emergency purpose.

(ii) As used in this subdivision (g)(1)(D), "emergency purpose" means the driver:

(a) Has reason to fear for his or her life, safety, or property;

(b) Reasonably believes that a criminal act may be perpetrated against him or her, his or her property, another person, or another person's property; or

(c) Is reporting:

(1) A fire;

(2) A traffic accident;

(3) A serious road hazard;

(4) A medical emergency;

(5) A hazardous materials emergency;

(6) Another driver who is recklessly, carelessly, or unsafely driving; or

(7) Another driver who appears to be driving under the influence of drugs or alcohol."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 309 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 143 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 143

Amend Senate Bill No. 143 as engrossed, S2/3/09:

Page 6, line 25, delete "certified" and substitute ~~certified~~"

AND

Page 6, delete line 26 and substitute the following:
"~~emergency medical technician~~ licensed emergency medical services personnel or other health care provider; and"

AND

Page 7, line 1, delete "paramedic" and substitute "Paramedic"

AND

Page 7, delete line 5 and substitute the following:
"emergency medical services required for licensure under the rules, regulations, and standards adopted by"

AND

Page 7, line 23, delete "paramedic" and substitute "~~paramedic~~ Paramedic"

AND

Page 7, line 31, delete "EMT-" and substitute "~~EMT-~~"

AND

Page 7, delete lines 33 and 34 and substitute the following:
"(6) One (1) member who shall be a ~~certified~~ licensed EMT-~~Ambulance driver~~;"

AND

Page 8, delete line 3 and substitute the following:
"years' experience associated with ~~emergency medical technician training~~ emergency medical services personnel in"

AND

Page 8, delete line 30 and substitute the following:
"for adoption by the board rules~~, regulations, and standards~~ on all matters"

AND

Page 11, delete line 2 and substitute the following:
"medical ~~technician certification or recertification~~ services personnel licensure or relicensure;"

AND

Page 11, line 24, delete "technician" and substitute "~~technician~~ services personnel"

AND

Page 11, delete line 27 and substitute the following:
"~~(9)~~(6) "Emergency medical ~~technician (EMT)~~ services personnel" means the individual"

AND

Page 11, line 29 delete "or paramedic" and substitute "or Paramedic"

AND

Page 11, line 32, delete "EMT" and substitute "~~EMT~~"

AND

Page 11, delete line 33 and substitute the following:
"~~certification and recertification~~ emergency medical services personnel licensure and relicensure;"

AND

Page 11, delete line 36

AND

Page 12, delete line 1 and substitute the following:
"perform the emergency medical services required for licensure under the rules, regulations, and standards adopted by the board upon recommendation by the Emergency Medical Services Advisory Council;"

AND

Page 12 line 34, delete "EMT certification" and substitute "emergency medical services personnel"

AND

Page 12, delete line 36 and substitute the following:
"a current Arkansas ~~EMT certification licensure~~ emergency medical services personnel licensure before July 1, 1999, shall complete a"

AND

Page 13, delete lines 24 through 30 and substitute the following:
"the State of Arkansas for the past five (5) years or has been ~~certified~~ licensed continuously for the past five (5) years as an Arkansas emergency medical

~~technician~~ services personnel, then the applicant shall be required to have only a state"

AND

Page 14, line 8, delete "technician" and substitute "~~technician~~ services personnel"

AND

Page 14, line 10, delete "EMT" and substitute "~~EMT~~ emergency medical services personnel"

AND

Page 12, line 36, delete "certification" and substitute "~~certification~~ licensure"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BROADWAY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 143 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 238 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 238

Amend Senate Bill No. 238 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 33 through 36, and substitute the following language

"(b) The Arkansas public school district shall conduct an evaluation of the child consistent with federal and state rules to determine the appropriate special education disability category recognized in this state, if any.

(c)(1) If a child with a disability, who had an individualized education program that was in effect in a previous public agency in another state, transfers to a public agency in this state, and enrolls in a new school within the same school year, the new public agency, in consultation with the parents, must provide the child with free appropriate public education including services comparable to those described in the child's individualized education program from the previous public agency until such time as the new public agency:

(A) Conducts an evaluation pursuant to 34 C.F.R. § 300.304 through 34 C.F.R. § 300.306, if determined to be necessary by the new public agency; and

(B) Develops, adopts, and implements a new individualized education program if appropriate, that meets the applicable requirements in 34 C.F.R. § 300.320 through 34 C.F.R. § 300.324.

(2) If the child's behavior results in an out-of-school suspension of ten (10) or more consecutive or nonconsecutive days or an expulsion during the period of time the child receives special education services under the disability category of behavioral disability, the child's individualized education program team shall meet to review the child's individualized education program, including the behavioral needs of the child and the current placement of the child, consistent with federal and state rules dealing with special education and related services."

AND

page 2, delete lines 1 through 8,

(SIGNED) SENATOR R. LAVERTY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 238 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 143, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 143 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 238, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 313, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 238 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 313 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

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EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

Senate BILL NO. 309, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 309 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Faris, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of introduction of Charley Pride and songs of Charley Pride with presentation of an "Arkansas Traveler" certificate by Governor Beebe to Charley Pride.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Madison, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of introduction of Chancellor Gearhart and Coach Petrino from the University of Arkansas..

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

Senator Whitaker moved for a change in the Senate rules as follows:

OWN BILL OWN AMENDMENT

House Bills that have a Senate Member Co-Sponsor may be amended with their own amendment and listed on the OWN BILL OWN AMENDMENT CALENDAR.

SENATE BILLS WITHDRAWN FROM FURTHER CONSIDERATION

Senate Bills may be withdrawn from further consideration by the Senate Sponsor and listed as Senate Bills Withdrawn From Further Consideration on the Own Bill Own Amendment Calendar. The member may recommend the bill to be studied by the same committee to which the bill was assigned at the time of request for withdrawal.

Motion carried and rules adopted.

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 45, BY SENATOR J. TAYLOR,
SENATE BILL NO. 295, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 55, BY SENATOR G. BAKER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1005, BY REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1250, BY REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1265, BY REPRESENTATIVE HARDY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1271, BY REPRESENTATIVE FLOWERS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1024, BY REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1132, BY REPRESENTATIVE BLOUNT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1133, BY REPRESENTATIVE BLOUNT,

HOUSE BILL NO. 1357, BY REPRESENTATIVE BURRIS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1034, BY REPRESENTATIVE COOK,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE BRYLES
VICE CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
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February 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 154, BY SENATOR TRUSTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 256, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 303, BY SENATOR J. TAYLOR,
SENATE BILL NO. 329, BY SENATOR THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 339, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 341, BY SENATOR LUKER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1269, BY REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY,

HOUSE BILL NO. 1270, BY REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
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REGULAR SESSION

February 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1039, BY REPRESENTATIVE CREEKMORE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 267, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 323, BY SENATOR CAPPS,
SENATE BILL NO. 324, BY SENATOR CAPPS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1204, BY REPRESENTATIVE REEP,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 310, BY SENATOR HORN,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
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February 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1264, BY REPRESENTATIVE WEBB,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1274, BY REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 121 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 121

Amend Senate Bill No. 121 as engrossed, S2/9/09:

Page 16, delete line 7 and substitute "be accompanied by an annual permit fee of seventy-five dollars ($75.00).

(3) In a county in which the sale of intoxicating liquor has not been authorized by local option as provided under § 3-8-201 et seq., the application for a private club permit shall be accompanied by an annual permit fee of one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500)."

(SIGNED) SENATOR R. THOMPSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 121 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Bookout, Senate Bill No. 208 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 208
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-17-405 TO ALLOW AN ELIGIBLE TELECOMMUNICATIONS CARRIER TO USE ADDITIONAL METHODS TO PROVIDE UNIVERSAL SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 208 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 208 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 54 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 54

As Engrossed: S2/9/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE RIGHTS OF PARTIES TO JEWELRY THAT IS UNCLAIMED FOR MORE THAN ONE YEAR BY ITS OWNER OR CONSIGNOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 54 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 54 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of introducing page and parents. Page Nathan Reid and parents, Dr. Byron Reid and Betty Marie Reid. The Reid family serenaded the Senate members. The Reid singers also included James "Jimbo" Reid.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 254 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 254
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARRELSON, BARNETT & D. HUTCHINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENACT THE UNIFORM PRUDENT MANAGEMENT OF INSTITUTIONAL FUNDS ACT (2006); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 254 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 254 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1119 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1119

As Engrossed: H1/23/09 S2/3/09 S2/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES KERR, ENGLISH & BURRIS

BY: *SENATORS D. JOHNSON AND HENDREN*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO PROHIBIT WIRELESS TELEPHONE USE BY DRIVERS WHO ARE UNDER EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE; TO PROHIBIT DRIVERS WHO ARE AT LEAST EIGHTEEN BUT UNDER TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE FROM USING HANDHELD WIRELESS TELEPHONES; TO ALLOW DRIVERS WHO ARE AT LEAST EIGHTEEN BUT UNDER TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE TO USE HANDS-FREE WIRELESS TELEPHONES OR DEVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1119 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1119 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Altes, House Bill No. 1013 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1013

As Engrossed: H1/23/09 H1/28/09 S2/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES KIDD, BLOUNT, CARROLL, COOK, EVERETT, J. ROGERS, L. SMITH, STEWART, WILLS, ALLEN, DALE, J. EDWARDS, GLIDEWELL, HALL, HOYT, LOVELL, PATTERSON, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, SAMPLE, SHELBY, WAGNER, B. WILKINS, WORD, *MCLEAN & NIX*

BY: SENATORS LAVERTY, D. WYATT, *ALTES & BOOKOUT*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE SAFETY OF ROADS FOR ALL DRIVERS AND PASSENGERS BY PROHIBITING DRIVERS OF MOTOR VEHICLES FROM USING HANDHELD *WIRELESS*

On motion of Senator Altes House Bill No. 1013 was pulled down at this time.

On motion of Senator Wilkinson, House Bill No. 1276 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1276
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PENNARTZ, GLIDEWELL, BREEDLOVE & S. MALONE
BY: SENATORS ALTES AND WILKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING COUNTY RECORDERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1276 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1276 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, House Bill No. 1261 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1261

As Engrossed: H2/4/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES BREEDLOVE, PENNARTZ, ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, T. BAKER, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, J. BROWN, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DUNN, EVERETT, GASKILL, R. GREEN, HALL, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KIDD, KING, LEA, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, M. MARTIN, MCCRARY, MOORE, NICKELS, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PIERCE, POWERS, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROGERS, T. ROGERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, WAGNER, B. WILKINS, WILLS, WOODS, WORD & *J. ROEBUCK*

BY: SENATORS WHITAKER, HORN, T. SMITH, CAPPS, B. PRITCHARD, BLEDSOE, G. BAKER & HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 12-8-214 TO ALLOW THE SPOUSE OF AN ARKANSAS STATE POLICE OFFICER TO PURCHASE THE OFFICER'S SERVICE SHOTGUN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1261 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1261 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 107 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 107

Amend Senate Bill No. 107 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 31, delete "a public" and substitute "a postsecondary public"

AND

Page 1, line 32, delete "the public" and substitute "the postsecondary public"

AND

Page 1, line 36, delete "a public" and substitute "a postsecondary public"

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 107 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 311 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 311

Amend Senate Bill No. 311 as originally introduced:
Add Representative Ragland as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 311 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, House Bill No. 1013 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1013
As Engrossed: H1/23/09 H1/28/09 S2/10/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES KIDD, BLOUNT, CARROLL, COOK, EVERETT, J. ROGERS, L. SMITH, STEWART, WILLS, ALLEN, DALE, J. EDWARDS, GLIDEWELL, HALL, HOYT, LOVELL, PATTERSON, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, SAMPLE, SHELBY, WAGNER, B. WILKINS, WORD, *MCLEAN & NIX*
BY: SENATORS LAVERTY, D. WYATT, *ALTES & BOOKOUT*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE SAFETY OF ROADS FOR ALL DRIVERS AND PASSENGERS BY PROHIBITING DRIVERS OF MOTOR VEHICLES FROM USING HANDHELD *WIRELESS TO ENGAGE IN TEXT MESSAGING;* AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Malone spoke against the Bill.

Senator Whitaker spoke on the Bill.

Senator Altes closed for his Bill.

House Bill No. 1013 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Madison, Miller, Salmon, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 27

NEGATIVE: P. Malone, Teague.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway, Elliott, Luker, B. Pritchard, T. Smith, H. Wilkins.

Total 6

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 29

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1013 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 1 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES
BY: REPRESENTATIVE T. BAKER

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1: IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF MR. MICHAEL "MIKE" EVANS WILSON AND IN RECOGNITION OF HIS MANY CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND HIS LOCAL COMMUNITY.

Senate Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 1 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 1 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 101 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 101 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 101

As Engrossed: S2/9/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS GEOLOGICAL SURVEY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 101 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 101, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 101 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 151 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 151 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 151
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF STATE SERVICES FOR THE BLIND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 151 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 151, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 151 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 306 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 306 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 306
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR GRANTS TO CITIES AND COUNTIES FOR THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AERONAUTICS WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 572 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 306 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 306, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 306 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1319 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1319 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1319
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 245 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1319 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1319, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1319 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

SENATE BILL NO. 342
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT CHILDREN IN CHILD CARE FACILITIES DURING EMERGENCIES; TO REQUIRE CHILD CARE FACILITIES TO FILE WRITTEN PLANS FOR EMERGENCY PROCEDURES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 342 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 343
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CONFRONT DISPARITIES IN HEALTH AND LENGTH OF LIFE AMONG CITIZENS OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 343 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 344
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE STATE PLANT BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 344 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 345
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A SUPERINTENDENT'S EMPLOYMENT CONTRACT WITH A SCHOOL DISTRICT TO BE TERMINATED FOR CAUSE AND WITHOUT THE SCHOOL DISTRICT HAVING ANY FURTHER FINANCIAL OBLIGATION TO THE SUPERINTENDENT UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 345 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 346
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE OMNIBUS DWI ACT TO PROVIDE THAT A PERSON ARRESTED FOR OPERATING OR BEING IN ACTUAL PHYSICAL CONTROL OF A MOTOR VEHICLE WHILE INTOXICATED BY A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE OR A PERSON WHO REFUSES TO SUBMIT TO A CHEMICAL TEST IS INELIGIBLE FOR AN IGNITION INTERLOCK RESTRICTED DRIVING PERMIT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 346 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 347
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS R. THOMPSON AND BOOKOUT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CASH, MOORE & PATTERSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - JONESBORO FOR OPERATIONS AND ACQUISITION OF HERITAGE SITES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 347 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1046
As Engrossed: H2/3/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES RAGLAND, *KING, J. BURRIS, M. BURRIS, DALE, GLIDEWELL, M. MARTIN & RICE*
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT THE RIGHTS OF ANIMAL PRODUCERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1046 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1148

As Engrossed: H1/27/09, H1/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HALL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION TO ISSUE A SPECIAL PERMIT THAT ALLOWS VEHICLES TRANSPORTING CERTAIN PRODUCTS TO EXCEED MAXIMUM WEIGHT ALLOWANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1148 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1344

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOVELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT AN ASSESSMENT ADJUSTMENT BY THE COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION IS APPLICABLE ONLY TO THE YEAR THE ASSESSMENT WAS MADE; TO ALLOW THE APPEAL OF A DECISION OF THE BOARD WHEN THE PETITIONER FAILED TO APPEAR THROUGH NO FAULT OF THE PETIONER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1344 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1367
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENNARTZ
BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE DENTAL HEALTH AMONG PATIENTS IN FACILITIES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION OR DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION; TO CLARIFY THE DUTIES OF DENTAL HYGIENISTS IN FACILITIES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION OR DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1367 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1373
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE STEWART
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADJUST THE JOB ORDER CONTRACTING BID AWARD AMOUNTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE INCREASE IN THE COST OF BUILDING MATERIALS AND PETROLEUM-BASED PRODUCTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1373 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1377
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES ALLEN, W. LEWELLEN, WILLIAMS & BLOUNT
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENHANCE THE EXPERTISE OF THE CERVICAL CANCER TASK FORCE; TO REDEFINE THE FOCUS OF THE CERVICAL CANCER TASK FORCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1377 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1379
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SUMMERS AND PENNARTZ

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE LICENSURE OF ALCOHOLISM AND DRUG ABUSE COUNSELORS; TO PROVIDE FOR THE REGISTRATION OF CLINICAL ALCOHOLISM AND DRUG ABUSE COUNSELOR SUPERVISORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1379 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1391
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING NEW OR ADDITIONAL POSITIONS AT STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1391 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1007
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLS
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION FOR A JOINT SESSION OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE IN THE HOUSE CHAMBER AT 10:00 A.M., WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2009, TO HEAR AN ADDRESS BY THE HONORABLE BILL CLINTON, FORMER PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1007 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 148, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 245, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 269, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
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SENATE BILL NO. 292, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 293, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 294, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 12:05 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

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RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 11th day of February 2009, at 12:05 p.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Sarah S. Agee
Secretary

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

February 11, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on February 11, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 133, - ACT 93,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

February 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 107, BY SENATOR FARIS,

SENATE BILL NO. 121, BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON,

SENATE BILL NO. 311, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4 was returned from the House concurred in and ordered enrolled.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1099
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE CROWLEY'S RIDGE TECHNICAL INSTITUTE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1099 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1198
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - OFFICE OF CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1198 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1237

As Engrossed: H2/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES PYLE, DALE, ENGLISH, R. GREEN, HOPPER, D. HUTCHINSON, KIDD, M. MARTIN, RAGLAND, RICE, SLINKARD, L. SMITH, STEWART, B. WILKINS, HOBBS *& D. CREEKMORE*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REMOVE CHURCHES AND OTHER PLACES OF WORSHIP FROM THE LIST OF PROHIBITED PLACES FOR A PERSON LICENSED TO CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN TO CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN; TO ALLOW A PERSON LICENSED TO CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN TO CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN IN PARKING LOTS OF CERTAIN PLACES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1237 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1325

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY, T. BAKER & PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING DISTRICT COURTS AND TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1325 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1332
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR ASSISTANCE TO LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1332 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1354
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODERNIZE THE ROLE OF THE COUNTY HEALTH OFFICERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1354 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1365
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OIL AND GAS COMMISSION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 325 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1365 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1366
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SOYBEAN PROMOTION BOARD WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 7 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1366 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1372
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO GRANT SUBPOENA POWER TO THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND THE PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE STANDARDS BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1372 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1375
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENNARTZ
BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT THE HEALTH OF INMATES COMMITTED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION; TO ENSURE THAT ORDERS BY MEDICAL PROVIDERS FOR RESTRICTIONS ON WORK BY INMATES ARE FOLLOWED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1375 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1382
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HYDE, ALLEN, L. COWLING, T. BAKER, COOK, BARNETT, BLOUNT, CHEATHAM, CASH, T. BRADFORD, J. BROWN, CARROLL, J. BURRIS, M. MARTIN, WORD, WILLIAMS, LOWERY, LOVELL, KING, WELLS, TYLER, WEBB, KIDD, STEWART, G. SMITH, KERR, INGRAM, ADCOCK, SLINKARD, D. HUTCHINSON, HOYT, HOUSE, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, HAWKINS, SHELBY, T. ROGERS, J. ROEBUCK, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, HARDY, GREENBERG, R. GREEN, GEORGE, POWERS, ENGLISH, PENNARTZ, NIX, PERRY, PIERCE, J. EDWARDS, NICKELS, MOORE, MAXWELL, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON & MCLEAN
BY: SENATORS J. JEFFRESS, BROADWAY, HORN, D. WYATT, SALMON, MADISON, TEAGUE, LAVERTY, WILKINSON, T. SMITH & J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE FINES FOR MISDEMEANOR OFFENSES AND VIOLATIONS; TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL FUNDING FOR COUNTY JAILS; TO AUTHORIZE A LEVY TO DEFRAY THE COST OF INCARCERATING COUNTY PRISONERS; TO AUTHORIZE TEMPORARY DISTRIBUTION OF FUNDS RAISED BY INCREASED MISDEMEANOR AND VIOLATION FINES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1382 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1388
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE STATE MILITARY DEPARTMENT WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1061 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1388 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 11
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO REPEAL AMEMDMENT 35 CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION AND OTHER PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION PERTAINING TO THE ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 11 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 348

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE UNIFORM FILING FEES IN CIRCUIT COURT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 348 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Senate Bill No. 33 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 69 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 70 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 75 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 142 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

SENATE BILL NO. 349
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS LAVERTY, G. JEFFRESS, SALMON & H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO LEVY AN ASSESSMENT ON THE SALE OF RICE; TO REQUIRE THE BUYER TO COLLECT AND REMIT THE ASSESSMENT; TO PROVIDE FOR THE USE OF THE COLLECTED ASSESSMENTS AND CONSIDERATION OF PRODUCER PREFERENCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 349 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 350
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. DICKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE KINSHIP FOSTER CARE PROGRAM IN THE DIVISION OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 350 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

HOUSE BILL NO. 351

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. KEY

BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. DICKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROVISIONS REGARDING THE ELIGIBILITY FOR A RELATIVE GUARDIANSHIP SUBSIDY FOR A CHILD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 351 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 352

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. KEY

BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. DICKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE JURISDICTION OF MATTERS INVOLVING JUVENILES AND THE QUALIFICATIONS FOR GUARDIANS OF MINORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 352 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 353
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING VOTER REGISTRATION; TO AMEND AMENDMENT 51 OF THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION; TO AMEND § 7-5-406 TO ALLOW FOR USE OF THE FEDERAL WRITE-IN ABSENTEE BALLOT WITHOUT PRIOR REGISTRATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 353 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 354
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS LAVERTY, ALTES, G. BAKER, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, FARIS, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, J. KEY, MILLER, SALMON, T. SMITH, STEELE, TEAGUE, R. THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WILKINSON & D. WYATT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SAUNDERS, HARRELSON & T. ROGERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A PROVIDER FEE FOR INTERMEDIATE CARE FACILITIES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES; TO DESIGNATE THE REVENUES COLLECTED FROM THE PROVIDER FEE FOR INTERMEDIATE CARE FACILITIES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES AS SPECIAL REVENUE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 354 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 355

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ACT 1214 OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF 2007, ARKANSAS SUPREME COURT APPROPRIATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 355 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET .

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE

AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 54

SENATE BILL NO. 101

SENATE BILL NO. 151

SENATE BILL NO. 208

SENATE BILL NO. 254

SENATE BILL NO. 306

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED

TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1261

HOUSE BILL NO. 1276

HOUSE BILL NO. 1319

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1013 AS AMENDED NO. 2
HOUSE BILL NO. 1119 AS AMENDED NO. 2

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 33
SENATE BILL NO. 69
SENATE BILL NO. 70
SENATE BILL NO. 75
SENATE BILL NO. 142

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS CONCURRED IN ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1046
HOUSE BILL NO. 1099
HOUSE BILL NO. 1148
HOUSE BILL NO. 1198
HOUSE BILL NO. 1237
HOUSE BILL NO. 1325
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1373

HOUSE BILL NO. 1375

HOUSE BILL NO. 1377

HOUSE BILL NO. 1379

HOUSE BILL NO. 1382

HOUSE BILL NO. 1388

HOUSE BILL NO. 1391

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED

TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1007

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Thursday, February 12, 2009.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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THIRTY-SECOND DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

February 12, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 11:05 o'clock a.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Rev. Darrell Kobs, St. John's Lutheran Church, Russellville. Arkansas.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 127 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 127

Amend Senate Bill No. 127 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 36, and substitute the following:
"Tier Two Benefit Plan under § 24-6-401 et seq.; and"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 2 and 3

AND

Page 2, delete line 9, and substitute the following:
"For purposes of this subchapter, credited service is limited to the reciprocal provisions of § 24-2-401 et seq. and the actual service included in the"

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 127 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 38 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 38

Amend Senate Bill No. 38 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 26 through 28 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 5-76-101(3), concerning the definition of motorboat for purposes of prohibiting operation of motorboats while intoxicated, is amended to read as follows:

(3)(A) "Motorboat" means any vessel operated upon water and that is propelled by machinery, whether or not the machinery is the principal source of propulsion.

(B) "Motorboat" includes personal watercraft as defined in § 27-101-103(10);

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 27-101-205 is amended to add a new subsection to read as follows:

27-101-205. Collision or accident."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 13 through 21 and substitute the following:

"(c) When a person operating a vessel is involved in a collision, accident, or other casualty resulting in loss of human life or when there is reason to believe death may result, or a law enforcement officer has reasonable cause to believe that the person, while operating a vessel, is intoxicated or under the influence of any narcotic drug, barbituate, or marijuana or while under any physical or mental disability so as to be incapable of operating the vessel safely under the prevailing circumstances, a law enforcement officer shall request and the person shall submit to a chemical test of the person's blood, breath, or urine in accordance with the provisions of § 5-76-104, even if the person is fatally injured, for the purpose of determining the alcohol or controlled substance content of his or her blood, breath, or urine."

AND

Delete SECTION 4 in its entirety

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 38 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 as engrossed, S2/10/09:

Page 1, line 11, delete "GAME" and substitute "WILDLIFE"

AND

Page 1, line 16, delete "GAME" and substitute "WILDLIFE"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 30 through 36 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. (a)(1) Citizens of the state of Arkansas have a right to hunt, fish, trap, and harvest wildlife.

(2) The right to hunt, fish, trap, and harvest wildlife shall be subject only to regulations that promote sound wildlife conservation and management and are consistent with Amendment 35 of the Arkansas Constitution.

(b) Public hunting, fishing, and trapping shall be a preferred means of managing and controlling nonthreatened species and citizens may use traditional methods for harvesting wildlife.

(c) Nothing in this amendment shall be construed to alter, repeal, or modify:

(1) Any provision of Amendment 35 to the Arkansas Constitution;

(2) Any common law or statute relating to trespass, private property rights, eminent domain, public ownership of property, or any law concerning firearms unrelated to hunting; or

(3) The sovereign immunity of the State of Arkansas."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 6

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 36 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 36 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Thompson.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 38, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 38 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 127, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 127 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 55 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 55

Amend Senate Bill No. 55 as originally introduced:

Add Senator Madison as a cosponsor

AND

Page 1, delete all the language after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 63, Subchapter 3 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

6-63-316. Reporting of salaries of administrators.

(a) As used in this section, "administrator" means an employee included as executive, administrative, or managerial on the IPEDS/EEO-6 reports.

(b)(1) A state-supported institution of higher education shall submit a report listing each administrator at the state-supported institution of higher education who earns a salary of one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000) or more to the Higher Education Coordinating Board and the Department of Higher Education by July 1 each year, beginning July 1, 2010.

(2) The report shall be posted on the department website no later than July 15 each year, beginning July 15, 2010.

(c) The report shall include:

(1) Each administrator's;

(A) Name;

(B) Position;

(C) Salary;

(D) Retirement Matching;

(E) Health Insurance Matching;

(F) Life Insurance Matching; and

(G) Social Security Matching.

(2) All special contract provisions for each administrator such as:

(A) A house provided or a housing allowance;

(B) A vehicle provided or a vehicle allowance;

(C) Deferred compensations; or

(D) Other fringe benefits not provided all employees;

(3) The total value of each administrator's compensation package; and

(4) The funding source for each benefit in an administrator's compensation package."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 55 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1357 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1357

Amend House Bill No. 1357 as engrossed, H2/6/09:

Add the following as cosponsors of the bill: Senators Altes, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Faris, Horn, G. Jeffress, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt; Representative Wells

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Baker, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1357 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1357

As Engrossed: H2/6/09 S2/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. BURRIS, J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, CARNINE, COOK, J. DICKINSON, EVERETT, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, NICKELS, NIX, PERRY, PIERCE, RAINEY, T. ROGERS, STEWART, WAGNER, ALLEN, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, CARROLL, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOPER, L. COWLING, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. EDWARDS, FLOWERS, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HYDE, INGRAM, KIDD, LOVELL, LOWERY, MALOCH, S. MALONE, MAXWELL, MCLEAN, MOORE, PENNARTZ, POWERS, RAGLAND, REEP, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SUMMERS, TYLER, WEBB, B. WILKINS, WILLS, WOODS, WORD & *WELLS*

BY: SENATORS G. BAKER, ELLIOTT, J. JEFFRESS, *ALTES, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, FARIS, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, D. JOHNSON, J. KEY, LAVERTY, P. MALONE, MILLER, SALMON, T. SMITH, STEELE, J. TAYLOR, TEAGUE, TRUSTY, WILKINSON & D. WYATT*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A SYSTEM FOR FULLY TRANSFERABLE CREDIT HOURS FROM DEGREES IN ASSOCIATE OF ARTS, ASSOCIATE OF SCIENCE, AND ASSOCIATE OF ARTS IN TEACHING AMONG PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1357 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1357 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1024 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No.1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1024

Amend House Bill No. 1024 as originally introduced:

Add Senator Broadway as a cosponsor of the bill.

AND

Page 2, delete lines 8 through 10 and substitute the following:

"(b) Compensation for accumulated unused sick leave under this section shall not be used by the:

(1) Arkansas Teacher Retirement System in the calculation of final average salary under § 24-7-202; or

(2) Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System in the calculation of final average compensation under § 24-4-101."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BROADWAY

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1024 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1034 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1034

Amend House Bill No. 1034 as engrossed, H2/6/09:
Page 3, line 6 delete "twelve (12)" and substitute "thirteen (13)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BROADWAY

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1034 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 1132 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1132

Amend House Bill No. 1132 as engrossed, H1/29/09:
Add Senator Elliott as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1132 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 1133 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1133

Amend House Bill No. 1133 as engrossed, H1/30/09
Add Senator Elliott as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete line 27, and substitute
"(2) Be ~~over sixty-five (65)~~ at least sixty-two (62) years of age; and"

(SIGNED) SENATOR ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1133 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, House Bill No. 1148 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Bryles, House Bill No. 1148 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

February 12, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on February 12, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 148, - ACT 125,
Senate Bill No. 245, - ACT 126,
Senate Bill No. 269, - ACT 127,
Senate Bill No. 270, - ACT 128,
Senate Bill No. 271, - ACT 129,
Senate Bill No. 272, - ACT 130,
Senate Bill No. 273, - ACT 131,
Senate Bill No. 275, - ACT 132,
Senate Bill No. 277, - ACT 133,
Senate Bill No. 279, - ACT 134,
Senate Bill No. 280, - ACT 135,
Senate Bill No. 281, - ACT 136,
Senate Bill No. 282, - ACT 137,
Senate Bill No. 283, - ACT 138,
Senate Bill No. 285, - ACT 139,
Senate Bill No. 292, - ACT 140,
Senate Bill No. 293, - ACT 141,
Senate Bill No. 294, - ACT 142,
Senate Bill No. 016, - ACT 147,
Senate Bill No. 027, - ACT 148
Senate Bill No. 053, - ACT 149,
Senate Bill No. 058, - ACT 150,
Senate Bill No. 085, - ACT 152,
Senate Bill No. 104, - ACT 153,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 149, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 334, BY SENATOR BRYLES,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 12, 2009

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1246, BY REPRESENTATIVE CARROLL,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1340, BY REPRESENTATIVE MOORE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 12, 2009

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 331, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1331, BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1263, BY REPRESENTATIVE HOYT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 267 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 267
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES
BY: REPRESENTATIVES T. BAKER AND WAGNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW COUNTIES TO ESTABLISH AN EFFECTIVE DATE FOR THE LEVY OF CERTAIN COUNTY SALES AND USE TAXES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 267 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 267 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 256 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 256
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 16-17-1105(a) TO ADD ALPENA AND SALESVILLE TO THE LIST OF CITY COURTS TO BE CONSOLIDATED WITH DISTRICT COURTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 256 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 256, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 256 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Horn, Senate Bill No. 310 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 310
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE SALE AND LICENSURE OF LONG-TERM CARE FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 310 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 310 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 295 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 295
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT ENSURE CONSISTENT PUBLIC SCHOOL ATTENDANCE LAWS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 295 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 295 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Bill No. 341 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 341
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 9-9-220(c) CONCERNING THE RELINQUISHMENT AND TERMINATION OF PARENT AND CHILD RELATIONSHIP; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 341 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 341 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Bill No. 339 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 339
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR CERTAIN APPEALS OF THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION ORDERS BE MADE DIRECTLY TO THE COURT OF APPEALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 339 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 339 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 121 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 121

As Engrossed: S2/4/09 S2/9/09 S2/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PERMIT FEES FOR THE MANUFACTURE, SALE, AND DISTRIBUTION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; TO AMEND THE PENALTY PROVISIONS RELATED TO ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 121 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: Altes.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: H. Wilkins.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 121, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: Altes.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: H. Wilkins.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 121 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 329 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 329

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

BY: REPRESENTATIVE CARTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 28-40-111 CONCERNING NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT OF A PERSONAL REPRESENTATIVE AND CLAIMS AGAINST ESTATES; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 28-50-101 REGARDING THE LIMITATIONS PERIOD AFTER A DECEDENT'S DEATH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 329 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 329 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 311 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 311

As Engrossed: S2/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

BY: *REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MAKEUP OF THE COSMETOLOGY TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 311 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 311 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 107 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 107

As Engrossed: S2/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT APPROVAL OF CERTAIN COSMETOLOGICAL SCHOOLS IN PUBLIC EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 107 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE: Hendren.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 107 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wilkinson, House Bill No. 1269 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1269
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY, T. BAKER & PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL OUTDATED SECTIONS OF THE CODE DEALING WITH YEAR 2000 COMPUTER ISSUES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1269 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1269 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wilkinson, House Bill No. 1270 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1270
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY, T. BAKER & PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 16-81-106(c) TO CORRECT A TYPOGRAPHICAL ERROR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1270 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1270 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 1315 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1315
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES T. BAKER, OVERBEY, PYLE & REEP

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REGARDING THE REQUIREMENTS OF ANNUAL REPORTS BY MAYORS OF CITIES OF THE FIRST CLASS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1315 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1315 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, House Bill No. 1005 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1005
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF MISCELLANEOUS FUNDS USED IN CALCULATING FOUNDATION FUNDING FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1005 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1005 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1265 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1265
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARDY, MALOCH, REEP & G. SMITH
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO RENAME THE SAU-TECH ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL CENTER TO THE ARKANSAS ENVIRONMENTAL TRAINING ACADEMY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1265 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1265 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1274 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1274
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES ADCOCK, PYLE, GREENBERG, L. SMITH, WEBB, HOUSE & POWERS
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODERNIZE ARKANSAS'S RABIES CONTROL ACT; TO EMPOWER THE STATE BOARD OF HEALTH TO ESTABLISH REASONABLE VACCINATION REQUIREMENTS AGAINST RABIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1274 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1274 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Steele, House Bill No. 1204 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1204

As Engrossed H2/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES REEP, WILLS, SHELBY, *EVERETT, ALLEN*, T. BAKER, J. BROWN, CARROLL, CHEATHAM, COOK, J. EDWARDS, GASKILL, R. GREEN, HARRELSON, HOUSE, HYDE, LINDSEY, MALOCH, MAXWELL, MOORE, PENNARTZ, POWERS, RAINEY, J. ROEBUCK, L. SMITH, TYLER, WEBB, WELLS, *MCCRARY, PATTERSON, BLOUNT, PIERCE, DUNN, ABERNATHY & SAUNDERS*

BY: SENATORS STEELE AND J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE TAX ON CIGARETTES AND OTHER TOBACCO PRODUCTS; TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION TO PAY THE COMMISSION TO THE STAMP DEPUTIES FOR CERTAIN CIGARETTE TAXES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Elliott spoke for the Bill

Senator Laverty spoke for the Bill.

Senator J. Jeffress spoke for the Bill.

Senator Key spoke against the Bill.

Senator Crumbly spoke for the Bill.

Senator Steele closed for his Bill.

House Bill No. 1204 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Teague, R. Thompson, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 28

NEGATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, J. Key, B. Pritchard, J. Taylor, Trusty, Whitaker.

Total 7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1204, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Teague, R. Thompson, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 28

NEGATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, J. Key, B. Pritchard, J. Taylor, Trusty, Whitaker.

Total 7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senator Steele moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 1204 passed be reconsidered and that motion be laid upon the table, which motion prevailed and the motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

House Bill No. 1204 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1099 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1099 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1099

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE CROWLEY'S RIDGE TECHNICAL INSTITUTE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1099 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1099, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1099 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1198 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1198 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1198
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - OFFICE OF CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1198 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1198, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1198 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1332 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1332 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1332
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR ASSISTANCE TO LOCAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AND EMERGENCY MEDICAL BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1332 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1332, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1332 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1365 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1365 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1365
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OIL AND GAS COMMISSION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 325 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1365 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1365, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1365 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1366 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1366 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1366
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING, RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SOYBEAN PROMOTION BOARD WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 7 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1366 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1366, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1366 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1388 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1388 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1388
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE STATE MILITARY DEPARTMENT WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1061 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1388 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1388, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1388 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4,
BY SENATORS TEAGUE AND HORN ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 33, BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON
SENATE BILL NO. 69, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 70, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 75, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 142, BY SENATOR PRITCHARD,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:50 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4,
SENATE BILL NO. 33,
SENATE BILL NO. 69,
SENATE BILL NO. 70,
SENATE BILL NO. 75,
SENATE BILL NO. 142,

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 12th day of February, 2009 at 9:50 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J. D. Lowery
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 55, BY SENATOR BAKER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1024, BY REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1034, BY REPRESENTATIVE COOK ET AL,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1132, BY REPRESENTATIVE BLOUNT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1133, BY REPRESENTATIVE BLOUNT ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1357, BY REPRESENTATIVE M. BURRIS ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

House Bill No. 1357 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

SENATE BILL NO. 356
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT PATIENTS CAN BE TRANSPORTED TO THE FACILITY OF CHOICE WITHOUT REGARD TO SERVICE AREA RESTRICTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 356 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 357
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW UPON CERTAIN CONDITIONS A VENDOR CHOSEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION TO REPORT MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE POLICIES AND POLICY CANCELLATIONS IN LIEU OF THE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS FOR INSURANCE COMPANIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 357 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 358
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW REASONABLE ACCOMMODATION FOR A STUDENT WHO HAS DIFFICULTY WITH SENSORY PROCESSING IN REACTION TO OVERSENSITIVITY TO FULL SPECTRUM LIGHT WHEN TAKING STATE REQUIRED TESTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 358 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 359
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS MADISON, SALMON, TEAGUE, J. KEY, D. JOHNSON, BRYLES, R. THOMPSON, P. MALONE, GLOVER & WHITAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE POWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS FOSTER YOUTH TRANSITIONAL PLAN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 359 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 360
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE PROCEDURE FOR SEALING CRIMINAL RECORDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 360 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 361
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS LUKER, BROADWAY, J. JEFFRESS & WHITAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. BROWN, BETTS, BREEDLOVE, DALE, GEORGE, HALL, HOUSE, HYDE, INGRAM, MOORE, PENNARTZ, RAGLAND, REEP, T. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS & WAGNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE FEE FOR THE MONTHLY FERTILIZER TONNAGE REPORTS; TO CLARIFY THAT THE FEES ARE TO BE DEPOSITED IN THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS, DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE, SOIL TESTING AND RESEARCH FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 361 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 362
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CASH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR LEGAL COUNSEL EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS COURT OF APPEALS WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 781 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 362 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Senate Bill No. 62 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 80 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 101 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 111 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 151 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 306 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1005
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES BLOUNT, ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, T. BAKER, BETTS, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CASH, CHEATHAM, COOK, D. CREEKMORE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GASKILL, GEORGE, R. GREEN, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, HYDE, INGRAM, KIDD, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOWERY, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCLEAN, MOORE, OVERBEY, PENNARTZ, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAINEY, REEP, J. ROEBUCK, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, L. SMITH, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD
BY: SENATOR STEELE

COMMEMORATING THE CENTENNIAL OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF COLORED PEOPLE (NAACP).

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1005 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1113

As Engrossed: H2/3/09 H2/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE, LEA, DISMANG, ENGLISH, GREENBERG, G. SMITH, RICE, J. BURRIS, *S. MALONE,* CLEMMER, M. MARTIN, RAGLAND, BARNETT, GARNER, BAIRD, *BREEDLOVE, J. DICKINSON, GLIDEWELL, LOWERY, SUMMERS, WELLS, ADCOCK, MALOCH & DALE*

BY: SENTORS BLEDSOE, GLOVER, G. BAKER, TRUSTY, J. TAYLOR & ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT PARTIAL-BIRTH ABORTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1113 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1161
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE OFFENSE OF FRAUDULENT FILING OF A UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE FINANCING STATEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1161 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1232
As Engrossed: H1/27/09 H1/28/09 H2/4/09 H2/5/09 H2/9/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY, T. BAKER, BREEDLOVE, COOPER, DALE, DAVIS, DUNN, EVERETT, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, HALL, HOYT, LEA, LOVELL, S. MALONE, RAGLAND, RICE, SHELBY, WELLS, WOODS, WORD, CARNINE, KIDD, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SUMMERS, BARNETT, CLEMMER, B. WILKINS, *GARNER & HOPPER*
BY: SENATORS HORN, J. TAYLOR, D. WYATT, ALTES, CRUMBLY, T. SMITH, STEELE, J. KEY & H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE LONG-TERM CARE QUALITY IMPROVEMENT ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1232 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1318
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES NIX, M. BURRIS & CARROLL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THE SAFE TRANSPORTATION OF RAILROAD EMPLOYEES BY CONTRACT CARRIERS BY ESTABLISHING STANDARDS FOR DRIVERS EMPLOYED BY THE CONTRACT CARRIERS AND THE MOTOR VEHICLES USED BY THE CONTRACT CARRIERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1318 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1353
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WELLS, GEORGE, HARRELSON, OVERBEY, T. ROGERS & TYLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE A STRUCTURE FOR THE PERPETUAL STAFFING AND OPERATION OF THE AUTOMATED COURT MANAGEMENT SYSTEM; TO ENSURE THAT THE AUTOMATED COURT SYSTEM IS SELF-SUPPORTING; TO PROVIDE THAT ALL FUNDING IS GENERATED BY AND THROUGH THE USE OF THE AUTOMATED COURT SYSTEM TO THE EXCLUSION OF ANY USE OF GENERAL REVENUE FUNDS OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1353 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1363
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY STANDARDS FOR INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR CANCER AND OTHER MEDICATIONS; TO PROVIDE THE SECRETARY OF THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES OR THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER WITH DISCRETION IN THE CHOICE OF STANDARDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1363 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1370
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BREEDLOVE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT COUNTY INSPECTORS AND CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS FROM LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING REQUIREMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1370 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1390
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES G. SMITH, GLIDEWELL, PATTERSON & BARNETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE BOARD OF ELECTRICAL EXAMINERS WITH RESPECT TO THE ISSUANCE OF A TEMPORARY ELECTRICIAN'S LICENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1390 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1410
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOYT, REYNOLDS, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, DUNN, EVERETT, GLIDEWELL, KIDD, M. MARTIN, PERRY, PIERCE, SAUNDERS & WELLS
BY: SENATORS T. SMITH, R. THOMPSON, BOOKOUT, B. JOHNSON & BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE DEFINITION OF CASUALTY INSURANCE TO INCLUDE MORTGAGE LIEN PROTECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1410 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 62, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 80, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 101, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 111, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 151, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 306, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 3:45 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 62,
SENATE BILL NO. 80,
SENATE BILL NO. 101,
SENATE BILL NO. 111,
SENATE BILL NO. 151,
SENATE BILL NO. 306,

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 12 day of February, 2009 at 3:45 p.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J. D. Lowery
Secretary

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 7
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

SENATE RESOLUTION COMMENDING ARKANSAS FARMERS FOR THEIR VITAL CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE SECURITY AND ECONOMIC WELL-BEING OF THE STATE AND THE NATION, AND FOR PRODUCING THE FOOD AND FIBER THAT IS ESSENTIAL TO THE HEALTH AND SECURITY OF THE CITIZENS OF THIS STATE AND PEOPLE THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.

Senate Resolution No. 7 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE

AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 107

SENATE BILL NO. 121

SENATE BILL NO. 256

SENATE BILL NO. 267

SENATE BILL NO. 295

SENATE BILL NO. 310

SENATE BILL NO. 311

SENATE BILL NO. 329

SENATE BILL NO. 339

SENATE BIL NO. 341

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1005

HOUSE BILL NO. 1099

HOUSE BILL NO. 1198

HOUSE BILL NO. 1204

HOUSE BILL NO. 1265

HOUSE BILL NO. 1269

HOUSE BILL NO. 1270

HOUSE BILL NO. 1274

HOUSE BILL NO. 1315

HOUSE BILL NO. 1332

HOUSE BILL NO. 1365

HOUSE BILL NO. 1366

HOUSE BILL NO. 1388

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1357 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED
SENATE BILL NO. 62
SENATE BILL NO. 80
SENATE BILL NO. 101
SENATE BILL NO. 111
SENATE BILL NO. 151
SENATE BILL NO. 306

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1113
HOUSE BILL NO. 1161
HOUSE BILL NO. 1232
HOUSE BILL NO. 1318
HOUSE BILL NO. 1353
HOUSE BILL NO. 1363
HOUSE BILL NO. 1370
HOUSE BILL NO. 1390
HOUSE BILL NO. 1410

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1005

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Monday, February 16, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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THIRTY-SIXTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

February 16, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Jimmy Jeffress.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 352 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 352

Amend Senate Bill No. 352 as originally introduced:
Page 1, delete line 29 and substitute:

"petition may be filed in Arkansas or it may be filed in the state in which the juvenile resides,"

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. KEY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 352 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 351 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 351

Amend Senate Bill No. 351 as originally introduced:
Page 2, delete lines 11 through 17 and substitute:

"(10) The child:
(A) Is eligible for Title IV-E foster care maintenance payments;

and

(B) While in the custody of the department, resided in the home of the prospective relative guardian for at least six (6) consecutive months and the prospective relative guardian was licensed or approved as meeting the licensure requirements as a foster family home."

(SIGNED) SENTOR J. KEY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 351 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 351, BY SENATOR J. KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 352, BY SENATOR J. KEY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 351 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 352 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Madison, House Bill No. 1263 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1263

Amend House Bill No. 1263 as originally introduced:
Page 1, line 30, delete "judge which designating" and substitute "judge, designating"

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1263 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1039 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1039

Amend House Bill No. 1039 as engrossed, H1/23/09:
Page 1, add Representatives Cash, T. Baker, Hobbs, Lea, Martin, Pyle, Rice, Wagner, and B. Wilkins as co-sponsors to the bill.

AND

Page 1, add Senator D. Johnson as lead sponsor to the bill. Senator Broadway should remain as a co-sponsor to the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1039 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 78, BY SENATOR H. WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 251, BY SENATOR ALTES,
SENATE BILL NO. 309, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN P. CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1318, BY REPRESENTATIVE NIX,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN P. CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 186, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No. 35 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 301 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 302 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

February 16, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on February 16, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Concurrent Resolution 004

Senate Bill No. 033 - ACT 162,
Senate Bill No. 062 - ACT 163,
Senate Bill No. 069 - ACT 164,
Senate Bill No. 070 - ACT 165,
Senate Bill No. 075 - ACT 166,
Senate Bill No. 080 - ACT 167,
Senate Bill No. 142 - ACT 168,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Capps, Senate Bill No. 323 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 323
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCLUDE A DEFINITION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITY IN THE ARKANSAS INCOME TAX LAW RATHER THAN BY REFERENCE TO A PROVISION CONTAINED IN TITLE 20 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 323 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 323 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Capps, Senate Bill No. 324 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 324
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXTEND THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS FOR A VETERAN TO FILE A CLAIM FOR REFUND OF AN OVERPAYMENT OF INCOME TAX THAT RESULTS FROM A RETROACTIVE DETERMINATION BY THE SECRETARY OF VETERANS AFFAIRS THAT THE VETERAN IS ENTITLED TO COMPENSATION FOR A SERVICE-CONNECTED DISABILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 324 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 324, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 324 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Taylor, Senate Bill No. 45 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 45
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 45 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 45 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Taylor, Senate Bill No. 303 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 303
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING COURT SECURITY OFFICER TRAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 303 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 303 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 334 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 334
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO BE KNOWN AS THE ARKANSAS SMALL BREWERY ACT; TO CREATE A NEW CATEGORY OF BEER LICENSES; TO PROVIDE FOR THE OPERATION OF THE LICENSED FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 334 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 334 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 55 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 55

As Engrossed: S2/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS G. BAKER AND *MADISON*

BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE SALARY TRANSPARENCY FOR ADMINISTRATORS IN STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 55 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 55 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 331 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 331
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BAIRD AND SLINKARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE LAW CONCERNING THE SERVICE AREA AND DUES OF VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 331 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 331 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1007 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1007
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLS
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION FOR A JOINT SESSION OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE IN THE HOUSE CHAMBER AT 10:00 A.M., WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 2009, TO HEAR AN ADDRESS BY THE HONORABLE BILL CLINTON, FORMER PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1007 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1007 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Madison, House Bill No. 1085 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1085
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE PROCESS FOR SELECTION OF CERTAIN CITY COUNCIL MEMBERS IN CITIES OF THE FIRST CLASS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1085 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1085 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1024 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1024

As Engrossed: S2/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW TWO-YEAR COLLEGES TO COMPENSATE NONCLASSIFIED EMPLOYEES FOR UNUSED SICK LEAVE AT RETIREMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1024 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1024, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1024 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1034 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1034

As Engrossed: H1/30/09 H2/4/09 H2/6/06 S2/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES COOK, ABERNATHY, M. BURRIS, GEORGE, RAINEY, J. ROEBUCK, *BETTS, DALE, PERRY, G. SMITH, WAGNER, BLOUNT, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, CHEATHAM, J. DICKINSON, NIX, PENNARTZ & TYLER*

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO STRENGTHEN THE SYSTEM OF ARKANSAS *EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT; AND FOR OPTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1034 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1034, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1034 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 1132 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1132

As Engrossed: H1/28/09 H1/29/09 S2/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES BLOUNT, ABERNATHY, T. BAKER, M. BURRIS, COOK, DAVIS, HARDY, W. LEWELLEN, RAINEY, SAUNDERS, WILLIAMS & WORD

BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A BIRTH THROUGH PREKINDERGARTEN TEACHING CREDENTIAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1132 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1132 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 1133 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1133

As Engrossed: H1/28/09 H1/30/09 S2/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES BLOUNT, ABERNATHY, T. BAKER, COOK, DAVIS, FLOWERS, HARDY, HOUSE, W.LEWELLEN, MCLEAN, RAINEY, SAUNDERS, WAGNER, WILLIAMS & WORD

BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ELIGIBILITY AND APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR THE LIFETIME TEACHING LICENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1133 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1133 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1250 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1250
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE A REVIEW OF THE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR EDUCATIONAL ADEQUACY BEFORE EACH FISCAL SESSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1250 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1250 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1264 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1264
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT FROM LANDFILL FEES THE LITTER COLLECTED DURING THE KEEP ARKANSAS BEAUTIFUL AND THE KEEP AMERICA BEAUTIFUL CAMPAIGNS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1264 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1264 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1050 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1050
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE AN EXPRESS STATUTORY CROSS-REFERENCE FOR ALL NEW EXEMPTIONS TO THE ARKANSAS FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1050 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: Elliott, D. Johnson.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1050 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1116 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1116
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT IT IS UNLAWFUL TO REPRODUCE, PAINT, OR ALTER A TEMPORARY CARDBOARD BUYER'S TAG; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1116 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1116 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

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On motion of Senator Madison, House Bill No. 1048 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1048
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXTEND TO A MUNICIPAL SEWER ENTITY THE ABILITY TO REQUEST TERMINATION OF WATER SERVICE BY A WATER AUTHORITY FOR DELINQUENT SOLID WASTE SERVICE PAYMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1048 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Glover, Hendren, D. Johnson, Luker, Madison, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Whitaker.

Total 16

NEGATIVE: Altes, J. Key, Laverty, D. Wyatt.

Total 4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Faris, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson.

Total 15

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 20

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

* * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * *

Senator Madison moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1048 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1048 failed to pass was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on February 16, 2009.

On motion of Senator Bryles, House Bill No. 1148 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Bryles, House Bill No. 1148 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Salmon, House Bill No. 1246 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1246
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CARROLL
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE REGARDING CERTIFICATION OF NEW POLITICAL PARTIES AND INDEPENDENT CANDIDATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1246 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1246 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 32 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 32 was withdrawn by the author.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 93 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 93

Amend Senate Bill No. 93 as engrossed, S1/22/09:

Page 2, line 32, delete "37,477" and substitute "57,477"

And

Page 3, line 3, delete "Nursing Student" and substitute "cash fund deposited in the State Treasury as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State,"

And

Page 3, line 4, delete "Loan Revolving Fund, to make loans"

And

Page 3, line 4, delete "Nursing Scholarships" and substitute "the Nursing Student Loan Program to make student loans"

And

Page 3, delete line 9 in its entirety, and substitute the following:

" (01) NURSING STUDENT LOAN PROGRAM $ 550,000"

And

Immediately following Section 5, add additional sections to read as follows:

"SECTION 6. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL OR TEMPORARY LAW. FUNDING TRANSFER. Immediately upon the effective date of this act, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall transfer on his or her books and those of the State Treasurer and the Auditor of the State the sum of five hundred thousand dollars ($500,000) from the State Board of Nursing Fund to the cash fund deposited in the State Treasury as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State to provide funds for the Student Loan Program appropriation provided herein.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010.

SECTION 7. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL OR TEMPORARY LAW. FUNDING TRANSFER. Immediately upon the effective date of this act, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall transfer on his or her books and those of the State Treasurer and the Auditor of the State the remaining balance of un-obligated funds from the Nursing Student Loan Revolving Fund to the cash fund

deposited in the State Treasury as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State to provide funds for the Student Loan Program appropriation provided herein.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010."

And

Appropriately renumber the subsequent sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 93 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 198 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 198

Amend Senate Bill No. 198 as originally introduced:

Page 4, immediately following Section 4 insert a new section to read as follows:

"SECTION 5. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. PRINTING. The appropriation for Printing and Binding provided for in Section 3 of this Act may be utilized by the Supreme Court for the payment of printing costs for the hardbound publication of the Arkansas Reports or for the purchase of hardware, software and related expenses for the electronic publication of the Arkansas Reports."

AND

Appropriately renumber subsequent sections.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 198 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 200 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 200

Amend Senate Bill No. 200 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 10, delete "OFFICE OF" and substitute "ARKANSAS"

And

Page 1, line 11, delete "SERVICES" and substitute "OFFICE"

And

Page 1, line 17, delete "OFFICE OF" and substitute "ARKANSAS"

And

Page 1, line 18, delete "SERVICES" and substitute "OFFICE"

And

Page 1, line 24, delete "Office" and substitute "Arkansas"

And

Page 1, line 25, delete "of"

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Page 1, line 25, delete "Services" and substitute "Office"

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Page 2, line 10, delete "Office of" and substitute "Arkansas"

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Page 2, line 11, delete "Services" and substitute "Office"

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Page 2, line 19, delete "Office of" and substitute "Arkansas"

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Page 2, line 19, delete "Services" and substitute "Office"

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Page 2, line 21, delete "Office of" and substitute "Arkansas"

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Page 3, line 2, delete "Office of" and substitute "Arkansas"

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Page 3, line 15, delete "Office of" and substitute "Arkansas"

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Page 3, line 15, delete "Services" and substitute "Office"

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Page 3, line 17, delete "Department of" and substitute "Arkansas"

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Page 3, line, 18, delete "Services" and substitute "Office"

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Page 3, line 32, delete "Office of" and substitute "Arkansas"

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Page 3, line 32, delete "Services" and substitute "Office"

And

Page 3, line 35, delete "Office of" and substitute "Arkansas"

And

Page 3, line 35, delete "Services" and substitute "Office"

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 200 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 149 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 149
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS BUILDING AUTHORITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 149 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 149, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 149 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1039, BY REPRESENTATIVE CREEKMORE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1263, BY REPRESENTATIVES HOYT AND REYNOLDS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 363
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 26-51-423 TO CLARIFY THAT A DEDUCTION FOR INTEREST OR INTANGIBLE-RELATED EXPENSES PAID BY THE TAXPAYER TO A RELATED PARTY REQUIRES AN ARM'S LENGTH CONTRACT OR AN ARM'S LENGTH RATE OF INTEREST.

Senate Bill No. 363 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 364
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE CLOSURE OF BUSINESSES THAT FAIL TO REPORT OR REMIT STATE WITHHOLDING TAXES FOR THREE MONTHS DURING A TWENTY-FOUR CONSECUTIVE MONTH PERIOD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 364 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 365
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS ALTES AND B. PRITCHARD
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GLIDEWELL, BARNETT & BAIRD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION TO NOTIFY VEHICLE OWNERS THAT MOTOR VEHICLES WILL NOT BE REGISTERED OR RENEWED UNTIL ALL OUTSTANDING WARRANTS HAVE BEEN DISPOSED OF IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 365 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 8
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: SUPPORTING THE GOALS AND IDEALS OF MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS AWARENESS WEEK.

Senate Resolution No. 8 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 366
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE SPECIAL COLLECTIONS DIVISION OPERATIONS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS LIBRARY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 366 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 367
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - CENTER FOR ADVANCED SPATIAL TECHNOLOGIES FOR MAPPING AND DATA PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 367 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 368
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR THE COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES DEBATE TEAM OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 368 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 369
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS FOR DISTRAINT OF GOODS OR CHATTELS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSE.

Senate Bill No. 369 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 370
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WEBB, ADCOCK, GREENBERG, WILLS & HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR LITTLE ROCK ZOO IMPROVEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 370 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 371
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF VOLUNTEERISM FOR A STATEWIDE MEMBERSHIP-BASED NONPROFIT ASSOCIATION DEDICATED TO IMPROVING THE PERFORMANCE AND CAPACITY OF THE ARKANSAS NONPROFIT SECTOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 371 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1213
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PATTERSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND AND CLARIFY VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS RESIDENTIAL-LANDLORD TENANT ACT OF 2007 THAT CONCERN LANDLORD REMEDIES AND EVICTION PROCEEDINGS; FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1213 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1280
As Engrossed: H2/4/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HYDE AND *SLINKARD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE §§ 9-9-209(b) AND 9-9-220(b) TO PROVIDE A PARENT WITH AN OPTION TO WAIVE THE NUMBER OF DAYS FROM TEN TO FIVE TO WITHDRAW CONSENT OR RELINQUISHMENT OF PARENTAL RIGHTS FOR AN ADOPTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1280 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1374
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE STEWART
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MILITARY CODE OF ARKANSAS TO MAKE SEXUAL MISCONDUCT AND SEXUAL HARASSMENT OFFENSES PUNISHABLE BY COURT MARTIAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1374 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1376
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE STEWART
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MILITARY CODE OF ARKANSAS TO CLARIFY THE GOVERNOR'S POWER TO ORDER THE ORGANIZED MILITIA INTO ACTIVE SERVICE FOR THE PURPOSE OF WORKING WITH STATE AGENCIES TO RESPOND TO EMERGENCIES OR DISASTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1376 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 208 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 198, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 198 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 372
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE NORTHWEST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR ENERGY CONSERVING CRITICAL MAINTENANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 372 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 35, BY SENATOR THOMPSON ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 301, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 302, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 208, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 2:50 P.M. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 35

SENATE BILL NO. 301

SENATE BILL NO. 302

SENATE BILL NO. 208

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 16 day of February 16, 2009, at 2:50 p.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J. D. Lowery
Secretary

SENATE BILL NO. 373

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE STIPEND FOR MEMBERS OF THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF NURSING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 373 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1030
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO GRANT THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION THE AUTHORITY TO SHUT DOWN UNLICENSED TRANSITIONAL HOUSING FOR CRIMINAL OFFENDERS WHO HAVE BEEN TRANSFERRED, PAROLED, OR PLACED ON PROBATION THROUGH THE ARKANSAS CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM; TO ALLOW FOR CIVIL PENALTIES FOR OPERATION OF UNLICENSED TRANSITIONAL HOUSING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1030 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1037
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE AND WOODS
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE IDENTITY THEFT PROTECTION AVAILABLE UNDER THE ARKANSAS CONSUMER REPORT SECURITY FREEZE ACT; TO PERMIT PLACEMENT OF A SECURITY FREEZE PRIOR TO BECOMING A VICTIM OF IDENTITY THEFT; TO REDUCE THE FEES CHARGED FOR THE PLACEMENT, REMOVAL, OR TEMPORARY LIFTING OF A SECURITY FREEZE; TO ELIMINATE THE SECURITY FREEZE FEES CHARGED TO IDENTITY THEFT VICTIMS, INDIVIDUALS ON ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY, AND INDIVIDUALS OVER SIXTY-FIVE (65) YEARS OF AGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1037 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1272

As Engrossed: H2/13/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES BLOUNT, ALLEN, T. BAKER, CASH, DAVIS, HARDY, HOUSE, HOYT, RAINEY, J. ROEBUCK, SHELBY & STEWART

BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT AND STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT IN ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1272 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1399

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS VERSION OF THE UNIFORM DISCLAIMER OF PROPERTY INTERESTS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1399 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1400
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REMOVE BARRIERS TO EDUCATIONAL SUCCESS FOR MILITARY CHILDREN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1400 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 93, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 93 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 374
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF CHILD CARE AND EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION FOR AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 374 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 200, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 200 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 45
SENATE BILL NO. 55
SENATE BILL NO. 149
SENATE BILL NO. 303
SENATE BILL NO. 323
SENATE BILL NO. 324
SENATE BILL NO. 331
SENATE BILL NO. 334

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1050
HOUSE BILL NO. 1085
HOUSE BILL NO. 1116
HOUSE BILL NO. 1246
HOUSE BILL NO. 1250
HOUSE BILL NO. 1264

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1024 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1034 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1132 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1133 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1007

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE

AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 35

SENATE BILL NO. 208

SENATE BILL NO. 301

SENATE BILL NO. 302

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1030

HOUSE BILL NO. 1037

HOUSE BILL NO. 1213

HOUSE BILL NO. 1272

HOUSE BILL NO. 1280

HOUSE BILL NO. 1374

HOUSE BILL NO. 1376

HOUSE BILL NO. 1399

HOUSE BILL NO. 1400

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, February 17, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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THIRTY-SEVENTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

February 17, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:35 p.m. o'clock by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

Senator Smith requested leave for Senator Salmon.

Leave granted.

The Senate was led in prayer by Reverend Ronnie Morris, First Assembly of God, Russellville, Arkansas.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 342 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 342

Amend Senate Bill No. 342 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the ENACTING clause and substitute the following:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 12-86-203 is amended to read as follows:

12-86-203. Division of Child Care and Early Childhood Education policies.

The Director of the Division of Child Care and Early Childhood Education of the Department of Human Services shall coordinate efforts with other state agencies and appropriate organizations to:

(1)(A) Share with the Arkansas Department of Emergency Management on a quarterly basis an integrated list of all licensed child care facilities and all known license-exempt child care facilities, including without limitation physical addresses, maximum capacity, emergency contact information, hours of operation, and status as tuition subsidy, meal subsidy, state-funded pre-kindergarten, and quality-rated facilities.

(B) The integrated list is to be sorted by county;

(2) Identify designated emergency shelters, including without limitation local shelters and mass evacuation shelters, in proximity to all licensed child care facilities and all known license-exempt facilities, identify three (3) designated shelters in closest proximity to each child care facility, and notify each child care facility annually of the locations of those shelters;

(3) Coordinate efforts to notify the state emergency management agency of the estimated number of children in child care facilities who could be evacuated to each shelter;

(4) Require all licensed child care facilities to notify parents annually of the shelters designated by the Division of Child Care and Early Childhood Education of the Department of Human Services as being in closest proximity to those facilities;

(5) Include early childhood emergency preparedness courses and workshops that address specific risk factors and evacuation procedures in particular geographic areas among approved courses and workshops for meeting requirements for in-service training for licensed child care providers in those geographic areas; ~~and~~

(6) Incorporate specific indicators of emergency preparedness, linked to specific disaster risk factors in providers' geographic areas, into each level of any quality ratings above minimum licensing standards; and

(7)(A) Require a child care facility to have a written plan for evacuation in the event of fire, natural disaster, or other threatening situation that may pose a health or safety hazard to the children in the child care facility;

(B) Require the plan to include without limitation:

(i) A designated relocation site and evacuation route;

(ii) Procedures for notifying parents of the relocation and ensuring family reunification;

(iii) Procedures to address the needs of individual children, including children with special needs;

(iv) Instructions relating to the training of staff or the reassignment of staff duties, as appropriate;

(v) Coordination with local emergency management officials; and

(vi) A program to ensure that appropriate staff are familiar with the plan's components."

(SIGNED) SENATOR WILKINS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 342 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 180 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 180

Amend Senate Bill No. 180 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete everything after the Enacting Clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 24-10-606(a), concerning early retirement under the Local Police and Fire Retirement System, is amended to read as follows:

(a) Any member in covered employment who has not attained his or her normal retirement age may retire with an early annuity as provided in this section upon his or her written application to the Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Local Police and Fire Retirement System setting forth at what time, not less than thirty (30) days nor more than ninety (90) days subsequent to the execution and filing of his or her application, he or she desires to be retired, but only if, at the time of his or her separation from employment and at the time so specified for his or her retirement, the member shall have:

(1) ~~attained~~ Attained age fifty (50) and have twenty (20) years of credited service in force; or

(2) Twenty-five (25) years of credited paid service in the Arkansas Local Police and Fire Retirement System at any age."

(SIGNED) SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 180 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 307 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 307

Amend Senate Bill No. 307 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 29 through 32 and substitute the following:

"(B) "Long-term care facility" does not include an adult day care program that:

(i) Provides care and supervision to meet the needs of twelve (12) or fewer functionally impaired adults at any time in a place other than the adult's home;

(ii) Provides services to clients for periods of four (4) hours or less per day for only one (1) day per week;

(iii) Designates an individual to act as the program director to have responsibility for the operation of the program;

(iv) Posts a notice in eighteen-point type that:

(a) Is located at or near the main entrance to the structure in which the program operates;

(b) Lists the name and contact information of the program director;

(c) Lists the name and the contact telephone number for the Adult Protective Services Unit of the Department of Human Services; and

(d) Lists the name and the contact telephone number for the Office of Long-Term Care of the Department of Human Services;

(v) Operates in a building or structure that is at all times in compliance with safety code requirements as determined by the local fire authority; and

(vi) Operates in accordance with the American Alzheimer's Association Standards of Dementia Care Practices or similarly nationally recognized standards for the treatment and care of individuals with Alzheimer's or related dementia, as in existence on January 1, 2009."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 2 through 4 and substitute the following:
"an adult day care program that is excepted from the definition of long-term care facility under § 20-10-101."

(SIGNED) SENATOR SMITH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 307 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 235 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 235

Amend Senate Bill No. 235 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete everything after the Enacting Clause and substitute the following:

"24-2-408. ~~Concurrence prohibited~~ Concurrent employment.

(a) In establishing credited service under § 24-2-401 et seq., persons who receive credited service pursuant to § 24-4-101(17)(B)(xiii) for dual full-time employment in the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System and the Arkansas Local Police and Fire Retirement System under the provisions of this act may count periods of credited service covering the same calendar time ~~only once~~ under both the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System and the Arkansas Local Police and Fire Retirement System.

(b) To be eligible for retirement benefits under both the Arkansas Local Police and Fire Retirement System and the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System, the member shall:

(1) Be a full-time member of both the Arkansas Local Police and Fire Retirement System and the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System; and

(2) Qualify for benefits under either the Arkansas Local Police and Fire Retirement System or the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System."

(SIGNED) SENATOR ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 235 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 255 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 255

Amend Senate Bill No. 255 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 35, delete "nineteen thousand pounds (19,000 lbs)" and substitute "thirteen thousand pounds (13,000 lbs.)"

AND

Page 2, line 2, delete "nineteen thousand" and substitute "thirteen thousand pounds (13,000 lbs.)"

AND

Page 2, line 3, delete "pounds (19,000 lbs)" entirely

(SIGNED) SENATOR TEAGUE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 255 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 79 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 79

Amend Senate Bill No. 79 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 9 through 11 of the title and substitute the following:
"AN ACT TO REGULATE RADIOLOGIST ASSISTANTS AND RADIOLOGY PRACTITIONER ASSISTANTS; AND FOR OTHER"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 16 through 18 of the subtitle and substitute the following:
"ASSISTANTS AND RADIOLOGY PRACTITIONER ASSISTANTS."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 25 through 35 and substitute the following:
"17-106-201. Radiologist assistant and radiology practitioner assistant -- License required.
(a) The Arkansas State Medical Board shall grant a license to practice as a radiologist assistant and a radiology practitioner assistant to a qualified applicant who complies with the rules for licensure adopted under this subchapter.
(b) An individual shall not practice as a radiologist assistant or a radiology practitioner assistant unless the person is licensed as a radiologist assistant or a radiology practitioner assistant by the board."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 3 through 12 and substitute the following:
"(1) Define the qualifications for licensure of a radiologist assistant or a radiology practitioner assistant;
(2)(A) Define the services that may be performed by a radiologist assistant or a radiology practitioner assistant, and the level of supervision required for the performance of a radiologist assistant or a radiology practitioner assistant.
(B) The rules adopted under subdivision (2)(A) of this section shall specify that a radiologist assistant or radiology practitioner assistant shall not interpret images, make diagnoses, or prescribe medications or therapies;"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 16 and 17 and substitute the following:
"physician must employ when supervising a radiologist assistant or a radiology practitioner;
"(C)(i) Only a physician licensed to practice medicine in the State of Arkansas under § 17-95-401, et seq. who resides in Arkansas or in an immediately contiguous county of an adjacent state and who is a diagnostic radiologist certified by the American Board of Radiology may utilize the services of a

radiologist assistant or a radiology practitioner assistant.

(ii) However, a physician may utilize the services of a radiologist assistant or a radiology practitioner assistant under subdivision (3)(C)(i) of this section only if the physician supervises the radiologist assistant or radiology practitioner assistant;"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 19 and 20 and substitute the following:
"a radiologist assistant and a radiology practitioner assistant;"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 22 and 23 and substitute the following:
"licensure for a radiologist assistant and a radiology practitioner assistant; and"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 25 and 26 and substitute the following:
"assistant and a radiology practitioner assistant."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 34 and 35 and substitute the following:
"If a radiologist assistant or a radiology practitioner assistant is found by the Arkansas State Medical"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 4 and 5 and substitute the following:
"radiologist assistant or radiology practitioner assistant;"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 8 through 12 and substitute the following:
"(3) Recovery from the radiologist assistant or the radiology practitioner assistant of the costs of an investigation and hearing if the radiologist assistant or the radiology practitioner assistant is found to have violated the Arkansas Medical Practices Act, § 17-95-201 et seq., or"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 14 and 15 and substitute the following:
"(4) Placement of the radiologist assistant or the radiology practitioner assistant under"

AND

Page 3, delete line 17 and substitute the following:
"(5) A reprimand.

17-106-205. Emerging categories of physician extenders.

(a) For purposes of this section:

(1) "Imaging sciences" means those disciplines utilizing electromagnetic or sound energies in the diagnosis of human disease; and

(2) "Therapeutic disciplines" means those disciplines employing sealed and unsealed radioactive sources in the treatment of human disease.

(b) The Arkansas State Medical Board shall adopt rules for the licensure or certification of emerging categories of physician extenders in the imaging sciences and therapeutic disciplines.

(c) This section does not grant authority to the board to regulate other licensed practitioners of the healing arts, including practitioners with radiologic technology licenses as currently defined and regulated by the Department of Health."

(SIGNED) SENATOR D. JOHNSON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 79 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, Senate Bill No. 304 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 304

Amend Senate Bill No. 304 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 11 and substitute the following:
SECONDARY SCHOOLS; TO PROVIDE AN ACCELERATED LEARNING PROGRAM TO STUDENTS WHO DO NOT ACHIEVE GRADE LEVEL PROFICIENCY AT KINDERGARTEN OR BY THE END OF GRADE THREE, GRADE FIVE, OR GRADE SEVEN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

AND

Page 1, delete lines 31 through 33 and substitute the following:

"(2) Public schools and public school districts participating in the pilot program shall use continuous monitoring and assessment, an accelerated learning program, and student longitudinal data to evaluate and address the needs of students,"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 25 through 33 and substitute the following:
"using:
(1) Classroom assessments at the beginning of a school year;
(2) Classroom assessments during a school year; and
(3) Student longitudinal data available through the department.
(g) A participating school shall provide a student who is identified under subsections (i)-(l) of this section with the following:
(1)(A) An accelerated learning program that uses evidence-based intervention strategies and services needed for the students to make satisfactory academic progress toward proficiency by the end of grade three (3), by the end of grade five (5), and by the end of grade seven (7), as determined by the monitoring of student progress under subsection (f) of this section.
(B) A participating school district may fund the accelerated learning program with:
(i) National school lunch student categorical funding under § 6-20-2305;
(ii) Department of Education grants;
(iii) Other federal and state funds available to the participating school district for improving student academic achievement and closing the achievement gap; and
(iv) Private donations.
(C) An accelerated learning program shall include without limitation:
(i) Reading Recovery or other evidence-based reading and literacy intervention programs approved by the department that are designed to accelerate reading and literacy skills of young children;
(ii) Accelerated math instruction;
(iii) After-school tutoring for not less than four (4) days per week for a minimum of twenty-four (24) weeks during the school year;
(iv) A six-week summer program designed to help students focus on areas of need and maintain learning between school years; and
(v) Any other evidence-based intervention strategy approved by the department.
(D)(i) A student identified under subsections (i)-(l) of this section shall attend and remain in the accelerated learning program until the public school determines by the monitoring and assessment conducted under this section that the student is grade-level proficient.
(ii) At the end of a school year in which a student repeats grade three (3), grade five (5), or grade seven (7) under subsections (i)-(l) of this section, the department shall determine the criteria for the student's advancement to the next grade, including without limitation that the student shall remain in the accelerated learning program; and"

AND

Page 3, delete line 4 and substitute the following:
"(h) The department shall develop and make available to a participating school district training for the licensed teachers and nonlicensed employees needed to implement the evidence-based intervention strategies used in an accelerated learning program.
(i) Beginning with the 2010-2011 school year, if a participating school district determines from the school readiness screening administered to a student entering kindergarten under § 6-15-404 that the student is not at grade level for kindergarten, the participating school district shall place the kindergarten student in an accelerated learning program.
(j) Beginning with the 2014-2015 school year, a participating school"

AND

Page 3, line 8, delete "(i)" and substitute "(k)"

AND

Page 3, line 12, delete "(j)" and substitute "(l)"

AND

Page 3, line 16, delete “(k)(1)” and substitute “(m)(1)”

AND

Page 3, line 22, delete “(l)” and substitute “(n)”

AND

Page 3, line 24, delete “(m)(1)” and substitute “(o)(1)”

AND

Page 3, line 30, delete "recommendations" and substitute "recommendations for the pilot program"

(SIGNED) SENATOR CRUMBLY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 304 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1040 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1040

Amend House Bill No. 1040 as engrossed, H1/23/09:
Add Senator Wilkins as a co-sponsor to the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR D. JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL,
SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1040 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 79, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 307, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 342, BY SENATOR H. WILKINS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 79 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 307 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 342 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

Senate BILL NO. 180, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
Senate BILL NO. 235, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 180 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 235 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 255, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 255 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 304, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Crumbly, Senate Bill No. 304 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1040, BY REPRESENTATIVE CREEKMORE
AND SENATOR D. JOHNSON

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1040 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of recognizing Dr. David Jacks and Dr. Fletcher who spoke about automatic external defibrillators. Mr. Ben Wellons, CEO of EMed America, donated four of the automatic external defibrillators (AEDs) to the State Capitol - one for each floor.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

February 17, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on February 17, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 101, - ACT 176,
Senate Bill No. 111, - ACT 177,
Senate Bill No. 151, - ACT 178,
Senate Bill No. 306, - ACT 179,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 320, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 321, BY SENATOR BRYLES,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1370, BY REPRESENTATIVE BREEDLOVE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3,
BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 332, BY SENATOR WHITAKER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1371, BY REPRESENTATIVE HARDY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1373, BY REPRESENTATIVE STEWART,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1363, BY REPRESENTATIVE M. BURRIS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1410, BY REPRESENTATIVE HOYT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 123, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 288, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Steele, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1005 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1005
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BLOUNT, ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, T. BAKER, BETTS, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CASH, CHEATHAM, COOK, D. CREEKMORE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GASKILL, GEORGE, R. GREEN, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINGS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, HYDE, INGRAM, KIDD, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOWERY, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCLEAN, MOORE, OVERBEY, PENNARTZ, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAINEY, REEP, J. ROEBUCK, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, L. SMITH, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD
BY: SENATOR STEELE

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMEMORATING THE CENTENNIAL OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF COLORED PEOPLE (NAACP).

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1005 was read the third time and concurred in by the House.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1005 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Glover, House Bill No. 1318 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No.1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1318

Amend House Bill No. 1318 as engrossed, H2/11/09:

Page 7, delete line 6 and substitute:

"(3) Other circumstances as justice may require.

23-16-511. Right of railroad to contract.

(a) This subchapter is not intended to limit, and shall not be construed as limiting, the right of a railroad to contract with a contract carrier that certifies to the railroad that it is in compliance with the provisions of this subchapter or any applicable federal requirements.

(b) The railroad is entitled to rely on a contract carrier's certification that it is operating in compliance with this subchapter without further inquiry.

SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that safety issues have arisen where the contract carrier that transports railroad employees have operated under less than ideal circumstances; that by establishing standards in state law that are consistent with federal law, railroad employees will be provided transportation that complies with recognized safety standards; and that this act is immediately necessary to ensure the safe transportation of railroad employees by contract carriers. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or

(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GLOVER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1318 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1058 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1058

Amend House Bill No. 1058 as engrossed, H2/06/09:
Add Senator Wilkins as a co-sponsor to the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR D. JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1058 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1041 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1041

Amend House Bill No. 1041 as engrossed, H1/28/09:
Add Senator Wilkins as a co-sponsor to the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1041 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 309 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 309

As Engrossed: S2/09/09 S2/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS J. JEFFRESS, ALTES, BLEDSOE, BRYLES, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, GLOVER, HENDREN, G. JEFFRESS, D. JOHNSON, MILLER, R. THOMPSON, TRUSTY, H. WILKINS, WILKINSON & D. WYATT

BY: REPRESENTATIVES SHELBY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BLOUNT, CHEATHAM, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, HARRELSON, HOYT, W. LEWELLEN, MAXWELL, NIX, J. ROEBUCK, SAUNDERS, SUMMERS, TYLER, WEBB & WILLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE SAFETY OF ROADS AND HIGHWAYS IN THE STATE BY ADDRESSING ISSUES RELATED TO THE LICENSING OF YOUTHFUL DRIVERS; TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING RESTRICTED DRIVER'S LICENSES, LEARNER'S LICENSES, AND INTERMEDIATE LICENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 309 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 30

NEGATIVE: Luker, Teague.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Faris, B. Johnson, Madison.

Total 3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 32

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 309 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 251 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 251

As Engrossed: S2/3/09 S2/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT REPORTS SHALL NOT BE USED FOR COMMERCIAL PURPOSES FOR NINETY (90) DAYS AFTER THE ACCIDENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 251 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Capps, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, J. Key, Laverty, B. Pritchard, T. Smith, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 20

NEGATIVE: D. Johnson, R. Thompson.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, B. Johnson, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague.

Total 13

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....22

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 251 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 78 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 78

As Engrossed: S2/4/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS H. WILKINS, *ELLIOTT, CRUMBLY & STEELE*

BY: *REPRESENTATIVES ALLEN, T. BAKER, WORD, RAINEY, DAVIS, W. LEWELLEN, CARROLL, WILLIAMS & BLOUNT*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE SAFETY OF MOTORISTS ON HIGHWAYS AND ROADS IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS BY MAKING THE MANDATORY SEAT BELT LAW A PRIMARY LAW FOR ENFORCEMENT PURPOSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 78 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 29

NEGATIVE: J. Key, Madison, P. Malone, B. Pritchard, J. Taylor, Whitaker.

Total 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 78, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 29

NEGATIVE: J. Key, Madison, P. Malone, B. Pritchard, J. Taylor, Whitaker.

Total 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 78 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1018 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1018
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT THE AUCTIONEER'S LICENSING ACT, § 17-17-101 ET SEQ., DOES NOT APPLY TO AUCTIONS CONDUCTED BY MEANS OF THE INTERNET; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1018 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1018 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, House Bill No. 1263 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1263

As Engrossed: S2/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOYT AND REYNOLDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE INTERIM FILLING OF VACANCIES FOR THE OFFICE OF COUNTY JUDGE AND SHERIFF DURING TIMES OF EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1263 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1263 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1039 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1039

As Engrossed H1/23/09 S2/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE, *CASH, T. BAKER, HOBBS, LEA, M. MARTIN, PYLE, RICE, WAGNER & B. WILKINS*

BY: SENATORS BROADWAY AND *D. JOHNSON*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND DOMESTIC BATTERING IN THE FIRST AND SECOND DEGREE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1039 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1039 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 186 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 186
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PREMIUM TAX ALLOCATIONS SO THAT A LOCAL PLAN THAT CONSOLIDATES WITH THE ARKANSAS LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM CONTINUES TO RECEIVE THE SAME PREMIUM TAX DOLLAR AMOUNT AND OTHER INCOME; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 186 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 186 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1041, BY REPRESENTATIVE CREEKMORE AND SENATOR D. JOHNSON
HOUSE BILL NO. 1058, BY REPRESENTATIVE CREEKMORE AND SENATOR D. JOHNSON

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1041 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1058 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1318, BY REPRESENTATIVE NIX ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 375
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT INCREASING THE PENALTY FOR ESCAPING FROM THE CUSTODY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION, OR A LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY, AND FOR FURNISHING AN IMPLEMENT FOR ESCAPE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 375 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 376
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCLUDE CELLULAR TELEPHONES OR OTHER COMMUNICATIONS DEVICES AS ARTICLES INMATES AT THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION ARE PROHIBITED FROM POSSESSING OR USING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 376 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1431
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. COWLING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CHANGE THE SUBMISSION DATE FOR THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION'S ANNUAL REPORT TO THE GOVERNOR TO THE MONTH OF JUNE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1431 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1433
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE BANK COMMISSIONER TO TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTIONS TO DEAL WITH EMERGENCIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1433 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Senate Bill No. 49 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 9
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

RECOGNIZING ARKANSAS JAYCEES DAY.

Senate Resolution No. 9 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 377
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE A STREAMLINED METHOD TO RESTORE A CITIZEN'S RIGHTS AFTER COMPLETING A CRIMINAL SENTENCE; TO PROVIDE INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE IN SEALING A CITIZEN'S CRIMINAL RECORD; TO PROVIDE FOR PROTOCOLS DESIGNED TO HELP A CITIZEN ACQUIRE PROFESSIONAL OR OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES; TO PROVIDE FOR STANDARDS OF FAIRNESS IN EMPLOYMENT WITH STATE AGENCIES; TO PROVIDE INCENTIVES TO PRIVATE BUSINESSES WHO PARTICIPATE IN A CITIZEN'S RESTORATION PROCESS; TO ASSURE ACCESS TO STATE FUNDING FOR EDUCATION AND JOB TRAINING; TO ASSESS EFFICACY OF A CITIZEN'S RESTORATION OF RIGHTS LAW IN ORDER TO CONSIDER MAINTAINING OR CHANGING THE PROCEDURES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 377 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 378
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PLACE THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF ACUPUNCTURE AND RELATED TECHNIQUES WITHIN AND UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 378 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 379
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE CURTIS H. SYKES MEMORIAL GRANT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 379 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 380
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SEPARATE THE COUNTY AND CIRCUIT CLERKS CONTINUING EDUCATION BOARDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 380 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 381
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE OFFENSE OF SEXUAL SOLICITATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 381 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 382
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 382 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 383
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE WAR MEMORIAL STADIUM COMMISSION FOR THE PRESS BOX RENOVATION CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 383 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 384
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS BUILDING AUTHORITY FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR ASSISTANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 384 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 385
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 385 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 386
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORITY FOR TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT GRANTS AND SEED CAPITAL INVESTMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 386 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 387
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 387 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 388
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE STATE CRIME LABORATORY FOR LABORATORY SCIENTIFIC AND SECURITY EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 388 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 389
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION - ARKANSAS REHABILITATION SERVICES FOR MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, EQUIPPING, CONSTRUCTION, ACQUISITION, IMPROVEMENT, UPGRADE AND REPAIR PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 389 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 390
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF FOR MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, EQUIPPING, CONSTRUCTION, ACQUISITION, IMPROVEMENT, UPGRADE AND REPAIR PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 390 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 391
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND FOR MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, EQUIPPING, CONSTRUCTION, ACQUSITION, IMPROVEMENT, UPGRADE AND REPAIR PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 391 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 392
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION FOR MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, EQUIPPING, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENT, UPGRADE AND REPAIR PROJECTS FOR THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION BUILDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 392 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 393
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS TO MAIL CITATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 393 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 394
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS J. JEFFRESS, G. JEFFRESS & MADISON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. BURRIS, M. MARTIN & CHEATHAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW PERSONS WITH A BIRTH-THROUGH-KINDERGARTEN TEACHING LICENSE TO TEACH IN ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOL OR EDUCATION SERVICE COOPERATIVE PREKINDERGARTEN AND KINDERGARTEN PROGRAMS; TO REQUIRE THE PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE STANDARDS BOARD TO DEVELOP REQUIREMENTS FOR A BIRTH-THROUGH-KINDERGARTEN TEACHING LICENSE; TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO PROMULGATE RULES FOR A BIRTH-THROUGH-KINDERGARTEN TEACHING LICENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 394 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 395
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS REGARDING LEGISLATIVE PROCEEDINGS; TO CLARIFY THE SUBPOENA POWER OF THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE COMMITTEES THEREOF; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 395 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 396
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS ELLIOT AND BRYLES
BY: REPRESENTATIVES W. LEWELLEN AND RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS HOUSING TRUST FUND; TO CREATE A HOUSING TRUST FUND ADVISORY COMMITTEE; TO PROVIDE FOR THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE HOUSING TRUST FUND BY THE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 396 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 397
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE KIDD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - NEWPORT FOR JONESBORO TECHNICAL CENTER COSTS OF AN INSTRUCTIONAL AND GENERAL PURPOSE BUILDING ADDITION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 397 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 398
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. DICKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - NEWPORT FOR CRITICAL MAINTENANCE, LIBRARY HOLDINGS, TECHNOLOGY AND EQUIPMENT PURCHASES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 398 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 399
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO UPDATE THE PROCEDURE FOR ACQUIRING AN ACCESS EASEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 399 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 400
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION OFFICE FOR GEOSTOR AND TO UPDATE THE STATE'S AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY DATABASE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 400 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 78
SENATE BILL NO. 186
SENATE BILL NO. 251
SENATE BILL NO. 309

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1018

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1039 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1263 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 1005

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 49

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1431
HOUSE BILL NO. 1433

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 9:45 a.m., Wednesday, February 18, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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THIRTY-EIGHTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

February 18, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 10:15 o'clock a.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Teague.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 253 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 253

Amend Senate Bill No. 253 as engrossed, S2/2/09:

Page 7, delete lines 6 through 7 and substitute the following:

"(2) However, on all other elections, including the ~~presidential preferential primary,~~ general primary~~,~~ and general runoff elections, early"

AND

Page 7, delete lines 13 through 16

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 253 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 179 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 179

Amend Senate Bill No. 179 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete everything after the Enacting Clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 24-10-404(b), concerning a member's contribution to the Local Police and Fire Retirement System, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) If a member's covered employment is not also covered by social security, or if his or her covered employment is also covered by social security and his or her political subdivision has elected Benefit Program 2, as provided in § 24-10-602, and if he or she is receiving pays resulting in paid service credit, his or her contributions to the system shall be six percent (6%) of his or her pays.

(2)(A) Beginning July 1, 2009, the contribution for covered members defined in subdivision (b)(1) of this section shall be eight and one-half percent (8.5%) of his or her pay.

(B) Beginning July 1, 2009, the contribution for paid service members not defined in subdivision (b)(1) of this section shall be two and one-half percent (2.5%) of his or her pay.

~~(2)~~(3) The contributions shall be made notwithstanding that the minimum salary or wages provided by law for any member shall thereby be changed.

~~(3)~~(4) Each member shall be deemed to consent and agree to the deductions made and provided for in this section.

~~(4)~~(5) Payment of a member's pay less the deductions shall be a full and complete discharge and acquittance of all claims and demands whatsoever for services rendered by him or her to a political subdivision, except as to benefits provided by this system.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 24-10-602(a)(1)(A), concerning annuities in the Local Police and Fire Retirement System, is amended to read as follows:

(A) For each year of paid service resulting from employment:

(i) In a position not also covered by social security, ~~two and seven-tenths percent (2.7%)~~ two and ninety-four hundredths percent (2.94%) of his or her final average pay; and

(ii) In a position also covered by social security, ~~one and seven-tenths percent (1.7%)~~ one and ninety-four hundredths percent (1.94%) of his or her final average pay.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 24-10-602(a)(2)(A) and (B), concerning annuities in the Local Police and Fire Retirement System, is amended to read as follows:

(A) For each year of paid service rendered on or after the election date of the Benefit Program 2 and before the election is rescinded:

(i) In a position also covered by social security, ~~two and six-tenths percent (2.6%)~~ two and ninety-four hundredths percent (2.94%) of the

member's final average salary; and

(ii) In a position not covered by social security, ~~three and one-tenth percent (3.1%)~~ three and twenty-eight hundredths percent (3.28%) of the member's final average salary.

(B)(i) For each year of paid service rendered before the election date of the Benefit Program 2 or after the election is rescinded:

(a) In a position also covered by social security, ~~one and seven-tenths percent (1.7%)~~ one and ninety-four hundredths percent (1.94%) of the member's final average salary; and

(b) In a position not covered by social security, ~~two and seven-tenths percent (2.7%)~~ two and ninety-four hundredths percent (2.94%) of the member's final average salary.

(ii) A member who has paid service rendered before the election date of Benefit Program 2 or after the election is rescinded and subsequently readopted may have the paid service rendered on or after July 28, 1995, treated as though the paid service had been rendered after the election date of Benefit Program 2 by paying to the system the actuarial cost of the increased benefit by a single contribution or by an agreement to pay an increased rate of contributions if approved by the board.

(iii) As used in subdivision (a)(2)(B)(ii) of this section, “actuarial cost” means an amount that is the actuarial equivalent of the value of the credited service to be purchased at the time of the purchase, as determined by the system's actuary.

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 24-10-602(a)(4), concerning annuities in the Local Police and Fire Retirement System, is amended to read as follows:

(4)~~(A)~~ The total benefit amount computed under ~~subdivision~~ subdivisions (a)(1) and (2) of this section shall not exceed at the time of retirement ~~eighty-five percent (85%)~~ one hundred percent (100%) of the final average pay plus the amounts provided in subdivision (a)(5) of this section for volunteer service~~.~~; and

~~(B) If the member accrued a benefit at any time under Benefit Program 2 described in subdivision (a)(2) of this section, then the total of the amounts computed pursuant to subdivisions (a)(1) and (2) of this section shall not exceed at the time of retirement eighty-five percent (85%) of the final average pay plus the amounts provided in subdivision (a)(5) of this section for volunteer service; and~~

SECTION 5. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that economic conditions have resulted in the need to increase retirement benefits; that it is sound public policy to increase the retirement benefit multiplier; and that the increase should be funded by an increase in the member's contribution. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on July 1, 2009.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 179 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 165 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 165

Amend Senate Bill No. 165 as engrossed, S2/10/09:

Page 1, line 12 of the Title, delete "RECEIVING"

AND

Page 1, line 13 of the Title, delete "BENEFITS" and substitute the following:

"RETURNING TO WORK WITH A COVERED EMPLOYER OF THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM"

AND

Page 1, line 22 of the Subtitle, delete "RECEIVING BENEFITS" and substitute "RETURNING TO COVERED EMPLOYMENT"

AND

Page 1, line 35, delete "July 1" and substitute "July 2"

AND

Page 5, line 27, delete "rate in" and substitute "rate applicable to active members."

AND

Page 5, line 28, delete in its entirety

AND

Page 6, delete lines 28 through 30, and substitute the following:

"the covered employer shall remit the contributions on all salary paid to the T-DROP participants in amount equal to the employer contribution rate applicable to active members."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 165 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 163 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 163

Amend Senate Bill No. 163 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 14, delete "twelve (12)" and substitute "three (3)"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 15 through 19, and substitute the following:

"(2) If the member is a state police officer covered"

AND

Page 2, line 21, delete "months" and substitute "months divided by four (4)"

AND

Delete SECTION 3 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 24-6-216(f), concerning the survivor's pension upon the death of the retirant, is amended to read as follows:

(f) ~~A noncontributory Tier I member may elect prior to~~ Before the date his or her first annuity payment becomes due, but not thereafter, a noncontributory Tier I member may elect to:

(1) ~~receive~~ Receive his or her annuity as a straight life annuity~~.~~; or

(2)(A) ~~the member may elect to have~~ Have his or her annuity reduced and nominate a beneficiary in accordance with the option provisions of § 24-6-408.

(B) However, in the instance of Option B75 under § 24-6-408(a)(4), the reduced annuity shall be seventy-eight percent (78%) if the retirant's age and his or her beneficiary's age are the same on the first payment due date. The reduced annuity of seventy-eight percent (78%) shall be:

(i) Decreased by three-quarters of one percent (0.75%) for each year the beneficiary's age is less than the retirant's age; or

(ii) Increased by three-quarters of one percent (0.75%), up to a maximum of ninety percent (90%), for each year that the beneficiary's age is more than the retirants' age."

(SIGNED) GENE JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 163 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 345 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 345

Amend Senate Bill No. 345 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 33, delete "determination;" and substitute "determination; and"

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HENDREN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 345 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 231 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 231

Amend Senate Bill No. 231 as engrossed, S2/10/09:

Page 3, delete lines 35 and 36

AND

Page 4, delete lines 1 and 2, and substitute the following:

"(b) If three (3) complete years of service are not available for use in the calculation of a member's final average salary for retirement benefits, the board may promulgate rules and regulations to establish a fair base year for a member's final average salary for purposes of comparison under this subdivision (27)(A)(iii)(a) of this section."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 231 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 140 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 140

Amend Senate Bill No. 140 as engrossed, S1/27/09:

Page 1, line 27, delete “(b)” and substitute “(b)(1)”

AND

Page 1, line 29, delete “(1)” and substitute “~~(1)~~(A)”

AND

Page 1, line 32, delete “(2)” and substitute “~~(2)~~(B)”

AND

Page 1, delete line 36 and substitute the following:
"date of retirement.
(2) A member participating in the Arkansas Public Employees’ Retirement System Deferred Retirement Option Plan on January 1, 2009, shall have the one-hundred eighty-day separation requirement waived and may return to employment otherwise covered by the Arkansas Public Employees Retirement System no sooner than thirty (30) calendar days from the commencement of his or her retirement.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 140 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 129 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 129

Amend Senate Bill No. 129 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete the title and substitute the following:

"AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A ONE-TIME AD HOC BENEFIT INCREASE FOR RETIRANTS, SURVIVORS, AND BENEFICIARIES OF RETIRANTS IN THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

Page 1, delete the subtitle and substitute the following:

"TO AUTHORIZE A ONE-TIME AD HOC BENEFIT INCREASE FOR RETIRANTS, SURVIVORS, AND BENEFICIARIES OF RETIRANTS IN THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYTEM."

Page 1, delete all the language after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 24, Chapter 7, is amended to add an additional subchapter to read as follows:

24-7-1501. Title.

This act shall be known and may be cited as the "Retirants' Ad hoc Increase Act".

24-7-1502. Benefit generally.

(a) The annual benefit payable to eligible retirees, survivors, and beneficiaries of retirants of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System shall be subject to a one-time ad hoc increase based on the retirant's years of credited service which is grouped within descending decades as calculated by subtracting the total years of credited service from the date of retirement.

(1) A break in credited service is not considered under this subchapter.

(2) Teacher Deferred Retirement Option Plan (T-DROP) participants shall have the total years of credited service subtracted from the date of entry into T-DROP.

(b)(1) One half (1/2) of the annual dollar increase per year of credited service shall be calculated and provided to all retirees, survivors, and beneficiaries of retirants that are eligible to receive this increase; and

(2) One half (1/2) of the annual dollar increase per year of credited service shall be calculated then prorated based on the amount of contributory service credit to total service on the retirant's:

(A) Retirement date; or

(B) T-DROP entry date.

(3) The amounts under subsection (b) of this section shall be calculated and provided to all retirees, survivors, and beneficiaries of retirants.

(c)(1) The ad hoc benefit is payable to the retirees, survivors, and beneficiaries of retirants of the system beginning on a July 1 that is at least twelve (12) full months after the effective date of a monthly benefit.

(d) The ad hoc benefit for a retirant, survivor, and beneficiary of a retirant shall not increase the retirant's current benefit by more than twenty-five percent (25%) of the annuity benefit payable as of the prior June 30.

24-7-1503. Ad hoc benefit formula.

The schedule of decade dollar amounts per year of credited service is:

Formula Decades in Which Credited Service Was Accrued	Annual $ Increase Per Year of Credited Service
2000 - and later	$5
1990-1999	$10
1980-1989	$20
1970-1979	$30
1960-1969	$40
1950-1959	$30
1940-1949	$60
1930-1939	$70
1929-1929	$80
1910-1919	$90

24-7-1504. Promulgation of Rules - Duty of board..

(a) The Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System shall promulgate rules for the ad hoc benefit under this subchapter.

(b) An ad hoc benefit under this subchapter shall not be implemented if the ad hoc benefit would cause the system's unfunded actuarial accrued liabilities to exceed a thirty-year amortization.

(c) The board shall only authorize an ad hoc benefit that is actuarially appropriate for the system.

(d) Before an increase of retirement benefit through an ad hoc benefit is authorized, the board shall file relevant information with the Joint Interim Committee on Public Retirement and Social Security Programs. regarding the actuarial appropriateness of the increase.

(e) The board may reduce the decade increase formula under § 24-15-103 proportionately on a one-to-one formula basis for each decade when the reduction is actuarially feasible to implement.

(f) The ad hoc benefit increase is a one-time adjustment and shall also be used to increase the base amount of a retirant's benefits when calculating any future additional benefit increases."

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 129 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 236 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 236

Amend Senate Bill No. 236 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete everything after the Enacting Clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 24-4-803(a)(2), concerning the deferred benefit of a member of the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System, is amended to read as follows:

(2) If the member has less than thirty (30) years of actual service, but at least twenty-eight (28) years of service, the portion of the member's deferred benefit that is contributed to the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System Deferred Retirement Option Plan will be:

(A) ~~reduced by~~ Reduced by one-tenth of one percent (0.1%) multiplied by the number of months by which his or her years of service is less than thirty (30) years ~~the percentage established by the Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System,~~; and

(B) ~~then shall be~~ After the reduction under subdivision (a)(2)(A) of this section, subject to the additional computations as set forth in subsections (b) and (c) of this section."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 236 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 237 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 237

Amend Senate Bill No. 237 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete everything after the Enacting Clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 24-10-607(c), concerning disability retirement under the Arkansas Local Police and Fire Retirement System, is amended to read as follows:

(c)(1)(A)(i) Any active member who while an active member becomes totally and permanently physically or mentally incapacitated for any suitable duty as an employee as the result of a personal injury or disease that the board finds to have arisen out of and in the course of his or her actual performance of duty as an employee may be retired by the board upon written application filed with the board by or on behalf of the member or former member.

(ii)(a) As used in this subdivision (c)(1)(A)(ii):

(1)(A) "Blood or body fluids" means blood and body fluids containing visible blood and other body fluids to which universal precautions for prevention of occupational transmission of blood-borne pathogens, as established by the Centers for Disease Control, apply.

(B) "Blood or body fluids" includes respiratory, salivary, and sinus fluids, including droplets, sputum, saliva, mucus, and any other fluid through which infectious airborne or blood-borne organisms can be transmitted between persons for the purpose of determining the potential transmission of hepatitis, meningococcal meningitis, HIV, or tuberculosis;

(2) "Hepatitis" means hepatitis A, hepatitis B, hepatitis non-A, hepatitis non-B, hepatitis C, or any other strain of hepatitis generally recognized by the medical community;

(3) "HIV" means the medically recognized retrovirus known as human immunodeficiency virus, type I or type II, causing immunodeficiency syndrome; and

(4) "Occupational exposure" means, in the case of hepatitis, meningococcal meningitis, HIV, or tuberculosis, an exposure that occurs during the performance of job duties that places a police officer or firefighter at risk of infection.

(b) A police officer or firefighter in paid service who becomes totally or permanently incapacitated for any suitable duty as an employee from a condition or impairment of health caused by hepatitis, meningococcal meningitis, HIV, or tuberculosis shall be presumed to have suffered the condition or impairment as one arising out of and in the course of the police officer's or firefighter's actual performance of duty as an employee unless the contrary is shown by medical evidence.

(c) The presumption under subdivision (c)(1)(A)(ii)(b) of this section is conditioned on the police officer or firefighter:

(1) Having successfully passed a physical examination before entering into employment and the examination failing to reveal any evidence of the hepatitis, meningococcal meningitis, HIV, or tuberculosis; and

(2) Having a documented occupational exposure to blood or bodily fluids potentially transmitting hepatitis, meningococcal meningitis, HIV, or tuberculosis.

(B) The employee shall be retired only if, after a medical examination of the member or former member made by or under the direction of a physician or physicians designated by the board, the physician reports to the plan in writing that the member or former member is physically or mentally totally incapacitated for the further performance of any suitable duty, that the incapacity will probably be permanent, and that the member or former member should be retired.

(2)(A) Except as provided in subdivision (c)(2)(B) of this section, the written application that is to be filed with the board by the member or on behalf of the member shall be made to the board not later than one (1) year after the termination of active membership.

(B) If the application is based on a presumed duty disability under subdivision (c)(1)(A)(ii) of this section, then a written application shall be made to the board not later than five (5) years after the termination of active membership.

~~(2)~~(3) A written application to the board by the member or former member or on behalf of the member shall be filed with the board not later than one (1) year after the termination of active membership.

~~(3)~~(4) The disability annuity shall be effective the first day of the calendar month next following the later of:

(A) His or her termination of active membership; or

(B) Six (6) months before the date the written application is filed with the board.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 24-11-423(a)(1)(C), concerning benefits for disability retirement under local policemen's pension and relief funds, is amended to read as follows:

(C)(i) If, however, a police officer is injured in the line of duty, the monthly disability benefit shall either be equal to sixty-five percent (65%) of the salary attached to the rank held by the member in the police department or shall be equal to the benefit paid to normal service retirants, whichever is greater.

(ii) ~~For~~ Except as provided under subdivision (a)(1)(C)(iii)(c)(1) of this section, for purposes of this section, "injured in the line of duty" means a disabling injury or disease which occurs while conducting official police department operations or while in training to become a police officer.

(iii)(a) The board shall determine whether the disability occurred in the line of duty and may require any medical evidence, official reports, expert testimony, or other information to be supplied by the applicant in addition to the required physician's examination. The additional benefits provided in this subdivision (a)(1)(C) shall be effective for all qualifying applications first received by the board on or after January 1, 1987.

(b) As used in this subdivision (a)(1)(C)(iii):

(1)(A) "Blood or body fluids" means blood and body fluids containing visible blood and other body fluids to which universal precautions for prevention of occupational transmission of blood-borne pathogens, as established by the Centers for Disease Control, apply.

(B) "Blood or body fluids" includes respiratory, salivary, and sinus fluids, including droplets, sputum, saliva, mucus, and any other fluid through which infectious airborne or blood-borne organisms can be transmitted between persons for the purpose of determining the potential transmission of hepatitis, meningococcal meningitis, HIV, or tuberculosis;

(2) "Hepatitis" means hepatitis A, hepatitis B, hepatitis non-A, hepatitis non-B, hepatitis C, or any other strain of hepatitis generally recognized by the medical community;

(3) "HIV" means the medically recognized retrovirus known as human immunodeficiency virus, type I or type II, causing immunodeficiency syndrome; and

(4) "Occupational exposure" means, in the case of hepatitis, meningococcal meningitis, HIV, or tuberculosis, an exposure that occurs during the performance of job duties that places a police officer at risk of infection.

(c)(1) A member of a police department who becomes disabled or injured by hepatitis, meningococcal meningitis, HIV, or tuberculosis shall be presumed to have been injured in the line of duty unless the contrary is shown by medical evidence.

(2) The presumption under subdivision (a)(1)(C)(iii)(c)(1) of this section is conditioned on the police officer having successfully passed a physical examination before entering into employment and the examination failing to reveal any evidence of the hepatitis, meningococcal meningitis, HIV, or tuberculosis.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 24-11-819(a)(2)(B)(ii), concerning benefits for disability retirement under local firemen's pension and relief funds, is amended to read as follows:

(ii)(a) ~~For~~ Except as provided under subdivision (a)(2)(B)(ii)(c)(2) of this section, for purposes of this section, "injured in the line of duty" means a disabling injury or disease that occurs while conducting official fire department operations or while in training to become a fire fighter.

(b) The board shall determine whether the disability occurred in the line of duty and may require any medical evidence, official reports, expert testimony, or other information to be supplied by the applicant in addition to the required physician's examination and report.

(c)(1) As used in this subdivision (a)(2)(B)(ii)(c):

(A)(i) "Blood or body fluids" means blood and body fluids containing visible blood and other body fluids to which universal precautions for prevention of occupational transmission of blood-borne pathogens, as established by the Centers for Disease Control, apply.

(ii) "Blood or body fluids" includes respiratory, salivary, and sinus fluids, including droplets, sputum, saliva, mucus, and any other fluid through which infectious airborne or blood-borne organisms can be transmitted between persons for the purpose of determining the potential transmission of hepatitis, meningococcal meningitis, HIV, or tuberculosis;

(B) "Hepatitis" means hepatitis A, hepatitis B, hepatitis non-A, hepatitis non-B, hepatitis C, or any other strain of hepatitis generally recognized by the medical community;

(C) "HIV" means the medically recognized retrovirus known as human immunodeficiency virus, type I or type II, causing immunodeficiency syndrome; and

(D) "Occupational exposure" means, in the case of hepatitis, meningococcal meningitis, HIV, or tuberculosis, an exposure that occurs during the performance of job duties that places a firefighter at risk of infection.

(2) A full-paid firefighter who becomes disabled or injured by hepatitis, meningococcal meningitis, HIV, or tuberculosis shall be presumed to have been injured in the line of duty unless the contrary is shown by medical evidence.

(3) The presumption under subdivision (a)(2)(B)(ii)(c)(2) of this section is conditioned on the firefighter having successfully passed a physical examination before entering into employment and the examination failing to reveal any evidence of the hepatitis, meningococcal meningitis, HIV, or tuberculosis."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 237 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Whitaker the Senate recessed until 10 minutes after the conclusion of the Joint Session.

The Senate reconvened after recess. The Secretary called the roll, and a quorum was present.

JOINT SESSION

Call to order by the Speaker of the House, The Honorable Robbie Wills.

Invocation by the House Chaplain, Pastor Cornell Maltbia, True Holiness Saints Center, Conway, Arkansas.

Pledge of Allegiance led by Representative Bill Abernathy.

Roll Call of the Senate by the Secretary of the Senate and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

Total number present: 35

Total number absent: 0

Total number on leave: 0

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Electronic Roll Call of the House by the Chief Clerk.

Present: 98

Abernathy	Davis	Kidd	Reep
Adcock	Dickinson	King	Reynolds
Allen	Dismang	Lea	Rice
Baird	Dunn	Lewellen	Roebuck
Baker, T	Edwards	Lindsey	Rogers, J
Barnett	English	Lovell	Rogers, T
Betts	Everett	Lowery	Sample
Blount	Flowers	Maloch	Saunders
Bradford	Garner	Malone, S	Shelby
Breedlove	George	Martin	Slinkard
Brown	Glidewell	Maxwell	Smith, G
Burris, J	Green	McCrary	Smith, L
Burris, M	Greenberg	McLean	Stewart
Carnine	Hall	Moore	Summers
Carroll	Hardy	Nickels	Tyler
Cash	Harrelson	Nix	Wagner
Cheatham	Hawkins	Overbey	Webb
Clemmer	Hobbs	Patterson	Wells
Cole	Hopper	Pennartz	Wilkins, B
Cook	House	Perry	Williams
Cooper	Hoyt	Pierce	Woods
Cowling	Hutchinson	Powers	Word
Creekmore	Hyde	Pyle	MR. SPEAKER
Dale	Ingram	Ragland	
Davenport	Kerr	Rainey	

Two Absent: Carter Gaskill

Speaker of the House, Robbie Wills recognizes visiting dignitaries.

President of the Senate, The Honorable Bill Halter appoints the following named Committee as the Committee to notify the Honorable William Jefferson Clinton, 42nd President of the United States that the Joint Session is ready to receive him and to escort the 42nd President of the United States to the Speaker's Rostrum:

Senator Tracy Steele, Chairperson	Senator Randy Laverty
Senator Paul Bookout	Senator Percy Malone
Senator John Paul Capps	Senator Mary Anne Salmon
Senator Steve Faris	Senator Terry Smith
Senator Bobby L. Glover	Senator Henry "Hank" Wilkins, IV

Speaker of the House, The Honorable Robbie Wills appoints the following named Committee as the Committee to notify the Honorable William Jefferson Clinton, 42nd President of the United States that the Joint Session is ready to receive him and to escort the President to the Speaker's Rostrum:

Representative Lindsley Smith, Chairperson
Representative Bill Abernathy
Representative Tommy Lee Baker
Representative Dawn Creekmore
Representative Steve Harrelson
Representative Eddie Hawkins
Representative John Lowery
Representative Gregg Reep
Representative R. D. "Rick" Saunders
Representative Kathy Webb

Request for admittance of the Governor of the State of Arkansas, The Honorable Mike Beebe and the 42nd President of the United States, The Honorable William Jefferson Clinton.

Speaker of the House, The Honorable Robbie Wills, admits Governor Mike Beebe and the 42nd President William Jefferson Clinton to the Chamber.

Governor of the State of Arkansas, The Honorable Mike Beebe, presents the Honorable William Jefferson Clinton, the 42nd President of the United States, for remarks.

Remarks by The Honorable William Jefferson Clinton, the 42nd President of the United States.

Announcements.

Speaker of the House, Robbie Wills Announces that the House will reconvene in fifteen (15) minutes.

President of the Senate, Bill Halter announces that the Senate will reconvene in twenty (20) minutes.

Adjourn.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE GOVERNMENT OF TURKEY TO GRANT THE ECUMENICAL PATRIARCH APPROPRIATE INTERNATIONAL RECOGNITION, ECCLESIASTICAL SUCCESSION, AND THE RIGHT TO TRAIN CLERGY OF ALL NATIONALITIES AND TO RESPECT THE PROPERTY RIGHTS AND HUMAN RIGHTS OF THE ECUMENICAL PATRIARCHATE.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 320 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 320

Amend Senate Bill No. 320 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 30, delete "month" and substitute "last month"

AND

Page 4, line 1, delete "month" and substitute "last month"

(SIGNED) SENATOR S. BRYLES

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 320 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 129, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 140, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 163, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 165, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 179, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 231, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,

SENATE BILL NO. 236, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 237, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 129 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 140 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 163 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 165 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 179 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 231 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 236 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 237 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

Senate BILL NO. 253, BY SENATOR FARIS ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 253 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 345, BY HENDREN,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 345 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Whitaker the Senate recessed until 1:30 p.m.

The Senate reconvened after recess. The Secretary called the roll, and a quorum was present.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 320, BY SENATOR BRYLES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 320 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Salmon, House Bill No. 1349 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1349

Amend House Bill No. 1349 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 23, delete "county" and substitute "quorum"

AND

Page 2, line 14, delete "county" and substitute "quorum"

(SIGNED) SENATOR SALMON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1349 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, House Bill No. 1011 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1011

Amend House Bill No. 1011 as engrossed, H1/28/09:

Page 2, delete lines 15 through 20 and substitute

"(i) The person who created the video recording, film, or photo obtained as described in subsection (b) distributed or transmitted it to another person; or

(ii) The person who created the video recording, film, or photo obtained as described in subsection (b) posted it in a format accessible by another person via the internet.

(SIGNED) SENATOR SALMON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1011 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, Senate Bill No. 332 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 332
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION MAY ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT WITH THE OLD STATE HOUSE COMMISSION TO PRODUCE OR MANUFACTURE ITEMS UTILIZING INMATE LABOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 332 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 332 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, House Bill No. 1373 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1373

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE STEWART

BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADJUST THE JOB ORDER CONTRACTING BID AWARD AMOUNTS IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE INCREASE IN THE COST OF BUILDING MATERIALS AND PETROLEUM-BASED PRODUCTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1373 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1373 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, House Bill No. 1048 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1048
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXTEND TO A MUNICIPAL SEWER ENTITY THE ABILITY TO REQUEST TERMINATION OF WATER SERVICE BY A WATER AUTHORITY FOR DELINQUENT SOLID WASTE SERVICE PAYMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Taylor spoke in favor of the Bill.

House Bill No. 1048 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: J. Key, Laverty.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1048 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Smith, House Bill No. 1410 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1410
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOYT, REYNOLDS, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, DUNN, EVERETT, GLIDEWELL, KIDD, M. MARTIN, PERRY, PIERCE, SAUNDERS & WELLS
BY: SENATORS T. SMITH, R. THOMPSON, BOOKOUT, B. JOHNSON & BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE DEFINITION OF CASUALTY INSURANCE TO INCLUDE MORTGAGE LIEN PROTECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1410 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1410 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1371 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1371
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARDY, ALLEN, GARNER, HALL, LINDSEY, MALOCH, RAINEY, REEP, SAUNDERS, G. SMITH, TYLER & WILLIAMS
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 12-9-103 TO ADD AN OFFICER OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE TO THE ARKANSAS COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDARDS AND TRAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1371 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1371 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Glover, House Bill No. 1318 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1318

As Engrossed: H2/11/09 S2/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES NIX, M. BURRIS & CARROLL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THE SAFE TRANSPORTATION OF RAILROAD EMPLOYEES BY CONTRACT CARRIERS BY ESTABLISHING STANDARDS FOR DRIVERS EMPLOYED BY THE CONTRACT CARRIERS AND THE MOTOR VEHICLES USED BY THE CONTRACT CARRIERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1318 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1318, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1318 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 1271 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1271
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE FLOWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXPAND THE MEMBERSHIP FOR THE COMMITTEE ON PERSONNEL POLICIES FOR CLASSIFIED EMPLOYEES IN EACH SCHOOL DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1271 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1271 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 10
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. JOHNSON, STEELE, ALTES, G. BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, J. JEFFRESS, G. JEFFRESS, D. JOHNSON, J. KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, P. MALONE, MILLER, B. PRITCHARD, SALMON, T. SMITH, J. TAYLOR, TEAGUE, R. THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, H. WILKINS, WILKINSON & D. WYATT

SENATE RESOLUTION WELCOMING THE RETURN OF FORMER PRESIDENT WILLIAM JEFFERSON CLINTON TO THE STATE TO ADDRESS A JOINT SESSION OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND HONORING HIS EXTENSIVE PUBLIC SERVICE AND ACHIEVEMENTS AS GOVERNOR OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES.

Senate Resolution No. 10 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Bookout, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Resolution No. 10.

On motion of Senator Bookout, Senate Resolution No. 10 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 10
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. JOHNSON, STEELE, ALTES, G. BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, J. JEFFRESS, G. JEFFRESS, D. JOHNSON, J. KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, P. MALONE, MILLER, B. PRITCHARD, SALMON, T. SMITH, J. TAYLOR, TEAGUE, R. THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, H. WILKINS, WILKINSON & D. WYATT

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Senate Resolution No. 10. was read the read third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1006
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY AND WELLS
BY: SENATORS WILKINSON AND LAVERTY

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING BOBBY HURLEY OF CLARKSVILLE, ARKANSAS, ON HIS INDUCTION INTO THE PRO RODEO HALL OF FAME.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1006 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Wilkinson, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of recognizing Bobby Hurley.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Wilkinson, the rules were suspended in considering House Concurrent Resolution No. 1006 at this time.

On motion of Senator Wilkinson, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1006 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1006
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY AND WELLS
BY: SENATORS WILKINSON AND LAVERTY

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING BOBBY HURLEY OF CLARKSVILLE, ARKANSAS, ON HIS INDUCTION INTO THE PRO RODEO HALL OF FAME.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1006 was read the third time and concurred in by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1006 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 49, BY SENATORS J. KEY AND BAKER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copy with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 8:25 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 49

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 18 day of February, 2009 at 8:25 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Marc Harrison
Secretary

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 194 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 194

Amend Senate Bill No. 194 as engrossed, S1/28/09:

Insert an additional SECTION immediately following SECTION 12 to read as follows:

" SECTION 13. Section 7 of Act 102 of the Regular Session of 2009 is hereby amended to read as follows:

SECTION 7. REAPPROPRIATION - SMALL BUSINESS LOAN PROGRAM. There is hereby appropriated, to the Economic Development Commission, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, for the Economic Development Commission, the following:

(A) Effective July 1, 2009, the balance of the appropriation provided in Item (A) of Section 4 of Act 414 of 2007, for ~~investments in a competitive pay supplement and related expenses for the Science, Technology, Engineering and Math fund by the Economic Development Commission,~~ the purpose of promoting small business growth by providing loans to qualified small businesses on a matching basis, in a sum not to exceed.....$291,804."

And

Appropriately renumber the subsequent SECTIONS of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 194 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 265 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 265

Amend Senate Bill No. 265 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 12, delete "State " and substitute "Trial Court Administrative Assistant Fund"

AND

Page 2, line 13, delete "Administration of Justice Fund"

AND

Page 2, immediately following Section 3 insert new Sections to read as follows:

"SECTION 4. FUND CREATED. (a) There is hereby created on the books of the Treasurer of State, Auditor of State, and Chief Fiscal Officer of the State a miscellaneous revenue fund to be known as the Trial Court Administrative Assistant Fund. (b) This fund shall consist of those monies transferred from the State Administration of Justice Fund and other monies as authorized by law. (c) The fund shall be used for paying personal services, Trial Court Assistant expenses and Trial Court Staff Substitutes.

SECTION 5. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. CERTIFICATION. Any Trial Court Administrative Assistant who is or becomes certified by the National Center for State Courts as a certified Court Manager shall be entitled to have the annual salary for which he or she is eligible to be increased by ten percent (10%), which shall not exceed the maximum amount for the grade assigned.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010."

AND

Appropriately renumber subsequent Section numbers.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 265 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 284 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 284

Amend Senate Bill No. 284 as engrossed, S2/5/09:

Page 1, line 30 delete ", in a sum not to" and substitute "or for grants to be made to non-profit/government entity owners of perpetual care cemeteries of historic nature, in a sum not to exceed"

And

Page 1, delete line 31 in its entirety

And

Insert a new Section immediately following Section 1 to read as follows:
" SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. As referenced in SECTION 3 of Act 1202 of 2007 and SECTION 3 of Act 1753 of 2007, the authorized funding for the Arkansas Cemetery Board for the project for cemetery maintenance, operations and acquisition costs shall also be deemed to include grants to be made to non-profit/government entity owners of perpetual care cemeteries of historic nature."

And

Appropriately renumber the subsequent Sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 284 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 123 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 123
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING AND OTHER EXPENSES OF THE NOAA WEATHER WARNING SYSTEM AND FOR OPERATING AND OTHER EXPENSES OF THE PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION PROGRAM FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 123 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 123, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 123 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 288 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 288

As Engrossed: S2/9/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 288 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 288, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 288 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1011, BY REPRESENTATIVE HUTCHINSON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Salmon, House Bill No. 1011 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1349, BY REPRESENTATIVES COOK AND J. ROGERS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Salmon, House Bill No. 1349 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 320, BY SENATOR BRYLES,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATORS SUE MADISON
CHAIRMAN
J. KEY
J. ELLIOTT
R. THOMPSON
CECILE BLEDSOE

SENATE BILL NO. 401
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HYDE, M. MARTIN & GLIDEWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE STATE BOARD OF HEALTH TO ALLOW THE USE OF A HARVESTED RAINWATER SYSTEM FOR A NONPOTABLE PURPOSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 401 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 402
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT ACUPUNCTURISTS FROM ADMINISTERING, DISPENSING, OR PRESCRIBING LEGEND DRUGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 402 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 403
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH ANNUAL REPORTING REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTAIN IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; TO REQUIRE COUNTY CLERKS TO PROVIDE NOTICE OF A VACANCY ON A DISTRICT BOARD; TO SET A COUNTY FILING FEE FOR THE IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT REPORT; TO INVESTIGATE A VACANCY ON A DISTRICT BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 403 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 404
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO OTHER APPROPRIATIONS MADE BY THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO PAY THE ARKANSAS STATE CLAIMS COMMISSION – APPROVED CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 404 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 405
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - BEEBE FOR THE ENGLAND CLASSROOM CENTER RENOVATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 405 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 406
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BETTS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - BEEBE FOR THE SEARCY MAIN CLASSROOM BUILDING RENOVATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 406 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 407
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 15 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 407 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 408
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 18 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 408 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 409
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 27 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 409 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: COMMENDING JUDGE WILLIAM JAY RILEY OF THE EIGHTH CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS FOR HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE LEGAL PROFESSION.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 410
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 5 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 410 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Senate Bill No. 28 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled as amended .

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 28 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 339 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 341 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 194, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 265, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 284, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 194 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 265 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 284 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 411
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOUSE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: TO ENACT THE ARKANSAS FOREIGN EXCHANGE STUDENT PROGRAM ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 411 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1008
As Engrossed: H2/12/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT ALLOWING GRANDPARENTS AND GREAT-GRANDPARENTS VISITATION TO OCCUR WITHOUT REGARD TO WHICH PARENT HAS PHYSICAL CUSTODY OF THE CHILD; AND FOR* OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1008 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1010
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. HUTCHINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT PUBLIC SCHOOL CHILDREN FROM REGISTERED SEX OFFENDERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1010 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1222
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HYDE
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE CONTINUED ACCOUNTABILITY AND EFFICIENCY FOR SCHOOL DISTRICTS INVOLVED IN DESEGREGATION LITIGATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1222 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1397
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE GOVERNMENT-OWNED AND GOVERNMENT-OPERATED STORAGE FACILITIES FOR MOTOR VEHICLES TO REQUIRE PROOF OF INSURANCE BEFORE RELEASING IMPOUNDED VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1397 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1427
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES INGRAM AND HALL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXTEND IMMUNITY TO CERTAIN DENTAL RESIDENTS AND FACULTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1427 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 339, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 341, BY SENATOR LUKER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 3:35 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 339
SENATE BILL NO. 341

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 18 day of February, 2009 at 3:35 p.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J. D. Lowery
Secretary

SENATE BILL NO. 412
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 412 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 413
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SAU-TECH FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 413 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 414
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SOUTH ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 414 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 415
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL ARKANSAS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 415 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 416
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - ITS VARIOUS DIVISIONS AND THE ARKANSAS ARCHEOLOGICAL SURVEY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 416 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 417
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 417 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 418
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 418 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 419
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SOUTHEAST ARKANSAS COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 419 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 420
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT BATESVILLE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 420 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 421
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - BEEBE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 421 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 422
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 422 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 423
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OUACHITA TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 423 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 424
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - NEWPORT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 424 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 425
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT MORRILTON FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 425 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1232, BY REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1267, BY REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1367, BY REPRESENTATIVE PENNARTZ,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1375, BY REPRESENTATIVE PENNARTZ,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1113, BY REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 15, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 156, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 350, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 351, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 352, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 395, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1011, BY REPRESENTATIVE HUTCHINSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1033, BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON,

HOUSE BILL NO. 1280, BY REPRESENTATIVE HYDE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1341, BY REPRESENTATIVE MOORE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1374, BY REPRESENTATIVE STEWART,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1382, BY REPRESENTATIVE HYDE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED
SENATE BILL NO. 123
SENATE BILL NO. 288
SENATE BILL NO. 332

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1048
HOUSE BILL NO. 1271
HOUSE BILL NO. 1371
HOUSE BILL NO. 1373
HOUSE BILL NO. 1410

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1318 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1006

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED
SENATE BILL NO. 339
SENATE BILL NO. 341

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED
SENATE BILL NO. 28 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1008
HOUSE BILL NO. 1010
HOUSE BILL NO. 1222
HOUSE BILL NO. 1397
HOUSE BILL NO. 1427

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1006

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Thursday, February 19, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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THIRTY-NINTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

February 19, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 11:00 o'clock a.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINSON, WYATT.

Leave requested for Senator Wilkins.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Steele.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 68 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 68

Amend Senate Bill No. 68 as originally introduced:

Page 21, delete lines 31 through 36

AND

Page 22, delete lines 1 through 9

AND

Appropriately renumber subsequent sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 68 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 307 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 307

Amend Senate Bill No. 307 as engrossed, S2/17/09:
Page 2, line 15, delete "American" and substitute "National"

(SIGNED) SENATOR SMITH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 307 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 347 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 347

Amend Senate Bill No. 347 as originally introduced:
By adding the following Senate co-sponsor:

“J. Jeffress”;

AND

By adding the following Representative co-sponsors:

“T. Baker, Kidd, Wagner, B. Wilkins”.

(SIGNED) SENATOR THOMPSON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 347 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 68, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Madison, Senator Bill No. 68 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 307, BY SENATOR SMITH,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 307 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 347, BY SENATORS R. THOMPSON AND BOOKOUT

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 347 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1037, BY REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1431, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. COWLING,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1433, BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 361, BY SENATOR LUKER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JERRY TAYLOR
VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1349, BY REPRESENTATIVE COOK,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 56, BY SENATOR MILLER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR S. FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1376, BY REPRESENTATIVE STEWART,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR S. FARIS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of commending Ashley County for firewise communities certification from the Arkansas Forestry Commission and acknowledging John Shannon and Butch Calhoun as well as County Judge Emory Austin. Jim Skender, Coordinator, was presented the citation.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CHEATHAM AND MOORE

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING ASHLEY COUNTY AND ITS COMMUNITIES FOR OBTAINING THE FIREWISE COMMUNITIES CERTIFICATION FROM THE ARKANSAS FORESTRY COMMISSION.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING JUDGE WILLIAM JAY RILEY OF THE EIGHTH CIRCUIT COURT OF APPEALS FOR HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE LEGAL PROFESSION.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1213 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1213

Amend House Bill No. 1213 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 29, delete "~~circuit~~" and substitute "circuit"

AND

Page 2, line 30, delete "district"

AND

Page 7, delete lines 23 through 27, and substitute the following:

"(b)(1) ~~If a jury trial is requested and upon motion of either party or upon his or her own motion, the circuit judge may order that the commercial lease eviction case be heard at the next term of court following the tenant's appearance.~~

~~(2)~~ If the amount of rent is in controversy, the court shall"

AND

Page 7, line 29, delete "(3)(A)" and substitute "~~(3)(A)~~(2)(A)"

AND

Page 8, line 1, delete "(4)" and substitute "~~(4)~~(3)"

AND

Page 8, line 6, delete "(5)" and substitute "~~(5)~~(4)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR R. THOMPSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1213 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Trusty, Senate Bill No. 154 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 154
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF ARKANSAS'S CHILDREN; TO PROHIBIT SALES AND DISTRIBUTION OF NOVELTY LIGHTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 154 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34
Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 154 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 320 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, Senate Bill No. 105 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 105 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Whitaker.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 350 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 350
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. DICKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE KINSHIP FOSTER CARE PROGRAM IN THE DIVISION OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 350 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 350 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 351 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 351

As Engrossed: S2/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. KEY

BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. DICKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROVISIONS REGARDING THE ELIGIBILITY FOR A RELATIVE GUARDIANSHIP SUBSIDY FOR A CHILD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 351 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 351 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 352 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 352

As Engrossed: S2/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. KEY

BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. DICKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE JURISDICTION OF MATTERS INVOLVING JUVENILES AND THE QUALIFICATIONS FOR GUARDIANS OF MINORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 352 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 352 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 359 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 359
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS MADISON, SALMON, TEAGUE, J. KEY, D. JOHNSON, BRYLES, R. THOMPSON, P. MALONE, GLOVER & WHITAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE POWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS FOSTER YOUTH TRANSITIONAL PLAN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 359 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 359 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 156 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 156
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 5-60-116 CONCERNING INHALATION OF INTOXICATING COMPOUNDS; TO PROHIBIT ALCOHOL VAPORIZING DEVICES IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 156 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 156 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 15 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 15

As Engrossed: S2/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SERVICE OF A SUMMONS ON A BAIL BOND SURETY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 15 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 15 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wilkinson, House Bill No. 1370 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1370
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRSENTATIVE BREEDLOVE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT COUNTY INSPECTORS AND CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS FROM LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING REQUIREMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1370 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1370 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1331 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1331
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING FEES FOR THE ISSUANCE OF WRITS OF GARNISHMENT AND EXECUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1331 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1331 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1232 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1232

As Engrossed: H1/27/09 H1/28/09 H2/4/09 H2/5/09 H2/9/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY, T. BAKER, BREEDLOVE, COOPER, DALE, DAVIS, DUNN, EVERETT, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, HALL, HOYT, LEA, LOVELL, S. MALONE, RAGLAND, RICE, SHELBY, WELLS, WOODS, WORD, CARNINE, KIDD, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SUMMERS, BARNETT, CLEMMER, B. WILKINS, *GARNER & HOPPER*

BY: SENATORS HORN, J. TAYLOR, D. WYATT, ALTES, CRUMBLY, T. SMITH, STEELE, J. KEY & H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE LONG-TERM CARE QUALITY IMPROVEMENT ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1232 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1232 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 226 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Malone, House Bill No. 1367 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1367
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENNARTZ
BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE DENTAL HEALTH AMONG PATIENTS IN FACILITIES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION OR DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION; TO CLARIFY THE DUTIES OF DENTAL HYGIENISTS IN FACILITIES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION OR DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1367 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1367 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Malone, House Bill No. 1375 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1375
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENNARTZ
BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT THE HEALTH OF INMATES COMMITTED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION; TO ENSURE THAT ORDERS BY MEDICAL PROVIDERS FOR RESTRICTIONS ON WORK BY INMATES ARE FOLLOWED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1375 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1375 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1113 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1113

As Engrossed: H2/3/09, H2/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE, LEA, DISMANG, ENGLISH, GREENBERG, G. SMITH, RICE, J. BURRIS, *S. MALONE*, CLEMMER, M. MARTIN, RAGLAND, BARNETT, GARNER, BAIRD, *BREEDLOVE*, *J. DICKINSON, GLIDEWELL, LOWERY, SUMMERS, WELLS, ADCOCK, MALOCH & DALE*

BY: SENATORS BLEDSOE, GLOVER, G. BAKER, TRUSTY, J. TAYLOR & ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT PARTIAL-BIRTH ABORTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Madison spoke against the Bill.

Senator Miller spoke for the Bill.

Senator Glover spoke for the Bill.

Senator Bledsoe closed for the Bill.

House Bill No. 1113 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 30

NEGATIVE: D. Johnson, Madison, Salmon.

Total 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Elliott.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1113, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 30

NEGATIVE: D. Johnson, Madison, Salmon.

Total 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Elliott.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1113 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

ARKANSAS SENATE

State Capitol

Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

February 19, 2009

Ms. Ann Cornwell
Secretary of the Senate
State Capitol, Room 315
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

During session on Thursday, February 19, 2009, House Bill No. 1113 was brought up for 3rd reading and vote. I was recorded as voting for this bill but I did not vote on this piece of legislation. Please file this letter in the Senate Journal along with the roll call that was taken on House Bill No. 1113.

Thank you,

Senator Jim Luker
District 17

On motion of Senator Steele, House Bill No. 1267 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1267
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS ORTHOTICS, PROSTHETICS, AND PEDORTHICS PRACTICE ACT OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1267 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1267 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Key, House Bill No. 1382 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1382
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HYDE, ALLEN, L. COWLING, T. BAKER, COOK, BARNETT, BLOUNT, CHEATHAM, CASH, T. BRADFORD, J. BROWN, CARROLL, J. BURRIS, M. MARTIN, WORD, WILLIAMS, LOWERY, LOVELL, KING, WELLS, TYLER, WEBB, KIDD, STEWART, G. SMITH, KERR, INGRAM, ADCOCK, SLINKARD, D. HUTCHINSON, HOYT, HOUSE, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, HAWKINS, SHELBY, T. ROGERS, J. ROEBUCK, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, HARDY, GREENBERG, R. GREEN, GEORGE, POWERS, ENGLISH, PENNARTZ, NIX, PERRY, PIERCE, J. EDWARDS, NICKELS, MOORE, MAXWELL, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON & MCLEAN
BY: SENATORS J. JEFFRESS, BROADWAY, HORN, D. WYATT, SALMON, MADISON, TEAGUE, LAVERTY, WILKINSON, T. SMITH & J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE FINES FOR MISDEMEANOR OFFENSES AND VIOLATIONS; TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL FUNDING FOR COUNTY JAILS; TO AUTHORIZE A LEVY TO DEFRAY THE COST OF INCARCERATING COUNTY PRISONERS; TO AUTHORIZE TEMPORARY DISTRIBUTION OF FUNDS RAISED BY INCREASED MISDEMEANOR AND VIOLATION FINES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1382 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1382, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1382 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1374 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1374
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE STEWART
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MILITARY CODE OF ARKANSAS TO MAKE SEXUAL MISCONDUCT AND SEXUAL HARASSMENT OFFENSES PUNISHABLE BY COURT MARTIAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1374 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1374 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1213, BY REPRESENTATIVE PATTERSON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1213 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 94, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 97, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 200, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 202, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

SENATE BILL NO. 382, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 383, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 384, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 385, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 386, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 387, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 388, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 355, BY SENATOR LUKER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 426
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS CODE TO PROVIDE FOR INCREASED SECURITY IN THE ISSUANCE OF TEMPORARY MOTOR VEHICLE BUYER'S TAGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 426 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 427
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BRYLES AND D. WYATT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. DICKINSON AND LOVELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR MARKED TREE TECHNICAL CENTER COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH CONSTRUCTING AND EQUIPPING A CLASSROOM BUILDING FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - NEWPORT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 427 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 428
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOVELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - NEWPORT FOR MARKED TREE TECHNICAL CENTER CRITICAL MAINTENANCE, LIBRARY HOLDINGS, TECHNOLOGY AND EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 428 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 429
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 429 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 430

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE INCENTIVES FOR TEACHER RECRUITMENT AND RETENTION IN HIGH-PRIORITY SCHOOL DISTRICTS; TO EQUALIZE TEACHER SALARIES BETWEEN HIGH-PRIORITY SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND HIGHER PAYING SURROUNDING SCHOOL DISTRICTS IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 430 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

February 19, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on February 19, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 035, - ACT 190,
Senate Bill No. 208, - ACT 191,
Senate Bill No. 301, - ACT 192,
Senate Bill No. 302, - ACT 193,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

SENATE BILL NO. 431
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF INSURANCE PROCEEDS IN CONTRAVENTION OF A SECURITY AGREEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 431 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 432
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A PROCEDURE FOR THE RECALL OF ELECTED MUNICIPAL OFFICIALS ELECTED TO SERVE A TERM OF FOUR (4) YEARS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 432 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 123 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 149 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 268 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 295 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 310 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 329 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 34 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 34 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Senate Bill No. 59 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 59 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Senate Bill No. 225 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 225 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 433
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - JONESBORO FOR EVALUATION, PLANNING AND EXPENSES OF A JOHNNY CASH HERITAGE SITE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 433 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1026

As Engrossed: H2/09/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES G. SMITH AND *LOWERY*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT *A MAJORITY OF THE* MEMBERS OF THE OIL AND GAS COMMISSION BE EXPERIENCED IN THE DEVELOPMENT, PRODUCTION, AND TRANSPORTATION OF OIL AND GAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1026 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1157

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR INVESTMENTS, BENEFITS, REFUNDS AND EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT - ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1157 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1259
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE MILITARY DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1259 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1394
As Engrossed: H2/10/09, H2/18/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. EDWARDS AND *ADCOCK*
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXPAND THE OFFENSE OF OBSTRUCTING GOVERNMENTAL OPERATIONS TO INCLUDE FALSELY IDENTIFYING ONESELF TO AN ANIMAL CONTROL OR CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1394 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1395
As Engrossed: H2/10/09 H2/18/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. EDWARDS AND *ADCOCK*
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE THE OFFENSE OF INTERFERENCE WITH A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER COVER ANIMAL CONTROL AND CODE OFFICERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1395 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1396
As Engrossed: H2/10/09 H2/18/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. EDWARDS AND *ADCOCK*
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE THE OFFENSE OF BATTERY IN THE SECOND DEGREE APPLICABLE TO THOSE WHO CAUSE BODILY HARM TO ANIMAL CONTROL AND CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1396 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1409
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENATIVE MCLEAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE RIGHTS TO CONTROL THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF A DECEASED PERSON; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1409 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1452
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE TYLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADD THE AMUSEMENT RIDE SAFETY ADVISORY BOARD TO THE STATE BOARDS AUTHORIZED TO RECEIVE A STIPEND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1452 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 434
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CASH, KIDD & B. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - JONESBORO FOR DEFERRED MAINTENANCE FOR CLASSROOMS, BUILDINGS AND RELATED INFRASTRUCTURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 434 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 435
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CASH, KIDD & B. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - JONESBORO FOR CLASSROOM RENOVATIONS, REFURBISHING, TECHNOLOGY UPDATES, EQUIPMENT AND FURNITURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 435 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 436
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CASH, KIDD & B. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY – JONESBORO FOR CONSTRUCTING, EQUIPPING, LANDSCAPING, PARKING LOT, AND OTHER CONSTRUCTION RELATED COSTS OF COMPLETING A LIBERAL ARTS TEACHING BUILDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 436 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 123, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 149, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 268, BY SENATOR BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 295, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 310, BY SENATOR HORN,
SENATE BILL NO. 329, BY SENATOR THOMPSON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 3:30 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 123
SENATE BILL NO. 149
SENATE BILL NO. 268
SENATE BILL NO. 295
SENATE BILL NO. 310
SENATE BILL NO. 329

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 19th day of February, 2009 at 3:30 p.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J. D. Lowery
Secretary

SENATE BILL NO. 437
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 437 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 15
SENATE BILL NO. 154
SENATE BILL NO. 156
SENATE BILL NO. 350
SENATE BILL NO. 351
SENATE BILL NO. 352
SENATE BILL NO. 359

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS TRANSMITTED
TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1113
HOUSE BILL NO. 1232
HOUSE BILL NO. 1267
HOUSE BILL NO. 1331
HOUSE BILL NO. 1367
HOUSE BILL NO. 1370
HOUSE BILL NO. 1374
HOUSE BILL NO. 1375
HOUSE BILL NO. 1382

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 123
SENATE BILL NO. 149
SENATE BILL NO. 268
SENATE BILL NO. 295
SENATE BILL NO. 310
SENATE BILL NO. 329

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 34 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 59 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 225 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1026
HOUSE BILL NO. 1157
HOUSE BILL NO. 1259
HOUSE BILL NO. 1394
HOUSE BILL NO. 1395
HOUSE BILL NO. 1396
HOUSE BILL NO. 1409
HOUSE BILL NO. 1452

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Monday, February 23, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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FORTY-THIRD DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

February 23, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator David Johnson.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 317 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 317

Amend Senate Bill No. 317 as originally introduced:

Page 5, delete lines 24 and 25 and substitute the following:

"(4) An out-of-state independent expenditure committee shall comply with the registration and"

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 317 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 217 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 217

Amend Senate Bill No. 217 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 9 through 12 and substitute "AN ACT TO AMEND THE STATUTE REQUIRING A CHEMICAL TEST OF THE BLOOD, BREATH, OR

URINE OF THE DRIVER INVOLVED IN AN ACCIDENT IN WHICH DEATH HAS OCCURRED OR IS LIKELY TO OCCUR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 15 through 18 and substitute "TO REQUIRE A CHEMICAL TEST OF THE BLOOD, BREATH, OR URINE OF THE DRIVER INVOLVED IN AN ACCIDENT IN WHICH DEATH HAS OCCURRED OR IS LIKELY TO OCCUR."

AND

Delete everything following the Enacting Clause and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 5-65-208 is amended to read as follows:

5-65-208. Collisions — Testing required.

(a)(1) When the driver of a motor vehicle is involved in an accident resulting in loss of human life or when there is reason to believe death may result, ~~and there exists probable cause to believe that the driver is guilty of a violation of the state's law prohibiting driving while under the influence,~~ in addition to a penalty established elsewhere under state law, a chemical test of the driver's blood, breath, or urine shall be administered to the driver, even if fatally injured, to determine the presence of and percentage of concentration of alcohol or the presence of drugs, or both, in the driver's body.

(b)(1) The ~~police officer~~ law enforcement agency ~~who~~ that ~~responds to~~ investigates the collision, the physician in attendance, or any other person designated by state law ~~who was present when the death occurred,~~ shall order the chemical test as soon as practicable.

(2)(A) The medical personnel who conducted the chemical test under subsection (a) of this section of the driver's blood, breath, or urine shall forward the results of the chemical test to the Department of Arkansas State Police, and the department shall establish and maintain the results of the analyses required by subsection (a) of this section in a database.

(B) The information in the database shall reflect the number of fatal motor vehicle accidents in which:

(i) Alcohol was found to be a factor, with the percentage of alcohol concentration involved;

(ii) Drugs were found to be a factor, listing the class of drugs so found and their amounts; and

(iii) Both alcohol and drugs were found to be factors, with the percentage of alcohol concentration involved, and listing the class of drugs so found and their amounts.

(c) The results of the analyses required by this section shall be reported to the department and may be used by state and local officials only for statistical purposes that do not reveal the identity of the deceased person or for any law enforcement purpose, including prosecution for the violation of any law.

(SIGNED) SENATOR DENNY ALTES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 217 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 325 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 325

Amend Senate Bill No. 325 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 26, delete "(b)(1)" and substitute "(b)"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 29 through 33

AND

Page 1, delete lines 34 and 35 and substitute the following:

"(c)(1) Failure to appear is a Class A misdemeanor if the required"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 2 through 7 and substitute the following:

"misdemeanor charge.

(2)(A) Failure to appear is a Class C felony if the person has failed or refused to appear for more than ninety (90) days in answer to a citation, summons, or other order to appear as specified in this section for any appearance or disposition of any offense classified as a Class A misdemeanor or any misdemeanor punishable by up to one (1) year in jail.

(B) Upon the filing of an information charging a person with failure to appear under subdivision (c)(2)(A) of this section and the issuance of a felony failure to appear warrant, the court shall recall any previously issued misdemeanor failure to appear warrant for the person.

~~(2)~~(3) Failure to appear is a Class C misdemeanor if the required appearance was to answer a violation.

(d) Failure to appear for a court date is one (1) offense of failure to appear per court date regardless of the number of charges a person cited or summonsed as an accused is required to appear for on the court date."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 325 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, Senate Bill No. 304 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 304

Amend Senate Bill No. 304 as engrossed, S2/17/09:

Page 1, line 11, delete "ACCELERATED" and substitute "INTENSIVE"

AND

Page 1, delete line 14 and substitute the following:
"END OF GRADE THREE;"

AND

Page 1, line 32, delete "seven (7)" and substitute "three (3)"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 34 and 35 and substitute the following:
"of grade three (3)."

AND

Page 2, line 2, delete "accelerated" and substitute "intensive"

AND

Page 2, line 6, delete "evidence-based" and substitute "research-based"

AND

Page 2, line 11, delete "shall" and substitute "may"

AND

Page 2, line 21, delete "(d)(1)" and substitute "(d)"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 24 and 25

AND

Page 2, line 32, delete "a" and substitute "each"

AND

Page 2, line 33, delete "a" and substitute "each"

AND

Page 2, line 36, delete "(i)-(l)" and substitute "(i)-(j)"

AND

Page 3, delete line 1 and substitute the following:
"(1)(A) An intensive learning program that uses research-based"

AND

Page 3, delete line 4 and substitute the following:
"(3), as"

AND

Page 3, line 8, delete "accelerated" and substitute "intensive"

AND

Page 3, line 16, delete "accelerated" and substitute "intensive"

AND

Page 3, line 18, delete "evidence-based" and substitute "research-based"

AND

Page 3, line 21, delete "Accelerated" and substitute ”Intensive"

AND

Page 3, line 28, delete "evidence-based" and substitute "research-based"

AND

Page 3, line 30, delete "(D)(i)" and substitute "(D)" and delete "(i)-(l)" and substitute "(i)-(j)"

AND

Page 3, line 31, delete “accelerated” and substitute “intensive”

AND

Page 3, line 33, delete “proficient.” And substitute “proficient; and”

AND

Page 3, delete lines 34 through 36

AND

Page 4, delete lines 1 and 2

AND

Page 4, line 11, delete "evidence-based" and substitute "research-based"

AND

Page 4, line 12, delete "accelerated" and substitute "intensive"

AND

Page 4, line 17, delete "accelerated" and substitute "intensive"

AND

Page 4, delete line 18 and substitute the following:
"(j)(1) Beginning with the results of the 2013-2014 state benchmark assessments, a participating school"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 21 through 29 and substitute the following:
"grade three (3) school year.
(2) At the end of a school year in which a student repeated grade three (3) under this subsection (j), the department shall determine the criteria for the student's advancement to the next grade, including without limitation that the student shall remain in the intensive learning program.
(3) A student who enters grade three (3) as a new student in a school district and who scores below proficient on the state benchmark assessment for grade three (3) is not required to repeat grade three (3) but shall participate in the intensive learning program."

AND

Page 4, line 30, delete "(m)(1)" and substitute "(k)(1)"

AND

Page 4, line 34, delete "with" and substitute "with access to"

AND

Page 4, line 36, delete "(n) The department" and substitute "(l) The school district assisted by the department"

AND

Page 5, line 2, delete "(o)(1)" and substitute "(m)(1)"

AND

Page 5, line 8, delete "for" and substitute "from"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JACK CRUMBLY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 304 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 320 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 320

Amend Senate Bill No. 320 as engrossed, S2/18/09:

Page 3, line 17, delete "subchapter, the" and substitute "subchapter, the:"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 18 and 19 and substitute with: "(i) Sales and use tax shall continue to be collected until the expiration date previously approved by the voters; and

(ii) Question may be resubmitted to the voters at the time permitted by the election laws and § 26-75-213(a)(1) shall not apply."

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE BRYLES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 320 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, Senate Bill No. 343 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 343

Amend Senate Bill No. 343 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the ENACTING clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 20-2-103 is amended to read as follows:

20-2-103. Powers and duties generally.

The Arkansas Minority Health Commission shall:

(1) Study issues relating to the delivery of and access to health services for minorities in this state;

(2) Identify any gaps in the health service delivery system that particularly affect minorities;

(3) Make recommendations to the relevant agencies and to the General Assembly for improving the delivery of and access to health services for minorities; ~~and~~

(4) Study and make recommendations as to whether adequate services are available to ensure that future minority health needs will be met;

(5)(A) Develop, implement, maintain, and disseminate a comprehensive survey of racial and ethnic minority disparities in health and health care.

(B) The commission shall repeat the study every five (5) years to include without limitation disparities arising from geographic location and economic conditions; and

(6) Publish evidence-based data, define state goals and objectives, and develop pilot projects for decreasing disparities under subdivision (5)(A) of this section.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code Title 20, Chapter 2, Subchapter 1 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

20-2-107. Report on health disparities.

On or before October 1 each year, the Arkansas Minority Health Commission shall report to the Governor, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, the chair of the House Committee on Public Health, Welfare, and Labor, and the chair of the Senate Committee on Public Health, Welfare, and Labor without limitation:

(1) Summarizing the previous year's work under § 20-2-103(5) and (6);

(2) Describing reductions in disparities in health and health care in this state; and

(3) Outlining plans for continuing and expanding in the coming year the program to reduce disparities in health and health care in this state."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JACK CRUMBLY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 343 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 394 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 394

Amend Senate Bill No. 394 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 6, delete "M. Burris, M. Martin," and substitute "M. Martin, M. Burris"

AND

Page 1, delete line 36 and substitute the following:
"early childhood education, child development, early childhood special education, or a related degree meeting birth-through-kindergarten teaching licensure requirements to:"

AND

Page 2, line 14, delete "school or" and substitute "school, an"

AND

Page 2, line 15, delete "cooperative," and substitute "cooperative, or an early childhood program accredited and funded under the Arkansas Better Chance Program, § 6-45-101 et seq.,"

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 394 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 349 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 349

Amend Senate Bill No. 349 as originally introduced:

Add Senator Taylor as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 3, delete lines 14 through 17, and substitute the following:
"portion of the disbursement to be made under subdivision (d)(2)(B)(i) of this section, the board shall allocate that portion between the USA Rice Federation and the US Rice Producers Association in the same proportion as the allocation was made under subdivision (d)(2)(B)(i) of this section."

(SIGNED) SENATOR R. LAVERTY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 349 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 38 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 38

Amend Senate Bill No. 38 as engrossed, S2/12/09:

Page 5, delete lines 21 through 23 and substitute the following:
"the vessel who:
(A) Was born before January 1, 1986, or has a valid boater education certificate; and
(B) Is in a position to take immediate control of the"

AND
Page 5, delete lines 27 through 29 and substitute the following:
"aboard the vessel who:
(A) Was born before January 1, 1986, or has a valid boater education certificate; and
(B) Is in a position to take immediate control of the"

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 38 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, House Bill No. 1046 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1046

Amend House Bill No. 1046 as engrossed, H2/3/09:

Page 2, delete lines 9 and 10 and substitute the following:
"(1) "Animal means any living creature except a human being, a cat, a dog, or an insect."

AND

Page 2, line 30, delete ", county, city, or private"

(SIGNED) SENATOR RUTH R. WHITAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1046 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 317, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 317 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 217, BY SENATOR ALTES,
SENATE BILL NO. 325, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 217 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 325 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 304, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 394, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Crumbly, Senate Bill No. 304 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 394 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 320, BY SENATOR BRYLES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 320 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 343, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Crumbly, Senate Bill No. 343 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 349, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 349 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 38, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 38 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1046, BY REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Whitaker, House Bill No. 1046 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

February 20, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on February 20, 2009 I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 049, - ACT 211,
Senate Bill No. 123, - ACT 212,
Senate Bill No. 149, - ACT 213,
Senate Bill No. 268, - ACT 214,
Senate Bill No. 295, - ACT 215,
Senate Bill No. 310, - ACT 216,
Senate Bill No. 329, - ACT 217,
Senate Bill No. 339, - ACT 218,
Senate Bill No. 341, - ACT 219,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

Senate Bill No. 303 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 323 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 324 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 274 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 255, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 365, BY SENATOR ALTES,
SENATE BILL NO. 426, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN P. CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 28, BY SENATOR HENDREN,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass, concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN P. CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1356, BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN P. CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1397, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN P. CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 128, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, Senate Bill No. 300 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 300
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BREEDLOVE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL ARKANSAS CODE §§ 15-59-101 - 15-59-115 CONCERNING THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE WEIGHING VEHICLES HAULING COAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 300 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 300 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Miller, Senate Bill No. 56 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 56

Amend Senate Bill No. 56 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives Woods and George as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 6, delete line 13 and substitute the following:
"days prior to a runoff election, including a general primary election.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 7-5-418(a)(2), concerning the time for early voting, is amended to read as follows:

(2) However, on all other elections, including the ~~presidential preferential primary,~~ general primary~~,~~ and general runoff elections, early voting shall be available to any qualified elector who applies to the county clerk during regular office hours, beginning seven (7) days before the election and ending on the day before the election day at the time the county clerk's office regularly closes."

AND

Page 8, delete lines 28 through 36 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 7. Arkansas Code § 7-8-302(5)(A)(i), concerning holding a preferential primary election in order to have the name of a political party's candidates for President and Vice President placed on the ballot, is amended to read as follows:

(5)(A)(i) In order to have the name of a political party's candidates for President and Vice President printed on the ballot, a political party shall hold a ~~presidential~~ preferential primary election."

AND

Page 9, delete lines 1 through 36

AND

Page 10, delete lines 1 through 36

AND

Page 11, delete lines 1 through 36

AND

Page 12, delete line 1

AND

Appropriately renumber the remaining sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 56 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Bill No. 361 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 361
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS LUKER, BROADWAY, J. JEFFRESS & WHITAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. BROWN, BETTS, BREEDLOVE, DALE, GEORGE, HALL, HOUSE, HYDE, INGRAM, MOORE, PENNARTZ, RAGLAND, REEP, T. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS & WAGNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE FEE FOR THE MONTHLY FERTILIZER TONNAGE REPORTS; TO CLARIFY THAT THE FEES ARE TO BE DEPOSITED IN THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS, DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE, SOIL TESTING AND RESEARCH FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 361 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 361 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bookout, House Bill No. 1363 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1363
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY STANDARDS FOR INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR CANCER AND OTHER MEDICATIONS; TO PROVIDE THE SECRETARY OF THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES OR THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER WITH DISCRETION IN THE CHOICE OF STANDARDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1363 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1363 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Key, House Bill No. 1280 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1280

As Engrossed: H2/4/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HYDE AND *SLINKARD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE §§ 9-9-209(b) AND 9-9-220(b) TO PROVIDE A PARENT WITH AN OPTION TO WAIVE THE NUMBER OF DAYS FROM TEN TO FIVE TO WITHDRAW CONSENT OR RELINQUISHMENT OF PARENTAL RIGHTS FOR AN ADOPTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1280 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1280, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1280 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1033 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1033
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE ELECTRONIC PUBLICATION AND DISTRIBUTION OF THE ARKANSAS REPORTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1033 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1033 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1037 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1037
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE AND WOODS
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE IDENTITY THEFT PROTECTION AVAILABLE UNDER THE ARKANSAS CONSUMER REPORT SECURITY FREEZE ACT; TO PERMIT PLACEMENT OF A SECURITY FREEZE PRIOR TO BECOMING A VICTIM OF IDENTITY THEFT; TO REDUCE THE FEES CHARGED FOR THE PLACEMENT, REMOVAL, OR TEMPORARY LIFTING OF A SECURITY FREEZE; TO ELIMINATE THE SECURITY FREEZE FEES CHARGED TO IDENTITY THEFT VICTIMS, INDIVIDUALS ON ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY, AND INDIVIDUALS OVER SIXTY-FIVE (65) YEARS OF AGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1037 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1037 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, House Bill No. 1376 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1376

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE STEWART

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MILITARY CODE OF ARKANSAS TO CLARIFY THE GOVERNOR'S POWER TO ORDER THE ORGANIZED MILITIA INTO ACTIVE SERVICE FOR THE PURPOSE OF WORKING WITH STATE AGENCIES TO RESPOND TO EMERGENCIES OR DISASTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1376 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1376 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Miller, House Bill No. 1349 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1349

As Engrossed: S2/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES COOK AND J. ROGERS

BY: SENATORS MILLER AND R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE RUNNING WATER LEVEE DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1349 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1349 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Smith, House Bill No. 1433 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1433

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE BANK COMMISSIONER TO TAKE APPROPRIATE ACTIONS TO DEAL WITH EMERGENCIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1433 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1433 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 205 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 205

Amend Senate Bill No. 205 as engrossed, S2/4/09:

Page 9, line 15, delete "one (1)" and insert therefore "two (2)" and delete "~~requests~~ request" and insert therefore "requests".

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 205 was ordered engrossed.

* * * * * * * * * RECEDE* * * * * * * * *

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 263 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 263

Amend Senate Bill No. 263 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 11, between SALARIES and FOR insert the following: "AND FOR PAYING PERSONAL SERVICES FOR DRUG COURT JUVENILE PROBATION AND INTAKE OFFICERS"
AND

Page 1, immediately following Section 1 add additional sections to read as follows:
"SECTION 2. REGULAR SALARIES. There is hereby established for the Drug Court Juvenile Probation and Intake Officers for the 2009-2010 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however, that any position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101), or its successor.

Item No.	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2009-2010
(1)	DRUG COURT JUV PROB & INTAKE OFF	10	GRADE C117

SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Auditor of

State, to be payable from the State Central Services Fund, for personal services of the Drug Court Juvenile Probation and Intake Officers for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	$ 350,000
(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	98,000
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	$ 448,000"

AND

Appropriately renumber subsequent Section numbers.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

Senator Luker spoke against the Amendment.

Senator Pritchard spoke for the Amendment.

On motion of Senator Baker, for roll call on final disposition.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Crumbly, Faris, Horn, J. Key, Laverty, B. Pritchard, T. Smith, J. Taylor, Trusty, Whitaker, D. Wyatt.

Total 16

NEGATIVE: Capps, Elliott, Glover, Hendren, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, Steele, Teague.

Total 11

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bryles, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, R. Thompson, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson.

Total 8

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 27

Necessary to the passage of the bill 24

So the amendment failed of adoption.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

* * * * * * * * * RECEDE* * * * * * * * *

The record pertaining to the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 263 was receded from, in accordance with a prevailing motion on February 24, 2009.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 291 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 291

Amend Senate Bill No. 291 as originally introduced:

Page 9, delete line 5 in its entirety and substitute the following:
"submitting no more than two transfer requests during any fiscal year."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 291 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 298 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 298

Amend Senate Bill No. 298 as originally introduced:

Page 4, delete line 17 in its entirety and substitute the following:
"no more than two transfer requests during any fiscal year."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 298 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 418 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 418

Amend Senate Bill No. 418 as originally introduced:

Page 12, line 31, delete "one (1)" and insert therefore "two (2)";

AND

Page 12, line 32, delete "~~requests~~ request" and insert therefore "requests".

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 418 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 355 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 355

Amend Senate Bill No. 355 as originally introduced:

deleting on page one the sponsor(s) and substituting therefore "Joint Budget Committee".

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 355 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 94 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 94 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 94
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 94 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 94, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 94 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 97 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 97 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 97
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE JUDICIAL DISCIPLINE AND DISABILITY COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 97 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 97, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 97 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 200 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 200 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 200

As Engrossed: S2/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE *ARKANSAS* GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION *OFFICE* FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 200 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 200, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 200 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 202 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 202 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 202
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SOCIAL WORK LICENSING BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 202 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 202, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 202 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1157 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1157 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1157
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR INVESTMENTS, BENEFITS, REFUNDS AND EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT - ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1157 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1157, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1157 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1259 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1259 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1259
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE MILITARY DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1259 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1259, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1259 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 382 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 382 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 382
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 382 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 382, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 382 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 383 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 383 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 383
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE WAR MEMORIAL STADIUM COMMISSION FOR THE PRESS BOX RENOVATION CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 383 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 383, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 383 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 384 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 384 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 384

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS BUILDING AUTHORITY FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR ASSISTANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 384 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 384, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 384 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 385 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 385 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 385
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 385 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 385, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 385 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 386 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 386 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 386
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORITY FOR TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT GRANTS AND SEED CAPITAL INVESTMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 386 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 386, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 386 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 387 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 387 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 387
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 387 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 387, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 387 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 388 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 388 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 388
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE STATE CRIME LABORATORY FOR LABORATORY SCIENTIFIC AND SECURITY EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 388 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 388, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 388 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

SENATE BILL NO. 438
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR VARIOUS CAPITAL PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 438 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 439
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR GRANTS AND AID FOR OPERATIONAL COSTS OF THE ARKANSAS ASSOCIATION OF TWO YEAR COLLEGES WORKFORCE TRAINING CONSORTIUM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 439 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 440
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXTEND THE LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE ON SUSTAINABLE BUILDING DESIGN AND PRACTICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 440 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 441
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT A CANDIDATE FOR ELECTED OFFICE INCLUDE IN HIS OR HER REPORT OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS A SEPARATE STATEMENT REGARDING LOANS RECEIVED BY THE CAMPAIGN; TO REQUIRE THAT A CANDIDATE FOR ELECTED OFFICE REPORT ALL PERSONAL LOANS MADE BY THE CANDIDATE TO HIS OR HER CAMPAIGN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 441 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 442
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOPPER AND KIDD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT THE SALE OF RAW PRODUCTS AT A FARMERS' MARKET WHERE THE RAW PRODUCTS ARE PRODUCED OR GROWN WITHIN THE STATE ARE EXEMPTED FROM THE GROSS RECEIPTS TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 442 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1111
As Engrossed: H1/22/09 H1/26/09 H2/2/09 H2/9/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PENNARTZ, M. MARTIN, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, DAVIS, PIERCE, HOYT, WOODS, PYLE, COOK, BREEDLOVE, G. SMITH, WELLS, HYDE, S. MALONE, RAGLAND, INGRAM, RICE, MCLEAN, LEA, KING, HOPPER, GASKILL, CLEMMER, SAMPLE & STEWART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT AMENDING ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING CHARITABLE BINGO AND RAFFLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1111 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1142
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OIL AND GAS COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1142 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1243
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS CRIME INFORMATION CENTER FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1243 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1309
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 805 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1309 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1316
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES T. BAKER, OVERBEY, PYLE & REEP

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 26-75-602 TO ADD CERTAIN RENTALS TO THE LIST OF AUTHORIZED MUNICIPAL SALES AND USE TAXES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1316 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1416
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP
BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ELIMINATE ANNUAL SELF-AUDIT REPORTING FOR REGULATED STORAGE TANK OWNERS AND OPERATORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1416 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1428
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOYT AND PYLE
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 6-13-628 TO REMOVE THE EXCEPTION FOR SCHOOLS IN SMALL COMMUNITIES FROM LAWS PROHIBITING THE SELLING OF SUPPLIES AND FURNISHINGS TO A SCHOOL DISTRICT BY A MEMBER OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1428 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1429
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOYT AND PYLE
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE A STATEMENT REGARDING COMPLIANCE WITH ETHICAL GUIDELINES BE INCLUDED IN A STATUTORILY REQUIRED AUDIT OF AN EDUCATIONAL INSTUTITION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1429 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1434
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR A PROSECUTING ATTORNEY - DIVISION A FOR THE THIRTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT FOR THE AUDITOR OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1434 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1460
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITIONS OF "MANUFACTURED HOME" AND "MOBILE HOME" UNDER THE UNIFORM MOTOR VEHICLE ADMINISTRATION, CERTIFICATE OF TITLE, AND ANTITHEFT ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1460 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1461
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PENALTY FOR VIOLATING THE UNIFORM MOTOR VEHICLE ADMINISTRATION, CERTIFICATE OF TITLE, AND ANTITHEFT ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1461 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1493
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY, T. BAKER & PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING DISBURSEMENT OF FINES FROM DISTRICT COURTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1493 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 11
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES AND FARIS

SENATE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING JOHN L. MCCLELLAN DAY.

Senate Resolution No. 11 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 443
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS, RENOVATION, EQUIPMENT, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENT, ACQUISITION, UPGRADE, AND REPAIR AT THE SALINE COUNTY CAREER CENTER AT BAUXITE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 443 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 444

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS LUKER, ELLIOTT, FARIS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, MADISON & T. SMITH

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARRELSON, CASH, FLOWERS, GARNER, HARDY, HOUSE, POWERS, RAINEY, L. SMITH, TYLER, WILLS & WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW MERITORIOUS GOOD TIME FOR PERSONS SENTENCED UNDER THE SEVENTY-PERCENT RULE REGARDLESS OF THE DATE OF THE OFFENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 444 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 445

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE QUALIFICATIONS FOR REGISTRATION AS A PROFESSIONAL SURVEYOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 445 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 56, BY SENATOR MILLER ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 291, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 298, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 291 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 298 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1343
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE JULY 1, 2009 EXPIRATION DATE ON THE ARKANSAS RICE CERTIFICATION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1343 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1393
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES T. BAKER, MOORE, ALLEN, BLOUNT, CARROLL, CASH, DAVIS, EVERETT, GASKILL, PYLE, RAINEY, WAGNER & WORD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE AMOUNT OF VOTES REQUIRED TO BE ELECTED TO A MUNICIPAL POSITION WITHOUT A RUNOFF; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1393 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1404

As Engrossed: H2/11/09 H2/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WEBB, HARRELSON, CASH, CHEATHAM, GREENBERG, D. HUTCHINSON, LEA, MOORE, J. ROEBUCK, SAUNDERS, TYLER, *CLEMMER & SLINKARD*

BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE BALLOT PRESENTATION OF INITIATIVE OR REFERRED AMENDMENTS OR ACTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1404 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1421

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION TO ISSUE SURPLUS ITEMS PROCESSED BY THE FARMING OPERATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1421 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1430
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOYT AND PYLE
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS COUNTY ACCOUNTING LAW OF 1973; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1430 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1435
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PYLE, T. BAKER & OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE FILLING OF VACANCIES IN CERTAIN MUNICIPAL OFFICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1435 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1442
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PYLE AND HOYT
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE WITHHOLDING OF TURNBACK FOR NONCOMPLIANCE WITH MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING LAWS; TO CHANGE THE DEADLINES FOR SUBSTANTIAL COMPLIANCE BY A MUNICIPALITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1442 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1457
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SELECTION OF MEMBERS OF PUBLIC FACILITIES BOARDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1457 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1479

As Engrossed: H2/20/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WILLIAMS, J. EDWARDS, PIERCE, ADCOCK, ALLEN, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, J. BROWN, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CLEMMER, COLE, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVIS, DISMANG, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, GREENBERG, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOYT, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, S. MALONE, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, PENNARTZ, PERRY, POWERS, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, B. WILKINS, WOODS & WORD

BY: SENATORS WILKINSON, D. JOHNSON, SALMON & H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING SCRAP METAL DEALERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1479 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 446

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXTEND THE TIME WITHIN WHICH THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT MAY DESIGNATE A LODGING FACILITY AS AN APPROVED COMPANY AND AUTHORIZE THE UNDERTAKING OF A TOURISM ATTRACTION PROJECT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 446 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 447
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING SECOND OR SUBSEQUENT CONVICTIONS FOR POSSESSION OF A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 447 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 448
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DATE OF THE ANNUAL REPORT OF THE OLD STATE HOUSE COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 448 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 449
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A QUORUM COURT THAT USES A COMPUTERIZED TAX SYSTEM TO DESIGNATE THE APPROPRIATE COUNTY OFFICER TO PREPARE COUNTY TAX SETTLEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 449 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 355, BY SENATOR LUKER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 205, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 205 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 418, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 418 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 303, BY SENATOR TAYLOR,
SENATE BILL NO. 323, BY SENATOR CAPPS,
SENATE BILL NO. 324, BY SENATOR CAPPS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 3:15 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 303
SENATE BILL NO. 323
SENATE BILL NO. 324

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 23rd day of February 2009, at 3:15 p.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J. D. Lowery
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 68, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 258, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 259, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 316, BY SENATOR G. BAKER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1214, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1222, BY REPRESENTATIVE HYDE,

HOUSE BILL NO. 1272, BY REPRESENTATIVE BLOUNT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1391, BY REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 450
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE UNIFORM MONEY SERVICES ACT, § 23-55-101 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 450 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 451
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ASSIST INSOLVENT PERPETUAL CARE CEMETERIES; TO PROVIDE GRANTS TO QUALIFIED APPLICANTS TO MAINTAIN AND OPERATE INSOLVENT PERPETUAL CARE CEMETERIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 451 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 452
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS SALMON, MADISON, ELLIOTT & TEAGUE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SAUNDERS, RAGLAND & HOUSE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE ON THE ASSESSMENT AND IMPROVEMENT OF ARKANSAS HISTORY EDUCATION IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 452 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 453
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS ALTES, WHITAKER & WILKINSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PENNARTZ, BREEDLOVE, RICE, GLIDEWELL, S. MALONE, R. GREEN, PYLE & WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - FORT SMITH FOR THE UPGRADE, RENOVATION AND EXPANSION OF THE BOREHAM LIBRARY FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 453 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 454

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON

BY: REPRESENTATIVE PATTERSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAW CONCERNING SECURITY DEPOSITS FOR THE LEASE OF RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 454 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE

AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 94

SENATE BILL NO. 97

SENATE BILL NO. 200

SENATE BILL NO. 202

SENATE BILL NO. 300

SENATE BILL NO. 361

SENATE BILL NO. 382

SENATE BILL NO. 383

SENATE BILL NO. 384

SENATE BILL NO. 385

SENATE BILL NO. 386

SENATE BILL NO. 387

SENATE BILL NO. 388

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1033
HOUSE BILL NO. 1037
HOUSE BILL NO. 1157
HOUSE BILL NO. 1259
HOUSE BILL NO. 1280
HOUSE BILL NO. 1363
HOUSE BILL NO. 1376
HOUSE BILL NO. 1433

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1349 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 303
SENATE BILL NO. 323
SENATE BILL NO. 324

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 274 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1111
HOUSE BILL NO. 1142
HOUSE BILL NO. 1243
HOUSE BILL NO. 1309

HOUSE BILL NO. 1316
HOUSE BILL NO. 1343
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1434
HOUSE BILL NO. 1435
HOUSE BILL NO. 1442
HOUSE BILL NO. 1457
HOUSE BILL NO. 1460
HOUSE BILL NO. 1461
HOUSE BILL NO. 1479
HOUSE BILL NO. 1493

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, February 24, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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FORTY-FOURTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

February 24, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Reverend Stephen Davis, First Baptist Church, Russellville, Arkansas.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 431 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 431

Amend Senate Bill No. 431 as originally introduced:
Page 2, line 10, add the word "written" immediately after the word "each"

(SIGNED) SENATOR T. SMITH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 431 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 353 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 353

Amend Senate Bill No. 353 as originally introduced:
Page 2, delete line 2 and substitute the following:
"voter eligibility requirements and that the applicant does not claim the right to vote in another county or state;"

AND

Page 3, delete line 22 and substitute the following:
"(B) "If you checked "Yes" in response to ~~one or more of~~ either"

AND

Page 8, line 10, delete "active service," and substitute "active duty or service,"

AND

Page 8, delete line 13 and substitute the following:
"(2) Members of the Merchant ~~Marines~~ Marine ~~in the United States~~ while in active duty or service, and"

AND

Page 8, delete lines 16 through 18 and substitute the following:
"dependent is otherwise qualified to vote; and
(3) Citizens of the United States residing or temporarily ~~residing~~ outside the territorial limits of the United States and the District of"

AND

Page 10, line 10, delete "received ~~less than~~ four (4) days" and substitute "received ~~less than four (4) days~~ by the fourth day"

AND

Page 14, delete lines 30 through 31 and substitute the following:
"As used in this title, unless the context or chapter otherwise requires:"

AND

Page 16, delete lines 21 through 23 and substitute the following:
"(C) As defined in the federal Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act if different from the definition stated herein;"

AND

Page 17, delete line 34 and substitute the following:
"Absentee Voting Act if different from the"

AND

Page 19, delete lines 30 through 32 and substitute the following:
"SECTION 6. Arkansas Code § 7-5-406(a), concerning requesting an absentee ballot for members of uniformed services, members of the merchant marine, and citizens temporarily outside of the United States, is amended to read as follows:"

AND

Page 20, delete lines 1 through 7 and substitute the following:
"Voting Act ~~or may use the federal Write-in Absentee Ballot~~ and may vote without prior registration by regular absentee ballot~~,~~ or by federal Write-in Absentee Ballot ~~without registering,~~ in any ~~primary, special, runoff, or general~~ election held in his or her election precinct if he or she is otherwise eligible to vote in that election:
(1) Members of the uniformed services of the United States while in active duty or service, and their spouses and dependents who, by reason of the active"

AND

Page 20, delete lines 9 through 10 and substitute the following:
"the spouse or dependent is otherwise qualified to vote; ~~and~~
(2) Members of the Merchant Marine while in active duty or service and their spouses and"

AND

Page 20, delete line 13 and substitute the following:
"qualified to vote; and"

(SIGNED) SENATOR S. FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 353 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 191 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 191

Amend Senate Bill No. 191 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete all the language after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 24-7-202(1)-(14), concerning definitions in the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System Act are amended to read as follows:
(1) "Accumulated contributions" means the total of all amounts contributed by a member ~~and standing to his or her credit in his or her individual account in~~ credited to the ~~members'~~ member's deposit account, together with regular interest ~~credited thereon~~;
(2) "Active member" means any member rendering service to an employer that is covered by the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System;

(3) "Actual service" means service rendered in a position covered by the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System and does not include purchased or free credited service or reciprocal service;

(4) "Actuarial equivalent" means a benefit of equal reserve value;

(5) "Annuity" means an ~~annual~~ amount payable to a retirant each fiscal year by the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System in equal monthly installments ~~throughout the life of a person or for a temporary period~~;

(6) "Beneficiary" means any person who is receiving or is designated by a member to receive an Arkansas Teacher Retirement System benefit;

(7) "Benefit program" means a schedule of benefits or benefit formulas from which the amounts of Arkansas Teacher Retirement System benefits can be determined;

(8) "Board" means the Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System;

(9) "Child of a member" means either a natural child of the member~~,~~ or a child ~~that~~ who has been made a child of the member by applicable court action before the death of the member~~, or a child under the permanent care of the member at the time of the latter's death, which permanent care status shall be determined by evidence satisfactory to the board~~;

(10) "Credited service" means service which is creditable as service by the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System;

(11) "Deferred member" means an inactive member who is eligible to receive benefits under § 24-7-707;

(12) "Employee" means any person employed by an employer covered by the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System;

(13) "Employer" means any public school, ~~or other~~ public educational agency, or other eligible employer participating in the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System;

(14) "Employment with a school" means, beginning July 1, 1993:

(A) Employment with any of the following institutions or agencies:

(i) Arkansas School for the Blind;

(ii) Arkansas School for the Deaf;

(iii) Arkansas Activities Association;

~~(iv) A local school board;~~

~~(v)~~(iv) State Board of Education;

~~(vi)~~(v) Regional education service cooperatives; and

~~(vii)~~(vi) Arkansas Teacher Retirement System;

(B) Employment in a position with any of the following organizations:

~~(i) Juvenile training schools;~~

~~(ii)~~(i) The Arkansas Educational Television Commission; and

~~(iii)~~(ii) Area vocational-technical schools, except those employees of area vocational schools and the Department of Workforce Education who have elected to participate in an alternate retirement plan established by §§ 24-7-901 and 24-7-903 — 24-7-908;

(C) Employment by the Arkansas Rehabilitation Services of the Department of Workforce Education ~~or the Division of State Services for the Blind of the Department of Human Services,~~ except those employees who have elected to participate in ~~the noncontributory plan of~~ the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System;

(D)(i) Employment in a position with an educationally related agency if the employee is or has been a member of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System for a minimum of five (5) years and elects to become or remain a member of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System. The employment shall be related to:

(a) Training public school employees or school board members;

(b) Teaching public school students; or

(c) Adult education programs.

(ii) The employment shall not be related in any manner to private schools.

(iii) Each educationally related agency shall be:

(a) Approved according to rules and regulations established by the board;

(b) Considered an employer under subdivision (13) of this section; and

(c) Responsible for all required employer contributions;

(E)(i) Employment in an enterprise privatized by a public school district.

(ii) If a public school district should privatize any of its services, any individual who is or was employed by the school district in one (1) of those services and who is or has been a member of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System may elect to remain a member if:

(a) The board determines pursuant to rules ~~and regulations~~ adopted by the board that the participation of these employees in the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System will not in any way impair any legal status of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, including, ~~but not limited to~~ <u>without limitation</u>, its status as a governmental plan pursuant to the federal Internal Revenue Code and the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, or have a substantial adverse impact on the actuarial soundness of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System; and

(b) The private provider assumes all responsibility for the required employer contributions and any fees for obtaining Internal Revenue rulings or Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 opinions; and

(F)(i) Employment in positions with an educational nonprofit corporation licensed and regulated by the Division of Developmental Disabilities Services of the Department of Human Services, if:

(a) The nonprofit corporation has elected to participate in the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System; and

(b) The board determines pursuant to rules ~~and regulations~~ adopted by the board that the participation of the educational nonprofit corporation will not in any way impair any legal status of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, including, ~~but not limited to~~ without limitation, its status as a governmental plan pursuant to the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and the Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974, or have a substantial adverse impact on the actuarial soundness of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System.

(ii) The employment shall be related to:

(a) Training public school employees or school board members;

(b) Teaching public school students; or

(c) Adult education programs.

(iii) The employment shall not be related in any manner to private schools.

(iv) Each educational nonprofit corporation shall be:

(a) Approved according to rules and regulations established by the board;

(b) Considered an employer under subdivision (13) of this section; and

(c) Responsible for all required employer contributions and any fees for obtaining Internal Revenue rulings or Employee Retirement Income Security Act of 1974 opinions;

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 24-7-205 is amended to read as follows:

24-7-205. Adjustment of payment to correct error or recoup overpayment.

(a) Should any change or error in the records result in ~~any person's~~ a member, a retirant, an annuitant, a beneficiary or an alternate payee receiving benefits or other distributions from the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System more or less than he or she would have been entitled to receive had the records been correct, the ~~Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System~~ system or its designee shall correct the error and, as far as practicable, shall adjust the benefit, annuity, or refund payable to the person, his or her beneficiary, or his or her estate in the manner that the actuarial equivalent of the benefit to which the person was correctly entitled shall be paid.

(b)(1) If a person who is a member, ~~former member, contributor, former contributor,~~ a retirant, an annuitant, a beneficiary, or an alternate payee under a qualified domestic relations order ~~pursuant to~~ under § 9-18-101 et seq. is paid any benefit or ~~payment~~ other distribution by the system to which the person is not entitled, the ~~board~~ system or its designee, ~~pursuant to~~ under rules adopted by the ~~board~~ Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, may:

(A) Withhold the amount due from any benefit or payment due the person, his or her beneficiary, or his or her estate; or

(B) Collect the amount in any other manner provided by law.

(2) Withheld amounts shall be used to effect repayment until the total amount withheld equals all amounts payable by the person to the system.

(3)(A) ~~Prior to~~ Before making an adjustment of benefits or pursuing any other collection action under this section, the ~~board~~ system or its designee shall provide notice to the person who will receive the adjustment.

(B) The notice shall describe the process for disputing an adjustment of benefits.

(4) The board or its designee may waive adjustment or repayment if:

(A) The overpayment was not the result of the retirant's or the beneficiary's nondisclosure, fraud, misrepresentation, or other fault; and

(B) The board or its designee finds in his or her or its sole discretion that recovery of the overpayment could be a manifest injustice.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 24-7-302 is amended to read as follows:

24-7-302. Term of office and vacancies.

(a)(1) The term of office of each ~~member and retirant~~ member-elected trustee ~~elected after July 1, 1997,~~ shall be six (6) years.

(2)(A)(i) A member trustee shall be ineligible to serve after becoming inactive or upon retiring.

(ii) A member trustee who participates in the Teacher Deferred Retirement Option Plan is considered active for purposes of this subsection.

(B) A retirant trustee ~~shall be~~ is ineligible to serve after becoming active.

(b)(1)(A) ~~In the event~~ If any member trustee fails to attend three (3) consecutive regular meetings of the Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, unless in each case excused for cause by the remaining trustees attending the meetings, the member trustee shall be considered to have resigned from the board, and the board shall by resolution declare his or her office of trustee vacated.

(B) A regular meeting of the board shall include one (1) or more days of official business to be considered by the board.

(2)(A) If a vacancy occurs in the office of ~~member or retirant~~ an elected trustee, the vacancy ~~shall~~ may be filled ~~during the next annual system election for board members~~ in a special election held in accordance with the rules adopted by the board for special elections.

(B) If the board does not hold a special election, a vacancy shall be filled in the next system election held upon the expiration of a trustee's term, utilizing approved election procedures and requirements for the position.

(c) The board shall adopt its own rules and regulations pertaining to attendance and vacancies as provided in subsection (b) of this section.

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 27-7-303 is amended to read as follows:

24-7-303. Board of Trustees — Officers — Committees ~~Professional and clerical services~~.

(a) The Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System shall select from its own number a ~~chairman~~ chair and a vice ~~chairman~~ chair.

(b) The trustees shall serve as trustees without compensation for their services as such, except that each trustee may receive expense reimbursement in accordance with § 25-16-901 et seq.

(c) The board shall appoint the executive director of the system, and he or she shall serve as its chief executive officer. He or she shall perform, or cause to be performed, such duties as are required of him or her under this act and as the board shall delegate to him or her.

(d) The board shall appoint an actuary or a firm of actuaries to be technical advisor to the board on matters regarding the operation of the system on an actuarial basis. The actuary shall perform such duties as are required of him or her under this act and as are required of him or her by the board from time to time.

(e) (1) The board shall appoint a professional investment counsel to be investment advisor to the board.

(2)(A) No investment shall be made by the board until it has received the advice of its investment advisor.

(B) ~~Provided, however,~~ However, if the contemplated investment involves anything other than financial assets, as defined in § 4-8-102(a)(9), then in lieu of seeking advice from its investment advisor, the board shall seek and receive advice from a person having recognized expertise with respect to the type of investment contemplated.

(f) The board shall appoint a medical committee consisting of three (3) physicians to review applications for disability retirement.

(g) The executive director ~~shall have the authority to~~ may employ such other professional and clerical services and to purchase such equipment and supplies as are required for the proper operation of the system, subject to the approval of the board.

(h)(1) The compensation of the persons engaged by the board shall be consistent with the pay plan of the state.

(2)(A) All other expenses of the board necessary for the operation of the system shall be paid at such rates and in such amounts as the board shall approve.

(B) The board may create additional committees as necessary and appropriate to fulfill the duties and responsibilities of the board under this chapter.

SECTION 5. Arkansas Code § 24-7-401 is amended to read as follows:

24-7-401. ~~Effectuation of financial objective~~ Fund contributions — Fund rates.

(a)(1) The financial objective of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System is to establish and receive contributions that expressed as percentages of active member payroll will remain approximately level from generation to generation of Arkansas citizens.

(2) Contributions received each year shall be sufficient:

(A) To fully cover the costs of benefit commitments being made to members for their service being rendered in that year; and

(B) To make a level payment that if paid annually over a reasonable period of future years will fully cover the unfunded costs of benefit commitments for service previously rendered.

(3) If the costs of benefit commitments for service previously rendered are overfunded, the plan may deduct a level payment that if deducted annually over a reasonable period of future years will fully liquidate the overfunded portion of the costs.

(b) An actuarial valuation of the entire system shall be made at least annually by the Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System's actuary.

(c)(1) For ~~the~~ each fiscal ~~years ending June 30, 2008, and June 30, 2009~~ year, the Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System shall establish employer contribution rates for the system prospectively ~~each year~~ and for each fiscal year thereafter.

(2) The employer contribution rates shall be based on the actuary's determination of the rate required to fund the plan in accordance with the objectives stated in subsection (a) of this section.

(3) The employer contribution rates shall be the rates determined by the board based on the annual actuarial valuation.

(4) For the fiscal years ending June 30, 2008, and June 30, 2009, and in each fiscal year thereafter, the employer contribution rate shall not exceed fourteen percent (14%).

(d) The employer contribution rate shall be such that the amortization period for all unfunded liability shall not exceed thirty (30) years, unless the required contribution rate would exceed fourteen percent (14%).

(e)(1) The board shall annually notify the ~~local school districts, the Department of Education, and other~~ participating employers of the employer contribution rate established by the board for the upcoming fiscal year.

(2) Local school districts shall pay the teacher retirement employment contribution for any eligible employee in accordance with rules established by the board.

(3) The Department of Education shall pay from the Public School Fund the teacher retirement employer contributions for eligible employees of participating employers as required by the department's biennial appropriations act and in accordance with rules established by the board.

(4) The annual employer contributions to be paid in each year for all other employees by each participating employer shall be the current state contribution percent multiplied by the total covered salaries of the employer's members in the fiscal year.

(5) The employers' contributions shall be remitted to the system in such manner and form and in such frequency and shall be accompanied by such supporting data as the board shall prescribe from time to time.

(6) Timely payment of the contributions shall be a condition of continuance of participation in the system.

SECTION 6. Arkansas Code § 24-7-402(b), concerning the custodian of Arkansas Teacher Retirement System assets, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) The custodian of system assets shall be the Treasurer of State or other financial institutions or depositories as allowed under this subchapter~~,~~.

(2) ~~who~~ When acting as custodian of system assets, the Treasurer of State shall act in accordance with the instructions of the board.

SECTION 7. Arkansas Code § 24-7-406(a)(1), concerning members' deposit accounts in the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) The members' deposit account ~~shall be~~ is the account: ~~in~~

(A) In which member contributions ~~shall be~~ are accumulated ~~at~~ with regular interest ~~the members' contributions to the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System and~~;

(B) ~~from~~ From which ~~shall be paid~~ member refunds of ~~accumulated~~ contributions are paid; and

(C) From which transfers are made as provided in this act.

(2) ~~However, employer~~ Employer contributions that are paid by an employee instead of an employer shall be:

(A) ~~credited~~ Credited to the members' deposit account~~.~~; and

(B) ~~Those contributions shall be subject~~ Subject to refund under the same conditions that regular member contributions are ~~refundable~~ refunded.

SECTION 8. Arkansas Code § 24-7-406(c) and (d), concerning members' contributions to the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System generally, are amended to read as follows:

(c)(1)(A)(i) Each employer shall deduct the member contributions provided for in this section from the salary of each member on every payroll, for every payroll period, from the date of his or her entrance into the system until ~~he or she~~ the member retires or terminates, and the employer shall remit the contributions to the system.

(ii) Compensation in excess of the limitations set forth in section 401(a)(17) of the Internal Revenue Code shall be disregarded. The limitation on compensation for eligible employees shall not be less than the amount which was allowed to be taken into account under the system as in effect on July 1, 1993. For this purpose, an “eligible employee” is an individual who was a member of the system before the first plan year beginning after December 31, 1995.

(B) A member who is receiving remuneration under both a regular contract and a purchased contract or under both a regular contract and a contract won through litigation shall have only the greater of the two (2) amounts considered as salary for the purposes of ~~the system~~ determining the final average salary of the member.

(C)(i) Should the employer fail at any time to report the salary of a member and remit the contributions to the system, the system shall have the right to collect from the employee and the employer the contributions due, if any, from each, together with interest beginning with the subsequent fiscal year.

(ii) ~~In no case shall a~~ A member shall not be given credit for service rendered until ~~any~~ all contributions and interest due from each are paid in full.

(2) The member's contributions provided for in this section shall be made notwithstanding that the minimum salary provided by law for any member shall be thereby changed.

(3)(A) Each member shall be deemed to consent and agree to the deductions made and provided for in this section.

(B) Payment of his or her salary less the deductions shall be a full and complete discharge and acquittance of all claims and demands whatsoever for the services rendered by the member during the period covered by the payment, except as to benefits provided by the system.

(4) The members' contributions, so deducted from their salaries, shall be remitted to the system in such manner and form and ~~in~~ into such frequency and shall be accompanied by such supporting data as the board shall prescribe from time to time.

(d)(1) In addition to the contributions deducted from the salaries of a member, as provided in this section, a member may deposit ~~in~~ into the system, by a single contribution or by an increased rate of contributions as approved by the board, the amounts ~~he or she~~ the member ~~may have~~ received in a refund of contributions ~~therefrom~~ and not repaid ~~thereto~~, together with interest from the date of withdrawal to the date of repayment to reestablish credit for refunded service.

(2) ~~In no case shall a~~ A member shall not be given credit for service rendered ~~prior to~~ before the date ~~he or she~~ the member received a refund of contributions ~~payments~~ until ~~he or she~~ the member returns to the system all amounts due from ~~him or her~~ the member.

SECTION 9. Arkansas Code § 24-7-406(g)(1)(B), concerning employers' payment of members' contributions to the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, is amended to read as follows:

(B) If a member elects to purchase past service credits under the system's purchase of service credit provisions ~~§ 24-7-501(b), § 24-7-502(b)(5), § 24-7-610, § 24-7-611, or §§ 24-7-602 — 24-7-607~~ through payroll deductions, the employer shall pay the amount required to purchase such past service credits from the employee's salary earned after the employee signs an irrevocable payroll authorization prescribed by the board, and those purchases shall then be treated as employer contributions in determining tax treatment under the ~~provisions of the~~ Internal Revenue Code and the Income Tax Act of 1929, § 26-51-101 et seq.

SECTION 10. Arkansas Code § 24-7-602(a)-(c), concerning credit in the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System for military service, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) ~~In the event~~ If an active member of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System enters the armed forces of the United States during any period of compulsory military service, after receiving a refund of member contributions from the system, the ~~armed~~ compulsory military service ~~actually~~ required of ~~him~~ the member ~~shall~~ may be established as credited ~~him as~~ service under this subchapter~~, but only~~ if after discharge from the armed forces and before retirement ~~he returns to~~ the member repays to the ~~Arkansas Teacher Retirement System~~ system the amount, if any, ~~he may have received therefrom~~ the member was refunded at the time of termination ~~he entered or while in the armed service,~~ together with interest from the date of ~~withdrawal~~ the refund to the date of repayment.

(2) In addition, an active member who entered the armed forces of the United States during any period of compulsory military service and who ~~returns as an employee~~ becomes an active member within one (1) year ~~upon~~ of his or her ~~return~~ discharge from the armed ~~service shall be~~ forces is eligible to receive military service credit ~~for the time of his armed service, even if he does not complete a total of ten (10) years of credited service in Arkansas~~ under this section, whether or not the member has five (5) or more years of credited service at the time of the reemployment.

(b) ~~During the period of armed service and until his return as an employee, his contributions to the system shall be suspended, and any balance remaining to his credit in the members' deposit account shall be accumulated at regular interest.~~

~~(c) A person~~ An inactive member who entered the armed forces ~~and who was not an active member at the time of entry~~ shall have the period of armed forces service ~~actually required of him~~ credited as service ~~under this subchapter if he~~ in the system without cost to the member if the member satisfies ~~all of~~ the following conditions:

(1) He or she completes five (5) or more years of actual service ~~for service in Arkansas~~ in the system; and

(2)(A) The armed forces service is not credited as service under any other retirement plan except social security.

(B) Receipt of a ~~disability~~ pension from the federal military retirement system paid solely for disability shall not be considered as having service credit with another retirement plan.

SECTION 11. Arkansas Code § 24-7-603 is amended to read as follows:

24-7-603. Out-of-state service.

(a) As used in this section, “out-of-state service” means service rendered in any state except Arkansas in a position ~~which~~ that would have been covered by the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System had the service been ~~rendered in the State of Arkansas~~ actual service covered by the system if rendered in the state.

(b) Out-of-state service purchased before July 1, 1987, shall be credited as service under this section in accordance with provisions in force before July 1, 1987.

(c) From and after July 1, 1987, an active member shall be eligible~~, upon application,~~ to purchase out-of-state service to be credited as service under this subchapter in accordance with the following conditions:

(1)(A) The out-of-state service credit to be granted shall be limited to service for which no benefit could be paid by another system similar in purpose to this system, except social security, if the member had left on deposit his or her contributions to the other system.

(B) The credit under subdivision (c)(1)(A) of this section ~~shall be~~ is limited to fifteen (15) years;

(2)(A)(i) The member shall pay to the system for each year of service credit being granted:

(a) The product of the sum of the employee and employer contribution rates in effect at the time of purchase multiplied by the greater of:

(1) The annual salary received by the member for his or her first full year of credited service that precedes the fiscal year in which the service is purchased; or

(2) The average of the three (3) highest salaries earned at the time of purchase; plus

(b) Interest from the end of that year of credited service to the date of payment in full.

(ii) If the payment is not made in a single sum at the time of purchase, interest shall be added from the date of the initial payment to the date of payment in full.

(B) The payment shall be credited to the member's account in the members' deposit account and shall be in addition to regular member contributions thereto;

(3) The out-of-state service shall not become credited service under this system until:

(A) The member payments specified in subdivision (c)(2) of this section have been paid in full; and

(B)(i) The member has established five (5) or more years of actual service.

(ii) Should a member cease to be an active member before the out-of-state service has been established as system-credited service, the member payments contributed as specified in subdivision (c)(2) of this section shall be refundable~~, together with regular interest thereon~~;

(4) The benefit program to be applied to each year of service credit being granted shall be the benefit program in effect at the time of retirement; and

(5) Such other rules and regulations consistent with this subchapter as the Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System may from time to time adopt.

(d) An active member may purchase a fraction of a year of out-of-state

service to be credited as service under this subchapter in the same manner as provided for out-of-state service under subsection (c) of this section if the service meets the following requirements:

(1) The member has not less than thirty (30) days of out-of-state credited service in the fiscal year; and

(2) The fraction of a year of out-of-state service may be credited in keeping with policies of the board as provided by § 24-7-601.

(e) An active member shall be eligible, upon application, to purchase service rendered outside the state during a period of employment with an education coordinating council to be credited as out-of-state service under the provisions of this section, provided that the conditions of subsection (c) of this section are met.

SECTION 12. Arkansas Code § 24-7-607(b)(3)(B)(ii), concerning the refund of member payments under the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, is amended to read as follows:

(ii) Should a member cease to be an active member before the private school service has been established as system-credited service, the member payments contributed as specified in subdivision (b)(2) of this section shall be refundable~~, together with regular interest thereon~~;

SECTION 13. Arkansas Code § 24-7-610(d), concerning the refund of member contributions for National Guard Service Credit, is amended to read as follows:

(d) If a member ceases to be an active member before the Arkansas National Guard service has been established as system-credited service, the member payments contributed as specified in subdivision (a)(1)(C) of this section shall be refundable~~, together with regular interest~~.

SECTION 14. Arkansas Code § 24-7-611(b)(3)(B)(ii), concerning the refund of member payments under the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System for domestic federal service, is amended to read as follows:

(ii) Should a member cease to be an active member before the domestic federal service has been established as system-credited service, the member payments contributed as specified in subdivision (b)(2) of this section shall be refundable~~, together with regular interest thereon~~;

SECTION 15. Arkansas Code § 24-7-701(a) and (b), concerning voluntary retirement under the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, are amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) Except as provided under subdivision (a)(2) of this section, an active member who either attains ~~age~~ sixty (60) years of age and has five (5) or more years of actual and reciprocal service or who has twenty-eight (28) or more years of credited service regardless of age may voluntarily retire upon written application filed with the ~~Board of Trustees of the~~ Arkansas Teacher Retirement System.

(2)(A) A member shall terminate covered employment to be eligible for retirement ~~except if~~ unless the member has attained normal retirement age.

(B) A member shall not be terminated from employment for retirement purposes if the ~~person~~ member returns to employment in a position ~~that would otherwise be~~ covered by the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System within thirty (30) days of the ~~person's~~ member's effective date of retirement.

(C) A ~~person failing~~ member who fails to meet the termination of employment requirements of this subsection shall have his or her retirement benefits cancelled and ~~forfeit~~ forfeits any retirement benefits until the termination requirements are met.

(D)(i) A member who fails to meet the termination requirements of this section and has received retirement benefits from the system shall repay the benefits to the system before becoming eligible again for voluntary retirement.

(ii) The system may adjust and collect any benefits that have been overpaid to a member under § 24-7-205.

(E) A member who fails to meet the termination requirements of this section upon employment by a covered employer shall return to active member status under § 24-7-502.

(b) Upon ~~his or her~~ a member's retirement, he or she shall receive ~~an~~ a life annuity as provided for in § 24-7-705.

SECTION 16. Arkansas Code § 24-7-702(a), concerning early voluntary retirement under the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) Except as provided under subdivision (a)(2) of this section, an active or inactive member who has twenty-five (25) or more years of credited service but has not attained ~~age~~ sixty (60) years of age and is not eligible for retirement under ~~the provisions of~~ § 24-7-701 may voluntarily retire early upon written application filed with the Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System.

(2)(A) A member shall terminate covered employment to be eligible for retirement except if the member has attained normal retirement age.

(B) A member shall not be terminated from employment for retirement purposes if the ~~person returns to a position that would otherwise be~~ member returns to employment in a position covered by the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System within thirty (30) days of the ~~person's~~ member's effective date of retirement.

(C) A ~~person failing~~ member who fails to meet the termination of employment requirements of this subsection shall have his or her retirement benefits cancelled and ~~forfeit~~ forfeits any retirement benefits until the termination requirements are met.

(D)(i) A member who fails to meet the termination requirements of this section and has received retirement benefits from the system shall repay the benefits to the system before becoming eligible again for voluntary retirement.

(ii) The system may adjust and collect any benefits that have been overpaid to a member under § 24-7-205.

(E) A member who fails to meet the termination requirements of this section upon employment by a covered employer shall return to active member status under § 24-7-502.

SECTION 17. Arkansas Code § 24-7-704 is amended to read as follows:

24-7-704. Disability retirement.

(a)(1)(A) Except as provided under subdivision (a)(1)(B) of this section, ~~any~~ an active member in employer service with five (5) or more years of actual and reciprocal service who becomes totally and permanently physically or mentally incapacitated for his or her job duties as the result of a personal injury or disease may be retired by the Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System upon approval of a written application filed with the ~~board by or on behalf of the member~~ Arkansas Teacher Retirement System.

(B)(i) An active member who has met the eligibility requirement of subdivision (a)(1)(A) of this section shall terminate covered employment to be eligible for disability retirement benefits.

(ii) If a member returns to work in a position covered by the ~~Arkansas Teacher Retirement System~~ system within thirty (30) days of the person's effective date of disability retirement, then the member shall not be considered terminated from employment for retirement purposes and shall forfeit disability retirement benefits until the termination requirements are met.

(C) The member may be retired ~~only~~ if ~~after~~ a ~~medical examination~~ review of the ~~member made by or under the direction of~~ member's application and accompanying documentation is conducted by the medical committee and the medical committee reports to the board by majority opinion in writing that:

(i) The member is physically or mentally incapacitated;

(ii) The member is unable to perform his or her current work duties;

(iii) The incapacity will most likely be permanent; and

(iv) The member should be retired.

(2) The disability retirement shall be effective ~~the first day of~~ the calendar month ~~next~~ following ~~the later of:~~

~~(A) The~~ the member's termination of active membership~~; or~~

~~(B) Six (6) months before the date the written application is filed with the board~~.

(b) Upon disability retirement as provided in subsection (a) of this section, a member shall receive an annuity provided for in § 24-7-705 and shall have the right to elect an option provided for in § 24-7-706. His or her disability retirement shall be subject to the provisions of subsections (c) and (d) of this section and to the provisions of § 24-7-708.

(c)(1) At least one (1) time each year during the first five (5) years following a member's retirement on account of disability, and at least one (1) time in each three-year period thereafter, the board may require any disability retirant who has not attained sixty (60) years of age to undergo a medical examination to be made by or under the direction of the medical committee.

(2) If the retirant refuses to submit to the medical examination in any period, his or her disability annuity may be suspended by the board until his or her withdrawal of his or her refusal.

(3) If his or her refusal continues for one (1) year, all his or her rights in and to a disability annuity may be revoked by the board.

(4) If upon the medical examination of the retirant the medical committee reports to the board that the retirant is physically and mentally able and capable of resuming his or her duty in the position held by him or her at the time of disability retirement, then his or her disability retirement shall terminate.

(5)(A) If a disability retirant returns to ~~full-time service as defined by rules determined by the board~~ covered employment ~~prior to~~ before attaining sixty (60) years of age, his or her disability retirement shall terminate.

(B) If a disability retirant returns to ~~full-time service as defined by rules promulgated by the board~~ covered employment after attaining sixty (60) years of age and is otherwise eligible for retirement under § 24-7-707, the retirant shall be treated as if he or she retired under § 24-7-701 and is subject to the limitations applicable to age and service retirants.

(6)(A) If a disability retirant under sixty (60) years of age returns to ~~full-time service~~ covered employment, he or she shall immediately again become an active member of the system, and his or her credited service at the time of his or her disability retirement shall be restored to his or her credit in the members' deposit account.

(B) The retirant's disability retirement and his or her accumulated contributions shall be treated as if he or she had returned to service on the date of the full-time employment.

(7) ~~In no event shall a~~ A disability retirant shall not be given service credit for the period he or she was receiving a disability retirement annuity.

SECTION 18. Arkansas Code § 24-7-707(a), concerning deferred retirement under the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1)(A) ~~Should~~ If an active member ~~cease to be an active member before attaining age sixty (60) other than by death or retirement but after completing~~, becomes inactive before the member reaches sixty (60) years of age, upon completion of five (5) years of actual and reciprocal service, the member ~~shall become an inactive member and shall be~~ is entitled to a deferred annuity when the member becomes sixty (60) years of age as provided ~~for~~ in this section~~,~~.

(B) ~~but only~~ The member is eligible for deferred retirement if the member ~~does~~ has not ~~withdraw~~ withdrawn his or her accumulated contributions from the members' deposit account and is not employed in a position covered by another retirement plan that is supported wholly or in part by state contributions if the member's being vested is based on the other system service.

(2) ~~Following~~ Upon approval by the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System ~~of an application for deferred retirement~~, the deferred annuity shall commence as of the first day of the calendar month ~~next~~ following the ~~later of:~~ date the written application is received by the system.

~~(A) The month following the member's sixtieth birthday; or~~

~~(B) The date the written application is received by the system.~~

(3) A member shall ~~have the right to~~ elect an option provided for in § 24-7-706 at the time of filing the written application.

SECTION 19. Arkansas Code § 24-7-709 is amended to read as follows:

24-7-709. Disposition of residue.

(a)(1)(A) If a retirant and his or her option annuitants, if any, ~~dies~~ die before receiving ~~in~~ annuity payments ~~a total amount~~ equal to the member's residue amount, then the residue amount ~~accumulated contributions standing to the retirant's credit in the members' deposit account at the time of his or her retirement and no option annuity becomes payable upon the retirant's death, the difference between the accumulated contributions and the total amount of annuities received by the retirant~~ shall be paid to such persons as the retirant shall have nominated by written designation duly executed and filed with the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System.

(B) As used in this section, "residue" means the difference between the accumulated contributions and regular interest credited to the retirement reserve account as of the member's retirement effective date and the total amount of annuities paid.

(2) If a retirant and his or her option annuitants ~~dies~~ die and the member has failed to designate a beneficiary or if all designated beneficiaries have predeceased the retirant, ~~the difference between the accumulated contributions and the total amount of annuities received by the retirant~~ the residue shall be paid to the retirant's estate.

(b)~~(1)~~ ~~If a retirant dies and an option annuity becomes payable at the retirant's death but the last eligible option beneficiary dies before the retirant and the option beneficiary have received in annuity payments a total amount equal to the accumulated contributions standing to the retirant's credit in the member's deposit account at the time of the member's retirement, the remaining difference, if any, shall be paid to the beneficiary nominated by the member.~~

~~(2)~~ If upon the termination of the option annuity~~,~~ no surviving beneficiary designated by the member survives~~,~~ and it is impracticable to make payment to the member's estate, the residue shall be forfeited to the trust assets of the system subject to any valid claim of the member's estate under § 24-7-734 ~~the difference between the accumulated contributions and the total amount of annuities received by the retirant and option annuitant shall be paid to the last eligible option beneficiary's estate~~.

SECTION 20. Arkansas Code § 24-7-711 is amended to read as follows:

24-7-711. Disposition of accumulated contributions upon membership termination.

(a)(1) ~~In the event a member ceases to be a member other than by death or retirement prior to satisfying the age and service requirements of either § 24-7-701 or § 24-7-702, he or she shall be paid, within six (6) months following the date his or her written application is filed with the Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, his or her accumulated contributions standing to his or her credit in the members' deposit account.~~ If a member discontinues covered employment, the member may elect to be paid a refund of his or her contributions and regular interest credited to the member's deposit account within six (6) months following the date the member's written application is filed with the system.

(2) Any contributions remaining on deposit shall accrue regular interest at the end of each fiscal year as provided by § 24-7-410(d).

(b)(1) ~~In the event a~~ If an active member dies and ~~no~~ a survivor annuity ~~becomes, or can become,~~ is not payable under § 24-7-710 ~~by the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System on account of the member's death~~, the member's accumulated contributions ~~standing to his or her credit in the member's deposit account at the time of the member's death, together with~~ and regular interest ~~thereon from the time of death~~ to the time of payment~~,~~ shall be paid to such persons as the member shall have nominated by a written designation ~~duly~~ that is executed by the member and filed with the ~~board~~ system.

~~(2)(A) If there are no designated persons surviving the member, the accumulated contributions shall be paid in the following statutory succession:~~

~~(i) Spouse; then~~

~~(ii) Children; then~~

~~(iii) Parents; then~~

~~(iv) Estate.~~

~~(B)~~(2) ~~Effective for all members dying after June 30, 2006, if~~ If there are no designated persons surviving the member, the accumulated contributions ~~shall be~~ are payable to the member's estate.

(3) If no annuity ~~can become~~ is payable to a dependent child on account of the member's death and if the sole beneficiary who ~~could~~ can receive the annuity is the member's surviving spouse, then the member's surviving spouse may elect to receive a refund of accumulated contributions ~~in place of any benefits being~~ and regular interest paid under ~~the provisions of § 24-7-710~~ this subchapter.

SECTION 21. Arkansas Code § 24-7-713 is amended to read as follows:

24-7-713. ~~Monthly benefits — Redetermination~~ Retirement annuity — Simple cost of living adjustment and monthly benefit stipend.

(a)(1) ~~Beginning with the July 1 which is at least twelve (12) full months after the effective date of a monthly benefit, the amount of the benefit shall be redetermined effective each July 1, and the redetermined amount shall be payable for the ensuing year~~ July 1 of each year, retirants, survivors, and annuity beneficiaries who have been receiving monthly benefits for the previous twelve (12) months shall receive a simple cost of living adjustment.

(2) ~~The redetermined amount shall be the base amount multiplied by the following percent: One hundred percent (100%) plus three percent (3%) for each full year, but excluding any fraction of a year, in the period from the effective date of the base amount to the current July 1~~ The cost of living adjustment under this section is calculated by multiplying one hundred percent (100%) of the member's base retirement annuity times three percent (3%).

(3) ~~In no event shall the~~ The redetermined amount shall not be less than the base amount.

(4) As used in this section~~:~~,

~~(A) "The amount of the benefit otherwise payable" means the monthly amount of the benefit that would be payable disregarding the provisions of this section redetermining benefit amounts after retirement; and~~

~~(B)(i)~~ "~~Base~~ base amount" means ~~the monthly amount of the benefit upon which benefit redeterminations after retirement are based, as provided in this section.~~

~~(ii) "Base amount" includes~~ the amount of the benefit ~~otherwise~~ payable at retirement plus any one-time ~~increase or~~ increases granted by legislative change after the member's effective date of retirement benefits, excluding the simple cost of living adjustment under this section.

~~(iii) The effective date of the base amount shall be the effective date of the benefit or, if any, the effective date of the last increase in base amount, whichever is later.~~

(5) The redetermined amount under this subsection is not considered a benefit enhancement under the limitations under § 24-1-106.

(b)(1)(A) Effective July 1, 1999, subject to the minimum financial conditions set forth in § 24-7-718, retirees, survivors, and beneficiaries shall receive an increase in benefits of not less than fifty dollars ($50.00) per month.

(B) However, the Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System may elect and is granted authority to increase the benefit to retirees in an amount determined by the board, except that the benefit increase shall not exceed seventy-five dollars ($75.00) per month.

(2)(A) Members retiring after July 1, 1999, but before July 1, 2008, with five (5) or more years of actual service in the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System and their survivors and beneficiaries shall receive an additional benefit of not less than fifty dollars ($50.00) per month over and above their regular annuity.

(B) Members retiring on or after July 1, 2008, with ten (10) or more years of actual service in the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System and their survivors and beneficiaries shall receive an additional benefit of not less than fifty dollars ($50.00) per month over and above their regular annuity.

(C) However, the ~~Board of Trustees~~ board may elect and is granted authority to increase the additional benefit to members retiring in an amount determined by the board, except that the additional benefit shall not exceed seventy-five dollars ($75.00) per month.

(3) ~~In its discretion, the~~ The board may prorate the benefits provided under this subsection for all individuals retiring after June 30, 1999, if the individual is also eligible for an additional monthly benefit as a result of credited service under one (1) or more of the other reciprocal systems, as such systems are enumerated in § 24-2-401.

~~(4)(A) For the purpose of determining eligibility for the increase in benefits provided under this subsection, "actual service" means service rendered in a position covered by the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System.~~

~~(B) "Actual service" does not include purchased or free credited service or reciprocal service.~~

(c) Nothing contained in this section shall require the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System to pay any portion of the benefits provided for in this section.

SECTION 22. Arkansas Code § 24-7-718(a), concerning minimum financial conditions for benefit increases under the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, is amended to read as follows:

(a) For an increase in benefit formulas to be effective, the regular annual actuarial valuation for the calendar year immediately preceding the effective date of the increase shall be based upon an investment rate assumption of no more than eight percent (8%) and shall indicate that up to and including a ~~twelve percent (12%)~~ fourteen percent (14%) of pay employer contribution rate is sufficient to amortize all unfunded actuarial accrued liabilities for members over a period of thirty (30) years or less unless the required contribution rate would exceed fourteen percent (14%).

SECTION 23. Arkansas Code § 24-7-719 is amended to read as follows:

24-7-719. Rollover of distributions.

(a) As used in this section:

(1) "Direct rollover" means the payment of ~~an eligible~~ a distribution from the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System directly to an individual retirement arrangement or another ~~employer~~ eligible benefit plan;

(2) "Eligible retirement plan" means an individual retirement account, ~~or~~ individual retirement annuity, ~~or~~ individual retirement arrangement, or another employer benefit plan that accepts direct rollovers; and

(3) "Eligible rollover distribution" means that portion of a distribution that may be rolled over to an individual retirement arrangement or to another employer benefit plan.

(b)(1) Beginning January 1, 1993, ~~should~~ a member~~,~~ or ~~spouse if the member is deceased, elect to make a direct rollover~~ other eligible beneficiary receiving a distribution from the ~~Arkansas Teacher Retirement System to an eligible retirement plan of his or her~~ system may elect a direct rollover of the distribution if the funds consist of an eligible rollover distribution~~, the~~.

(2) The amount under subdivision (b)(1) of this section shall be paid to the trustee of the eligible retirement plan.

(c) Subsection (b) of this section ~~shall apply~~ applies to distributions made under §§ 24-7-709 — 24-7-711, 24-7-716, 24-7-720, and 24-7-1308.

(d) This section does not require the system to authorize a direct rollover of a distribution if:

(1) The distribution is not eligible to be treated as a direct rollover under the Internal Revenue Code; or

(2) The depository institution receiving the distribution is not eligible to receive a direct rollover under the Internal Revenue Code.

SECTION 24. Arkansas Code §§ 24-7-721 through 724, are repealed because those sections are obsolete.

~~24-7-721. Increase in monthly benefits—Acts 1997, No. 442.~~

~~On July 1, 1996, and thereafter, the monthly benefit payable to the retirants and the beneficiaries of retirants of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System who retired before July 1, 1991, shall be increased by an amount equal to one percent (1%) of the benefit payable on June 30, 1996, for each year or portion of a year of retirement prior to July 1, 1991, up to a maximum benefit increase of fifteen percent (15%). Furthermore, the monthly benefit payable to retirants and beneficiaries of retirants who retired between June 30, 1996, and July 1, 1991, shall be increased an amount equal to one percent (1%) of the benefit payable on June 30, 1996. This benefit increase shall be a one-time adjustment and shall also be used to figure any additional benefit increases in the future.~~

~~24-7-722. Limitation on benefit enhancement of Acts 1997, No. 442.~~

~~No benefit enhancement provided for by § 24-7-721 shall be implemented if it would cause the publicly supported retirement system's unfunded actuarial accrued liabilities to exceed a thirty-year amortization. No benefit enhancement provided for by § 24-7-721 shall be implemented by any publicly supported system which has unfunded actuarial accrued liabilities being amortized over a period exceeding thirty (30) years until the unfunded actuarial accrued liability is reduced to a level less than the standards prescribed by § 24-1-101 et seq.~~

~~24-7-723. Increase in monthly benefits — Acts 1997, No. 992.~~

~~On and after April 1, 1997, the monthly benefit payable to the retirants and the beneficiaries of retirants of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System who retired July 1, 1990, or later shall be increased by an amount equal to seven-tenths percent (0.7%) of the benefit payable on March 31, 1997. This increase shall be a one-time adjustment and shall also be used to calculate any additional benefit increases in the future. The benefit payable on July 1, 1997, shall become the base amount.~~

~~24-7-724. Limitation on benefit enhancement of Acts 1997, No. 992.~~
~~No benefit enhancement provided for by this act shall be implemented if it would cause the publicly supported retirement system's unfunded actuarial accrued liabilities to exceed a thirty-year amortization. No benefit enhancement provided for by this act shall be implemented by any publicly supported system which has unfunded actuarial accrued liabilities being amortized over a period exceeding thirty (30) years until the unfunded actuarial accrued liability is reduced to a level less than the standards prescribed by § 24-1-101 et seq.~~

SECTION 25. Arkansas Code § 24-7-727 is amended to read as follows:
24-7-727. Compounded cost of living adjustments.
(a)(1) After July 1, 1999, ~~beginning with the July 1 which is at least twelve (12) months after the effective date of a monthly benefit,~~ the Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System may compound the cost of living adjustment for all retirants who have received a monthly retirement benefit for the prior twelve-month period.
(2) ~~the~~ The amount of the benefit under this section shall be redetermined effective each July 1, and the redetermined amount shall be payable for the ensuing year.
(3) The simple cost of living adjustment is not payable in the year or years that the board implements the compounded cost of living adjustment.
(b)(1) The redetermined amount shall be the amount of the benefit payable as of the immediately preceding June 30 increased by three percent (3%).
(2) The redetermined amount shall become the base amount for determining all future cost of living adjustments.
(c) The benefit provisions provided in subsections (a) and (b) of this section shall be implemented according to rules ~~and regulations~~ of the ~~Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System~~ board as is actuarially appropriate for the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System.
(d) ~~Prior to~~Before increasing a benefit ~~as provided in~~ under this section, the board shall file relevant information concerning the actuarial appropriateness of the action with the Joint Interim Committee on Public Retirement and Social Security Programs.

SECTION 26. Arkansas Code Title 24, Chapter 7, Subchapter 12, that is inconsistent with the legislative mandate of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System and has not been implemented, is repealed.

~~24-7-1201. Legislative intent.~~
~~It is the intent of the General Assembly to make available to the members of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System a school employees' individual retirement account plan and any other tax deferral plan permitted by federal law, and to enable the members to conveniently and economically receive the fullest benefits offered by federal tax law as it relates to tax-deferred savings plans for school employees covered by a mandatory public retirement plan.~~

~~24-7-1202. School Employees' Individual Retirement Account Fund.~~
~~(a)(1) There is hereby created a fund or funds which shall be known collectively as the School Employees' Individual Retirement Account Fund.~~
~~(2) The fund shall be administered by the Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System.~~
~~(b)(1) The board is hereby empowered and authorized to promulgate all necessary rules and regulations to implement the provisions of this subchapter and to define terms, words, and phrases to be used in implementing investment plans and accounts for the school employees, provided that the rules and regulations shall conform to the requirements of the Internal Revenue Code.~~

~~(2) The board may, in its discretion, adopt one (1) or more tax-deferred savings plans authorized by the federal government if it finds that doing so will offer substantial tax benefits to school employees covered under the provisions of this subchapter.~~

~~24-7-1203. Participation in the fund.~~

~~(a)(1) The School Employees' Individual Retirement Account Fund program shall be available to all employees in the State of Arkansas who are members of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System.~~

~~(2) Participation in this fund shall be on a strictly voluntary basis under the rules and regulations which shall be adopted by the Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System and in accordance with the provisions contained in the Internal Revenue Code as it relates to individual retirement accounts for public employees.~~

~~(b)(1) Any person who shall become ineligible for participation in the fund due to the termination of his employment with an eligible employer may leave his contributions on account with the fund.~~

~~(2) However, no further contributions may be accepted on his or her account unless the person shall become reemployed by an eligible employer.~~

~~24-7-1204. Contributions to the fund.~~

~~Contributions to the School Employees' Individual Retirement Account Fund may be deducted from each participating employee's compensation and transmitted to the fund in accordance with any limitations imposed by federal tax law for any tax-deferred savings plan offered pursuant to the provisions of this subchapter and pursuant to the rules and regulations as shall be promulgated by the Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System.~~

~~24-7-1205. Investments.~~

~~All investments under the School Employees' Individual Retirement Account Fund program shall be made pursuant to the same authority and same restrictions that govern the investment of funds of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System.~~

~~24-7-1206. Administrative costs.~~

~~(a) The administrative cost for the operation of the School Employees' Individual Retirement Account Fund shall be provided through investment earnings on contributions to the fund.~~

~~(b) No state funds shall be used to administer the provisions of this subchapter.~~

SECTION 27. Arkansas Code Title 24, Chapter 7, Subchapter 14 is repealed.

~~24-7-1401. Short title.~~

~~This subchapter may be known and shall be cited as the "Arkansas Teacher Retirement System Affordable Housing Investment Act".~~

~~24-7-1402. Legislative purpose.~~

~~The General Assembly of the State of Arkansas finds, determines, and declares that:~~

~~(1) There is an existing and immediate need to assure members that they will have adequate and affordable housing and living facilities and other basic needs available to them upon retirement from active service;~~

~~(2) Among these needs is the need for decent, safe, and affordable housing together with skilled and semiskilled medical personnel to assist with health problems not requiring acute-care hospitalization for qualified occupants;~~

~~(3) While the power and authority of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System to use the assets of the system to provide for such needs is probably implied, the statutes governing the system are not sufficiently clear so as to give administrators, financial institutions, governmental agencies, and others guidance needed to proceed with measures to make provisions for such needs; and~~

~~(4) The purpose and intent of this subchapter is to make clear that the system has the statutory authority to utilize assets of the system and other resources available to it so as to provide or assist in the provision for the housing and medical assistance alluded to in subdivisions (1) and (2) of this section, all as provided for, but subject to the limitations set forth in this subchapter.~~

~~24-7-1403. Definitions.~~

~~As used in this subchapter, unless the context otherwise requires:~~

~~(1) "Assisted living facility" means retirement housing at which minimal food, security, and medical assistance services are available for occupants;~~

~~(2) "Board" means the Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System;~~

~~(3) "Facilities" when used without elaboration means and refers to any or all the facilities referred to in this subchapter, including, but not limited to, retirement housing, assisted living facility, skilled nursing facility, nursing facility, or any combination thereof, built, owned, and operated for the exclusive use and benefit of qualified occupants;~~

~~(4) "Members" means any individual who is a member of the system;~~

~~(5) "Nursing facility" means a nursing home or a distinct part of another retirement housing facility not meeting the skilled nursing facility licensure regulations, but which provides on a more limited basis skilled nursing and supportive care;~~

~~(6) "Qualified occupant" means any member or the dependent of any member who is receiving or is designated by a member to receive any plan benefit from the system or any other person deemed by the board, by regulation promulgated by the board or otherwise, to be a suitable occupant of the facility;~~

~~(7) "Retirement housing" means residential housing facilities;~~

~~(8) "Skilled nursing facility" means a nursing home or a distinct part of a retirement housing facility, which home or distinct part is licensed by the Office of Long-Term Care of the Department of Human Services, or any similar successor agency, as meeting the skilled nursing facility licensure regulations and which provides skilled nursing care and supportive care on a twenty-four-hour basis to residents whose primary need is for availability of skilled nursing care on an extended basis; and~~

~~(9) "System" means the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System as established by § 24-7-201 et seq.~~

~~24-7-1404. Authority — Responsibility.~~

~~(a) Authorization. In addition to all of the other powers and authorities previously granted to the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System along with the other Arkansas retirement systems and specifically in addition to those powers set forth in § 24-3-410 [repealed], the system is authorized to construct, acquire by purchase, gift, or otherwise, and to own and operate facilities.~~

~~(b) Additional Authority. In furtherance of the authority granted in subsection (a) of this section and for the other purposes set forth in this subsection, the system, either directly or indirectly through a wholly owned subsidiary, is authorized and empowered to:~~

~~(1) Investigate and obtain information concerning members' present and projected needs for services such as those offered by the facilities;~~

~~(2) Construct and equip facilities or acquire by gift or purchase existing buildings and the sites upon which they are situated for use as or to be converted to facilities and held as investments of the system while providing additional benefits to members;~~

~~(3) Provide for the operation and management of the facilities so constructed or acquired and arrange for providing of benefits to members through the use of such facilities at a rent or charge to qualified occupants upon such terms and conditions as the respective board may determine;~~

~~(4) Execute contracts, including by way of example, but not limited to, leases (as lessor or lessee), purchase agreements, construction contracts, and management agreements, necessary to accomplish the purposes of this subchapter;~~

~~(5) Incur debt as necessary to accomplish the purposes of this subchapter;~~

~~(6) Apply for, receive, accept, and use any moneys and properties from the United States or any state or any department or agency thereof; from any public or private corporation of any nature; and from any individual or group;~~

~~(7) Establish and enforce minimum standards and criteria for the management, maintenance, and operation of all facilities authorized by this subchapter;~~

~~(8) Provide for the management, maintenance, and operation of the facilities as may be required by this subchapter or otherwise by law to be managed, maintained, or operated by the Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System;~~

~~(9) Cooperate with the Arkansas Development Finance Authority for the issuance of bonds pursuant to the Arkansas Development Finance Authority Act, § 15-5-101 et seq., to finance the acquisition, construction, leasing or equipping, or purchase of the facilities authorized by this subchapter;~~

~~(10) Take such other action, not inconsistent with law, as may be necessary or desirable to carry out the powers, purposes, and authorities set forth in this subchapter and to carry out the intent of this chapter;~~

~~(11) To enter into lease-purchase agreements, as lessee or lessor, to obtain the facilities;~~

~~(12) Create wholly owned subsidiary corporations, limited liability companies, and other legal entities to facilitate the financing of facilities and to own or operate facilities. Such subsidiary corporations or other legal entities may be a venture in a joint venture, a general or limited partner in a partnership, a member of a limited liability company, and may have such status in other legal entities composed of governmental agencies (federal or state), private individuals, partnerships, corporations, or other entities, as might be necessary or desirable to accomplish the purposes of this subchapter; and~~

~~(13)(A)(i) Guarantee, wholly or partially, debt obligations of any subsidiary corporation or other owned entity; enter into agreements to purchase or repurchase debt obligations of any subsidiary corporation or other owned entity; and to take such other measures as might be appropriate to enhance the credit and the ability of any of its subsidiary corporations or other owned entities to borrow money.~~

~~(ii) Provided, however, any instrument or agreement containing a guaranty of the system must prominently state that the guaranty is limited to the assets of the system and does not constitute a pledge of the full faith and credit of the system or of the State of Arkansas.~~

~~(iii) In addition to the limitations set forth in subdivision (b)(13)(A)(ii) of this section, the system shall not be authorized to enter into any kind of guaranty or credit enhancement arrangement if the amount of debt guaranteed or credit enhanced when added to all previous guaranty or enhancement arrangements still in effect would exceed three percent (3%) of the total assets of the system as reflected on its most recent balance sheet.~~

~~(B) If the system should enter into any guaranty or other credit enhancement arrangement for any subsidiary corporation or other owned entity, it shall be entitled to charge such subsidiary or other entity a fee for providing the credit enhancement. Such fee is not to exceed one percent (1%) of the principal amount of the credit enhanced, unless the board, with the advice of counsel, finds that the charging of such a fee could adversely affect the credit being enhanced by adversely affecting the availability or the cost of the credit or have any other adverse effect on such credit.~~

~~24-7-1405. Trust assets.~~

~~When investing and managing trust assets as a prudent investor, the Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System may consider the benefits members may obtain from investments which return more than a return on principal but also provide other benefits to the members, such as health care, housing, and entertainment, including, but not limited to, investment in the ownership or operation of facilities for the use and benefit of qualified occupants.~~

~~24-7-1406. Facilities.~~

~~The Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System shall make the final determination regarding the location, design, purpose, construction, and operation of the facilities. All agreements and other matters concerning the buying, trading, selling, renting, renovating, or acquiring of any facility as authorized by this subchapter shall be matters of public record and available for public inspection.~~

~~24-7-1407. Scope.~~

~~Nothing in this subchapter shall be construed as to in any way limit or alleviate the obligation of the Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System to provide retirement benefits to the members of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System.~~

~~24-7-1408. Appropriate investment of funds.~~

~~If made in compliance with the requirements and limitations of this subchapter and in compliance with the prudent investor rule set forth in §§ 24-3-417 — 24-3-426, investments made by the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System in facilities are hereby declared by the General Assembly to be an appropriate investment for funds of the system.~~

~~24-7-1409. Permit of approval.~~

~~Nothing in this subchapter exempts the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, its subsidiaries, corporations, or other related legal entities from the requirement to acquire a permit of approval, as set forth in § 20-8-101 et seq., or any Office of Long-Term Care licensure or certification requirement to own, operate, or manage a long-term care facility.~~

SECTION 28. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that certain provisions of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System Act are in dire need of technical correction to bring them into conformance with the current public pension policy; that such technical correction is of great importance to members of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System and to other citizens of the State of Arkansas; and that this act is immediately necessary in order to maintain an orderly system of benefits for the members of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on July 1, 2009."

(SIGNED) SENATOR S. FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 191 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 165 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 165

Amend Senate Bill No. 165 as engrossed, S2/18/09:

Page 1, line 30, delete "becoming eligible for retirement benefits," and substitute "returning to work with a covered employer,"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 34 through 36 and substitute the following:

"(2)(A) ~~A~~ Effective July 2, 2009, a member shall not be terminated from"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 5 through 7 and substitute the following:

"(i) Meets both of the following requirements:

(a) Becomes employed with an employer covered by the system; and

(b) Has not attained the system's normal retirement age; or

(ii) Does not have total or a combined total of thirty-eight (38) years or more of credited service in the system, T-DROP, or reciprocal service in another eligible state retirement system.

(B) If a member has a combined total of thirty-eight (38) years or more of credited service in the system, T-DROP, or reciprocal credited service in another eligible state retirement system, then the member shall not be terminated from employment for purposes of retirement eligibility if within thirty (30) days of the member's effective date of retirement the member:

(i) Becomes employed with an employer covered by the system; and

(ii) Has not attained the system's normal retirement age."

(SIGNED) SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 165 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 362 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 362

Amend Senate Bill No. 362 as originally introduced:
Page 1, line 32, delete "$ 60,000" and substitute "$ 10,000"

(SIGNED) SENATOR D. JOHNSON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 362 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 217 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 217

Amend Senate Bill No. 217 as engrossed, S2/23/09:
Page 2, line 18, delete the word "only" and substitute the word "~~only~~"

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALTES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 217 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1041 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1041

Amend House Bill No. 1041 as engrossed, S2/17/09:
Delete everything following the enacting clause and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 5-26-305(b), concerning the penalty classification for the offense of domestic battering in the third degree, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) Domestic battering in the third degree is a Class A misdemeanor.

(2) However, domestic battering in the third degree is a Class D felony if:

(A) Committed against a woman the person knew or should have known was pregnant;

(B) For conduct that occurred within the five (5) years preceding the commission of the current offense, the person has been convicted of a prior offense of:

(i) Domestic battering in the first degree, § 5-26-303;

(ii) Domestic battering in the second degree, § 5-26-304;

(iii) Domestic battering in the third degree; ~~or~~

(iv) Aggravated assault on a family or household member, § 5-26-306; or

~~(iv)~~(v) An equivalent penal law of this state or of another state or foreign jurisdiction; or

(C) For conduct that occurred within the ten (10) years preceding the commission of the current offense, the person has on two (2) previous occasions been convicted of any act of battery against a family or household member as defined by a law of this state or by an equivalent law of any other state or foreign jurisdiction."

(SIGNED) SENATOR D. JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1041 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1040 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1040

Amend House Bill No. 1040 as engrossed, S2/17/09:

Add Senator H. Wilkins as a co-sponsor to the bill.

AND

Page 1, delete lines 11 through 13 and substitute “AN ACT TO AMEND THE OFFENSES OF AGGRAVATED ASSAULT AND ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.”

AND

Page 1, delete lines 16 through 18 and substitute “AN ACT TO AMEND THE OFFENSES OF AGGRAVATED ASSAULT AND ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE.”

AND

Delete everything following the Enacting Clause and substitute:

"Section 1. Arkansas Code 5-13-204 is amended to read as follows:
5-13-204. Aggravated assault.
(a) A person commits aggravated assault if, under circumstances manifesting extreme indifference to the value of human life, he or she purposely:
(1) Engages in conduct that creates a substantial danger of death or serious physical injury to another person; ~~or~~
(2) Displays a firearm in such a manner that creates a substantial danger of death or serious physical injury to another person~~.~~; or
(3) Impedes or prevents the respiration of another person or the circulation of another person's blood by applying pressure on the throat or neck or by blocking the nose or mouth of the other person.
(b) Aggravated assault is a Class D felony.
(c) The provisions of this section do not apply to:
(1) A law enforcement officer acting within the scope of his or her duty; or
(2) ~~Any~~ A person acting in self-defense or the defense of a third party.

Section 2. Arkansas Code 5-13-205 is amended to read as follows:
5-13-205. Assault in the first degree.
(a) A person commits assault in the first degree if he or she:
(1) ~~recklessly~~ Recklessly engages in conduct that creates a substantial risk of death or serious physical injury to another person~~.~~; or

(2) Purposely impedes or prevents the respiration of another person or the circulation of another person's blood by applying pressure on the throat or neck or by blocking the nose or mouth of the other person.
(b) Assault in the first degree is a Class A misdemeanor.
(c) It is a defense to prosecution under subdivision (a)(2) of this section if the other person consented to the impeding or prevention of his or her respiration or circulation of blood.

(SIGNED) SENATOR D. JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1040 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 165, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 191, BY SENATOR S. FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 165 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 191 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 217, BY SENATOR ALTES,
SENATE BILL NO. 431, BY SENATOR SMITH,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 217 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 431 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 353, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 362, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 353 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 362 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1040, BY REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1041, BY REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1040 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1041 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 320, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 380, BY SENATOR MILLER,
SENATE BILL NO. 432, BY SENATOR LUKER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 335, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 40, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 389, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 390, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 391, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 392, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 400, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Resolution No. 7 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 7
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

SENATE RESOLUTION COMMENDING ARKANSAS FARMERS FOR THEIR VITAL CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE SECURITY AND ECONOMIC WELL-BEING OF THE STATE AND THE NATION, AND FOR PRODUCING THE FOOD AND FIBER THAT IS ESSENTIAL TO THE HEALTH AND SECURITY OF THE CITIZENS OF THIS STATE AND PEOPLE THROUGHOUT THE WORLD.

Senate Resolution No. 7. was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 1272 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1397 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1397

Amend House Bill No. 1397 as engrossed, H2/12/09:

Page 1, delete lines 28 through 34 and substitute the following:

"(i)(1) For purposes of this subsection, "operating motor vehicle" means a motor vehicle that is actually driven out of the government-owned and government-operated storage facility under its own power.

(2) A government-owned and government-operated storage facility for motor vehicles may refuse to release an operating motor vehicle from the storage facility if the owner of the motor vehicle cannot establish that the motor vehicle is covered by insurance as required under this section.

(3) The following are exempt from the requirements of this subsection:

(A) A motor vehicle that is considered salvage;

(B) A motor vehicle where an insurer holds the title to the motor vehicle; and

(C) A motor vehicles that is not driven out of the government-owned and government-operated storage facility under its own power.

(SIGNED) SENATOR D. JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1397 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 28 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 28

Amend Senate Bill No. 28 as engrossed, S1/29/09:

Add the following Senators as cosponsors of the bill:

Senators D. Johnson, Faris

AND

Add the following Representatives as cosponsors of the bill:

Representatives Kerr, Barnett, English, J. Burris

AND

Delete the title in its entirety and substitute:

"AN ACT TO PROHIBIT WIRELESS TELEPHONE USE BY DRIVERS WHO ARE UNDER EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE; TO PROHIBIT DRIVERS WHO ARE AT LEAST EIGHTEEN BUT UNDER TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE FROM USING HANDHELD WIRELESS TELEPHONES; TO ALLOW DRIVERS WHO ARE AT LEAST EIGHTEEN BUT UNDER TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE TO USE HANDS-FREE WIRELESS TELEPHONES OR DEVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND
Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO IMPROVE THE SAFETY OF THE ROADS AND
HIGHWAYS BY LIMITING WIRELESS TELEPHONE
USE BY YOUNG DRIVERS."

AND

Delete all language after the enacting clause and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 27, Chapter 51 is amended to add an additional subchapter to read as follows:

27-51-1501. Title.

This subchapter shall be known and may be cited as the “Fewer Distractions Mean Safer Driving Act”.

27-51-1502. Definitions.

As used in this subchapter:

(1) "Emergency purpose" means the reason for contacting any of the following is to report an emergency:

(A) Law enforcement personnel;

(B) Fire department personnel;

(C) Public safety personnel;

(D) Emergency medical personnel; or

(E) A 911 public safety communications center;

(2)(A) "Handheld wireless telephone" means a wireless interactive communication device with which a user engages in a call or text-based communication using at least one (1) hand.

(B) “Handheld wireless telephone” does not include:

(i) A hands-free wireless telephone or device;

(ii) Citizens band radio; or

(iii) Citizens band radio hybrid; and

(3)(A) "Hands-free wireless telephone or device" means a wireless telephone or other wireless communication device that allows a user to engage in text-based communication without the use of either hand with:

(i) An internal feature or function; or

(ii) An attachment or additional device.

(B) A hands-free wireless telephone or device may be a permanent or temporary part of the wireless telephone or other wireless communication device.

(C) A hands-free wireless telephone or device may require the use of either hand to activate, deactivate, or initiate a function of the wireless telephone or other communication device;

(4) “Wireless interactive communication” means talking, typing, text messaging, emailing, or accessing information on the Internet with a wireless telephone; and

(5)(A) "Wireless telephone" means a wireless interactive communication device.

(B) "Wireless telephone" includes a handheld wireless telephone and a hands-free wireless telephone or device.

27-51-1503. Restrictions on drivers under 18 years of age.

(a) Except as provided under subsection (b) of this section, a driver of a motor vehicle who is under eighteen (18) years of age shall not use a wireless telephone for wireless interactive communication while operating a motor vehicle.

(b) A driver of a motor vehicle who is under eighteen (18) years of age may use a wireless telephone for wireless interactive communication while operating a motor vehicle for an emergency purpose only.

27-51-1504. Restrictions on drivers at least 18 but under 21 years of age.

(a)(1) Except as otherwise provided in this section, the driver of a motor vehicle who is at least eighteen (18) but under twenty-one (21) years of age shall not use a handheld wireless telephone for wireless interactive communication while operating a motor vehicle.

(2) The driver of a motor vehicle who is at least eighteen (18) but under twenty-one (21) years of age may use a hands-free wireless telephone or device for wireless interactive communication while operating a motor vehicle.

(b) A driver of a motor vehicle who is at least eighteen (18) but under twenty-one (21) years of age may use a handheld wireless telephone for wireless interactive communication while operating a motor vehicle for an emergency purpose only.

27-51-1505. Enforcement.

A driver of a motor vehicle is not to be stopped or detained solely to determine compliance with this section.

27-51-1506. Preemption.

This section supersedes and preempts all county or municipal ordinances regarding wireless telephone use by persons under twenty-one (21) years of age.

27-51-1507. Penalties.

(a)(1) For a first offense under this subchapter, a person shall be issued a citation that is a warning citation and no court appearance is required and no penalty shall be imposed by the court.

(2) A record of each warning citation issued shall be maintained.

(b) A person who pleads guilty or nolo contendere to or has been found guilty of violating this subchapter for a second or subsequent offense is guilty of a violation under § 5-1-108 and shall be fined fifty dollars ($50.00).

27-51-1508. Applicability.

This act applies to all violations committed on and after October 1, 2009."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE BARNETT

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 28, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Hendren, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 28 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 28

As Engrossed: S1/29/09 H2/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS HENDREN, *D. JOHNSON & FARIS*

BY: REPRESENTATIVES KERR, BARNETT, ENGLISH & J. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO PROHIBIT WIRELESS TELEPHONE USE BY DRIVERS WHO ARE UNDER EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE; TO PROHIBIT DRIVERS WHO ARE AT LEAST EIGHTEEN BUT UNDER TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE FROM USING HANDHELD WIRELESS TELEPHONES; TO ALLOW DRIVERS WHO ARE AT LEAST EIGHTEEN BUT UNDER TWENTY-ONE YEARS OF AGE TO USE HANDS-FREE WIRELESS TELEPHONES OR DEVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

Senate Bill No. 28 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 28 was ordered enrolled.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Pritchard the Senate rescinded its previous action in the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 263.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 263 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 255 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 255

As Engrossed: S2/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE GROSS VEHICLE WEIGHT RATING USED IN THE DEFINITION OF MOTOR VEHICLE UNDER THE ARKANSAS NEW MOTOR VEHICLE QUALITY ASSURANCE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 255 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 255 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 426 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 426
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS CODE TO PROVIDE FOR INCREASED SECURITY IN THE ISSUANCE OF TEMPORARY MOTOR VEHICLE BUYER'S TAGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 426 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 426 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Miller, Senate Bill No. 56 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 56

As Engrossed: S2/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS MILLER, BROADWAY, ELLIOTT, G. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, P. MALONE & TRUSTY

BY: REPRESENTATIVES *WOODS AND GEORGE*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 56 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 56 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 316 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 316

As Engrossed: S2/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ABERNATHY AND J. ROEBUCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO LIMIT THE AMOUNT OF UNRESTRICTED EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL TUITION AND FEE INCOME AN INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION CAN SPEND ON ACADEMIC AND PERFORMANCE SCHOLARSHIPS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 316 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 316 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 68 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 68

As Engrossed: S2/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 6 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 68 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 68 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1019 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1019

As Engrossed: S2/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING REQUIRED STATEMENTS IN BROADCAST POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

On motion of Senator Baker House Bill No. 1019 was pulled down at this time.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1431 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1431

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. COWLING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CHANGE THE SUBMISSION DATE FOR THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION'S ANNUAL REPORT TO THE GOVERNOR TO THE MONTH OF JUNE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1431 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1431, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 18

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1431 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, House Bill No. 1146 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1146
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE FIREWORK SALES TO BE AT LEAST FIFTY FEET FROM MOTOR VEHICLE FUEL DISPENSING STATION DISPENSERS, RETAIL PROPANE DISPENSING STATION DISPENSERS, ABOVE-GROUND STORAGE TANKS FOR FLAMMABLE OR COMBUSTIBLE LIQUIDS, FLAMMABLE GASES OR FLAMMABLE LIQUEFIED GASES, AND COMPRESSED NATURAL GAS DISPENSING FACILITIES; TO REQUIRE "NO SMOKING" SIGNS AT EACH ENTRANCE TO A FIREWORK RETAIL SALES AREA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1146 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1146 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, House Bill No. 1147 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1147

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE APPLICATION PERIOD FOR FIREWORK PUBLIC DISPLAY PERMITS FROM TWO DAYS TO FIVE DAYS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1147 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1147 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, House Bill No. 1152 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1152

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE FIREWORK SHOOTER'S LICENSING PERIOD TO START WHEN THE APPLICATION IS APPROVED TO ALLOW FOR A FULL FIVE-YEAR LICENSING PERIOD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1152 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1152 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1356 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1356

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO RENAME THE ARKANSAS STATE LAND INFORMATION BOARD TO THE ARKANSAS GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS BOARD; TO MAKE THE STATEWIDE DIGITAL CADASTRE SYSTEM A REQUIRED FUNCTION OF THE BOARD; TO IMPLEMENT THE CENTERLINE PROGRAM AND THE ORTHOPHOTOGRAPHY PROGRAM AS ONGOING FUNCTIONS OF THE BOARD; TO ESTABLISH A MINIMUM ACCURACY LEVEL FOR STATEWIDE FRAMEWORK DATA; TO REMOVE THE REQUIREMENT OF A FEE SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1356 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1356 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 128 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 128

As Engrossed: S2/5/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS FARIS AND *WILKINSON*

BY: REPRESENTATIVE *STEWART*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW MEMBERS OF STATE-SUPPORTED RETIREMENT SYSTEMS WHO ARE RECEIVING FEDERAL

MILITARY SERVICE RETIREMENT TO PURCHASE CREDITED SERVICE FOR SERVICE RENDERED BY THE MEMBERS IN THE ARMED FORCES; TO ALLOW MEMBERS OF THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO PURCHASE UP TO FIVE (5) YEARS OF COMPENSATED SERVICE IN THE ARKANSAS NATIONAL GUARD OR ARMED FORCES RESERVE; TO ALLOW MEMBERS OF THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO PURCHASE ONE (1) YEAR OF SERVICE CREDIT FOR ONE (1) YEAR OF COMPENSATED SERVICE IN THE ARKANSAS NATIONAL GUARD OR THE ARMED FORCES RESERVE; TO PROVIDE EMPLOYMENT PROTECTION TO ACTIVE-DUTY MILITARY PERSONNEL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 128 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 128, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 128 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 404 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 404

Amend Senate Bill No. 404 as originally introduced:
Page 7, line 16 delete "GYS" and substitute "G4S".

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 404 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 438 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 438

Amend Senate Bill No. 438 as originally introduced:
Delete SECTION 8 in its entirety

And

Renumber the remaining sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 438 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 274 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 274 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 274

Amend Senate Bill No. 274 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 27, delete ", in a sum not to exceed" and substitute "or for costs associated with various maintenance, renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrades and repair projects for War Memorial Stadium Commission, in a sum not to exceed"

And

Insert a new Section immediately following Section 7 to read as follows:

" SECTION 8. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. As referenced in SECTION 3 of Act 1202 of 2007 and SECTION 3 of Act 1753 of 2007, the authorized funding for the War Memorial Stadium Commission for elevator construction and maintenance shall also be deemed to include costs associated with various maintenance, renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrades and repair projects for War Memorial Stadium Commission."

And

Appropriately renumber the subsequent Sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE BRUCE MALOCH

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 274, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Baker, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 274 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 274

As Engrossed: H2/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE WAR MEMORIAL STADIUM COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 274 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 274, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 274 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1142 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1142 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1142

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OIL AND GAS COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1142 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1142, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1142 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1243 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1243 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1243

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS CRIME INFORMATION CENTER FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1243 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1243, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1243 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 355 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 355 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 355

As Engrossed: S2/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ACT 1214 OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF 2007, ARKANSAS SUPREME COURT APPROPRIATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 355 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 355, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 355 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1309 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1309 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1309
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 805 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1309 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1309, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1309 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1434 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1434 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1434
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR A PROSECUTING ATTORNEY - DIVISION A FOR THE THIRTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT FOR THE AUDITOR OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1434 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1434, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1434 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

SENATE BILL NO. 455
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, MAINTENANCE AND PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 455 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 456
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SOUTHEAST ARKANSAS COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, MAINTENANCE AND PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 456 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 457
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR GRANTS FOR AFTER-SCHOOL AND EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 457 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 458
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SAU-TECH FOR CONSTRUCTION OF A MODEL FIRE STATION AT THE ARKANSAS FIRE TRAINING ACADEMY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 458 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 459
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE DATA COLLECTION BY THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOL COMPUTER NETWORK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 459 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 460

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS P. MALONE, ALTES, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, GLOVER, HENDREN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, J. KEY, LUKER, MADISON, MILLER, SALMON, T. SMITH, J. TAYLOR, TEAGUE, R. THOMPSON, H. WILKINS & D. WYATT

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MAXWELL, ABERNATHY, T. BAKER, BETTS, T. BRADFORD, J. BROWN, CARROLL, CASH, CHEATHAM, COLE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, EVERETT, GASKILL, HARRELSON, HOUSE, HYDE, KIDD, LEA, LOWERY, MCLEAN, NIX, PATTERSON, PIERCE, POWERS, REEP, J. ROEBUCK, J. ROGERS, T. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SHELBY, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, WAGNER, WEBB, B. WILKINS & WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE FAIR DISCLOSURE TO EMPLOYERS, INSURANCE COMPANIES, AND OTHERS OF PAYMENTS FOR PHARMACISTS' SERVICES; TO PROHIBIT DECEPTIVE AND UNCONSCIONABLE TRADE PRACTICES OF PHARMACY BENEFITS MANAGERS; TO PRESCRIBE PENALTIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 460 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 461
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR CONSTRUCTING AND EQUIPPING THE WINTHROP PAUL ROCKEFELLER ARKANSAS STATE POLICE HALL OF HONOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 461 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 462
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR ARKANSAS FALLEN FIREFIGHTERS MEMORIAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 462 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 463
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 463 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 464
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS MADISON AND J. KEY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO HELP TO ENSURE THE HEALTH, SAFETY, AND WELFARE OF CHILDREN BY MODERNIZING AND UPDATING THE LAW RELATED TO CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT; TO ADOPT THE CHILD MALTREATMENT ACT; TO REPEAL THE ARKANSAS CHILD MALTREATMENT ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 464 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 465
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL ARKANSAS FOR ESSENTIAL OPERATIONS, SUPPORT FOR EDUCATION EXCELLENCE, AND PAYMENT OF CLAIMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 465 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 466
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR SENIOR CITIZEN CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 466 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 404, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 438, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 404 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 438 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1397, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No. 229 was returned from the House as passed as amended and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 60 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 61 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 66 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 71 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 74 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 94 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 97 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 116 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 117 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 118 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 119 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 186 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 188 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 202 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 254 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 382 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 383 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 384 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 385 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 386 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 387 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 388 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

SENATE BILL NO. 467
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ACT 1366 OF 2003, CONCERNING HOMELAND SECURITY AND THREAT ASSESSMENT PLANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 467 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1012
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MOORE
BY: SENATOR FARIS

TO PROVIDE FOR RECESS OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON APRIL 10, 2009; TO PROVIDE FOR AN EXTENSION OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY UNTIL 12:00 NOON, MAY 1, 2009; TO AUTHORIZE THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, BY JOINT PROCLAMATION, TO RECONVENE THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT ANY TIME BEFORE 12:00 NOON, MAY 1, 2009, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING VETOES, CORRECTING ERRORS OR OVERSIGHTS, COMPLETING ITS WORK ON PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS, CONSIDERING ANY ISSUES THAT MAY ARISE FROM THE PASSAGE OF THE FEDERAL STIMULUS PACKAGE, AND CONSIDERING THE NEED FOR FURTHER EXTENSION OF THE REGULAR SESSION OR TO ADJOURN THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT ANY TIME BEFORE THAT DATE IF THEY DETERMINE THAT THERE IS NO NEED TO RECONVENE; TO PROVIDE THAT IF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS NOT RECONVENED OR ADJOURNED BEFORE 12:00 NOON, MAY 1, 2009, THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS ADJOURNED SINE DIE ON THAT DATE.

House Bill No. 1012 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1362

As Engrossed: H2/5/09 H2/13/09 H2/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. BURRIS AND *R. GREEN*

BY: SENATORS J. TAYLOR AND ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAW REGARDING WORKERS' *COMPENSATION PAYMENTS UNDER THE WORKER'S COMPENSATION LAW THAT RESULTED FROM INITIATED ACT 4 of 1948; TO ENSURE THAT LICENSED* CONTRACTORS OBTAIN AND MAINTAIN WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1362 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1451

As Engrossed: H2/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOYT, REYNOLDS, T. BAKER, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, COLE, L. COWLING, DISMANG, GEORGE, HALL, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOUSE, LOVELL, MCCRARY, OVERBEY, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, SAUNDERS, SLINKARD, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, J. ROEBUCK, PYLE, M. BURRIS, M. MARTIN & RAGLAND

BY: SENATORS BRYLES, J. JEFFRESS, G. JEFFRESS, J. TAYLOR & D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE AN ADEQUATE SUPPLY OF ARKANSAS MILK FOR ARKANSAS CONSUMERS; TO STABILIZE AND STIMULATE DAIRY FARMS IN ARKANSAS; TO CREATE THE DAIRY STABILIZATION FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1451 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1467
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVERETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM COMPENSATION FOR ELECTED COUNTY OFFICERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1467 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1483
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ADMINISTRATION OF UNCLAIMED PROPERTY; PROVIDING AN EXEMPTION FOR AGRICULTURAL FARM SUPPLY COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1483 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 28, BY SENATORS HENDREN, D. JOHNSON & FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 274, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 3:00 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 28
SENATE BILL NO. 274

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 24th day of February, 2009 at 3:00 p.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J.D. Lowery
Secretary

SENATE BILL NO. 468
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOPPER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT PERSONS WITH CERTAIN CRIMINAL HISTORIES FROM PURCHASING OR POSSESSING EMERGENCY LIGHTS OR SIRENS FOR A VEHICLE; TO PROHIBIT THE INSTALLATION OF EMERGENCY LIGHTS OR SIRENS ON A VEHICLE THAT APPEARS TO BE OR MIMICS A LAW ENFORCEMENT VEHICLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 468 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 469
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ACT 62 OF 2009, THE APPROPRIATION ACT FOR THE PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - EDUCATIONAL TELEVISION DIVISION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 469 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 12
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS MADISON, SALMON, ELLIOTT, BOOKOUT, BRYLES, CRUMBLY, FARIS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, LAVERTY, LUKER, T. SMITH, STEELE, R. THOMPSON, H. WILKINS, WILKINSON & D. WYATT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. SMITH, T. BAKER, BLOUNT, CARROLL, CASH, CHEATHAM, COLE, COOK, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. EDWARDS, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GASKILL, HARRELSON, HOUSE, INGRAM, KIDD, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, RAINEY, REEP, J. ROEBUCK, J. ROGERS, T. ROGERS, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, G. SMITH, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS & WILLS

RATIFYING THE PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION PROVIDING THAT EQUALITY OF RIGHTS UNDER THE LAW SHALL NOT BE DENIED OR ABRIDGED BY THE UNITED STATES OR ANY STATE ON ACCOUNT OF SEX.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 12 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 470
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A LEGISLATIVE TASKFORCE ON REDUCING POVERTY AND PROMOTING ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 470 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 56
SENATE BILL NO. 68
SENATE BILL NO. 128
SENATE BILL NO. 255
SENATE BILL NO. 316
SENATE BILL NO. 355
SENATE BILL NO. 426

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1142
HOUSE BILL NO. 1146
HOUSE BILL NO. 1147
HOUSE BILL NO. 1152
HOUSE BILL NO. 1243
HOUSE BILL NO. 1309
HOUSE BILL NO. 1356
HOUSE BILL NO. 1431
HOUSE BILL NO. 1434

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 60
SENATE BILL NO. 61
SENATE BILL NO. 66
SENATE BILL NO. 71
SENATE BILL NO. 74
SENATE BILL NO. 94
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SENATE BILL NO. 117
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SENATE BILL NO. 119
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SENATE BILL NO. 188
SENATE BILL NO. 202
SENATE BILL NO. 254
SENATE BILL NO. 382
SENATE BILL NO. 383
SENATE BILL NO. 384
SENATE BILL NO. 385
SENATE BILL NO. 386
SENATE BILL NO. 387
SENATE BILL NO. 388

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED
SENATE BILL NO. 229 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1362
HOUSE BILL NO. 1451
HOUSE BILL NO. 1467
HOUSE BILL NO. 1483

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1012

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:40 p.m., Wednesday, February 25, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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FORTY-FIFTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

February 25, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:40 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Reverend Orin Frank, Good Shepherd Presbyterian Church, Greenwood, Arkansas.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 463 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 463

Amend Senate Bill No. 463 as originally introduced:
Page 1, line 25, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOBBY GLOVER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 463 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 463, BY SENATOR GLOVER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 463 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

February 25, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on February 25, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 274, - ACT 235,
Senate Bill No. 303, - ACT 236,
Senate Bill No. 323, - ACT 237,
Senate Bill No. 324, - ACT 238,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

On motion of Senator Bryles, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of recognizing John L. McClellan Day.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Resolution No. 11 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 11
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BRYLES AND FARIS

SENATE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING JOHN L. MCCLELLAN DAY.

Senate Resolution No. 11 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 113, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 307, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 343, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 401, BY SENATOR ALTES,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 315, BY SENATOR STEELE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 330, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 225, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1354, BY REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1377, BY REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1390, BY REPRESENTATIVE G. SMITH,

HOUSE BILL NO. 1416, BY REPRESENTATIVE REEP,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1427, BY REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 238, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 313, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE BRYLES
VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 226, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 252, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE BRYLES
VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1428, BY REPRESENTATIVE HOYT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1429, BY REPRESENTATIVE HOYT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE BRYLES
VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1057, BY REPRESENTATIVE HOBBS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE BRYLES
VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1400, BY REPRESENTATIVE ENGLISH,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE BRYLES
VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 404, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 346, BY SENATOR WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 360, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 375, BY SENATOR J. TAYLOR,
SENATE BILL NO. 376, BY SENATOR J. TAYLOR,
SENATE BILL NO. 444, BY SENATOR LUKER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 59, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1008, BY REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1213, BY REPRESENTATIVE PATTERSON

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RUTH WHITAKER
VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1338, BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERCE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1479, BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 95, BY SENATOR BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 223, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 322, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 333, BY SENATOR ALTES,
SENATE BILL NO. 364, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL G. MILLER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1277, BY REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1316, BY REPRESENTATIVE T. BAKER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1344, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOVELL,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1345, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOVELL,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1346, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOVELL,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL G. MILLER
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Steele, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 315 at this time.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 315 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 315

Amend Senate Bill No. 315 as originally introduced:
Add the following Representatives as cosponsors to the bill:

Representatives Allen, Blount, Carroll, Cash, Cheatham, Cole, J. Edwards, Flowers, R. Green, House, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Ingram, Kerr, W. Lewellen, Lowery, McCrary, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Reep, J. Roebuck, Saunders, G. Smith, L. Smith, Tyler, Wagner, Webb, Williams

AND

Page 11, line 22, delete "(a)" and substitute "(a)(1)"

AND

Page 11, line 25, delete "improvement" and substitute "improvement of the trauma system"

AND

Page 11, delete line 28 and substitute:

"provider, institution, or health plan.

(2) For purposes of this section, "data, records, reports, and documents" means recordings of interviews and all oral or written proceedings, reports, statements, minutes, memoranda, data, and other documentation collected or compiled for the purposes of trauma system quality review or trauma system assessment and improvement pursuant to a requirement of or request by the Department of Health, the Trauma Advisory Council, or other entity authorized by this chapter."

AND

Page 12, delete lines 6 through 12 entirely

AND

Page 12, line 13, delete "(e)" and substitute "(d)"

AND

Page 12, line 19, delete "an annual" and substitute "a"

AND

Page 12, delete line 22 and substitute:

"October 1 of each year through 2011. After 2011, the director shall provide an annual report to each committee on or before October 1."

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRACY STEELE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 315 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 335 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 335

Amend Senate Bill No. 335 as originally introduced:

Delete Section 2 in its entirety, and substitute the following:

"SECTION 2. Arkansas Code 14-43-411, as amended by Section 2 of Act 185 of 2009, is amended to read as follows:

14-43-411. Alderman vacancy in mayor-council form of government.

(a)(1)(A) Whenever a vacancy occurs in the office of alderman in a city of the first class having a population of less than twenty thousand (20,000) according to the most recent federal decennial census, at ~~any~~ the first regular meeting after the occurrence of the vacancy, the city council shall proceed to elect by a majority vote of the remaining members elected to the council an alderman to serve for the unexpired term.

(B)(i) However, at least a quorum of the whole number of the city council shall remain in order to fill a vacancy.

~~(C)~~(ii) The election by the remaining members of the city council is not subject to veto by the mayor.

(2) The person elected by the council shall be a resident of the ward where the vacancy occurs at the time of the vacancy.

(b) When a vacancy occurs in any position of alderman in a city having a population of ~~fifty thousand (50,000)~~ twenty thousand (20,000) or more~~,~~ according to the most recent federal decennial census~~, and having a mayor-council form of government in which the electors of each ward elect one (1) or more aldermen~~, a new alderman shall be chosen in the following manner:

(1) If the unexpired portion of the term of alderman exceeds one (1) year, ~~a successor shall be elected by a vote of the electors of the ward. The city council shall order a special election to be held pursuant to a proclamation issued by the mayor in accordance with 7-5-103(a) no later than ninety (90) days after the date the vacancy occurs~~ at the first regular meeting after the occurrence of the vacancy, the city council shall proceed to either elect by a majority vote of the remaining members elected to the council an alderman to serve for the unexpired term or call for a special election to be held in accordance with § 7-5-103(a) to fill the vacancy; or

(2) If the unexpired portion of the term of alderman is one (1) year or less, a successor shall be chosen by a majority vote of the members of the council."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 335 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 321 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 321
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW FOR THE EXTENSION OF A COUNTY-WIDE SALES AND USE TAX UPON THE APPROVAL OF THE VOTERS OF THE COUNTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 321 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 321 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 258 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 258
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MAXWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A "GROWTH POOL" OF POSITIONS FOR STATE-SUPPORTED FOUR-YEAR INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 258 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 258 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 259 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 259
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MAXWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A "GROWTH POOL" OF POSITIONS FOR STATE-SUPPORTED TWO-YEAR INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 259 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 259 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Miller, Senate Bill No. 380 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 380
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SEPARATE THE COUNTY AND CIRCUIT CLERKS CONTINUING EDUCATION BOARDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 380 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 380 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Bill No. 432 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 432
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A PROCEDURE FOR THE RECALL OF ELECTED MUNICIPAL OFFICIALS ELECTED TO SERVE A TERM OF FOUR (4) YEARS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 432 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 432 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 320 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 320

As Engrossed: S2/18/09 S2/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW FOR THE EXTENSION OF A LOCAL SALES AND USE TAX UPON THE APPROVAL OF THE VOTERS OF THE MUNICIPALITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 320 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 320 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Malone, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 460 at this time.

On motion of Senator Malone, Senate Bill No. 460 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 460

Amend Senate Bill No. 460 as originally introduced:
Add Senator Whitaker as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 2, delete line 21 and substitute the following:
"(4) "Pharmacist" means licensed pharmacist as defined in § 17-92-101;"

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 460 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1019 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1019

As Engrossed: S2/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING REQUIRED STATEMENTS IN BROADCAST POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1019 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE: Laverty.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1019 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Key, House Bill No. 1391 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1391
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY
BY: SENATOR KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING NEW OR ADDITIONAL POSITIONS AT STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1391 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1391, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1391 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, House Bill No. 1222 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1222
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HYDE
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE CONTINUED ACCOUNTABILITY AND EFFICIENCY FOR SCHOOL DISTRICTS INVOLVED IN DESEGREGATION LITIGATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1222 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1222, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1222 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1397 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1397

As Engrossed: H2/12/09 S2/24/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE GOVERNMENT-OWNED AND GOVERNMENT-OPERATED STORAGE FACILITIES FOR MOTOR VEHICLES TO REQUIRE PROOF OF INSURANCE BEFORE RELEASING IMPOUNDED VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1397 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1397 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Trusty, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of honoring officer Corporal Blake Wilson of Arkansas State Police.

Senator Trusty introduced Officer Wilson, his wife Cherry and daughter Blake, as well as Lieutenant Pete Westerman who praised Corporal Blake Wilson.

Senator Trusty informed the body that Corporal Wilson was named "Trooper of the Year" and was recently named "National Trooper of the Year."

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 40 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 40 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 40
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF OPTOMETRY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 40 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 40, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 40 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 392 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 392 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 392
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION FOR MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, EQUIPPING, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENT, UPGRADE AND REPAIR PROJECTS FOR THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION COMMISSION BUILDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 392 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 392, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 392 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 60, BY SENATOR MADISON
SENATE BILL NO. 61, BY SENATOR MADISON
SENATE BILL NO. 66, BY SENATOR MADISON
SENATE BILL NO. 71, BY SENATOR MADISON
SENATE BILL NO. 74, BY SENATOR MADISON
SENATE BILL NO. 94, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 97, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 116, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS
SENATE BILL NO. 117, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS
SENATE BILL NO. 118, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS
SENATE BILL NO. 119, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS
SENATE BILL NO. 186, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS
SENATE BILL NO. 188, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS
SENATE BILL NO. 202, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 254, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON
SENATE BILL NO. 382, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 383, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 384, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 385, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 386, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 387, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 388, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:30 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 60,
SENATE BILL NO. 61,
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SENATE BILL NO. 388,

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 25th day of February, 2009 at 9:30 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J. D. Lowery
Secretary

SENATE BILL NO. 471
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT BATESVILLE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS, OPERATIONS, CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 471 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 472
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - NEWPORT FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS, OPERATIONS, CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 472 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 473

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY GRANTS - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 473 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 474

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 474 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 475
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE G. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 475 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 476
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PHILLIPS COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF THE GRAND PRAIRIE CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 476 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 477

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 477 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 478

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO THE ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR MATHEMATICS, SCIENCES AND THE ARTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 478 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 479
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BRYLES, BROADWAY, ELLIOTT, D. JOHNSON & SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR A GRANT FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING EXPENSES, PROFESSIONAL FEES, AND PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT FOR THE ENCYCLOPEDIA OF ARKANSAS HISTORY AND CULTURE PROJECT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 479 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 480
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES - COMMUNITY GRANTS FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 480 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 481
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION - COMMUNITY GRANTS FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 481 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 482
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR THE ARKANSAS ENTERTAINERS HALL OF FAME; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 482 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 483
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE OZARKA COLLEGE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 483 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 484
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE BLACK RIVER TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 484 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 485
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES - COMMUNITY GRANTS FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 485 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 486
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SALE OF SHOTGUNS, RIFLES, AND AMMUNITION TO OUT-OF-STATE RESIDENTS; FOR THE PURCHASE OF SHOTGUNS, RIFLES, AND AMMUNITION BY ARKANSAS RESIDENTS IN OTHER STATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 486 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 487
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOPPER, DAVENPORT & EVERETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - MOUNTAIN HOME FOR CONSTRUCTING, EQUIPPING AND FINISHING A COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 487 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 488
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS J. KEY AND LAVERTY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE NORTH ARKANSAS COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING THE CAMPUS CENTER AND CAMPUS TOWER ENERGY UPGRADES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 488 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 489
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE RICH MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH AN AVIATION PROJECT, CONSTRUCTION, REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 489 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 490
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT HOPE FOR IMPROVEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 490 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 491
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE COSSATOT COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR IMPROVEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 491 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 492
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR AIRPORT WATERLINE IMPROVEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 492 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 493
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE PROCEDURE FOR PUBLIC DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION RELATED TO CHILD FATALITIES OR NEAR-FATALITIES; TO CLARIFY REPORTING REQUIREMENTS OF THE DIVISION OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 493 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 494

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE PARAMETERS OF THE PUBLIC DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION ON FATALITIES AND NEAR FATALITIES IN CHILD MALTREATMENT MATTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 494 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 495

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE BOARD OF ELECTRICAL EXAMINERS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1230 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 495 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 496
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO OTHER APPROPRIATIONS MADE BY THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO PAY THE ARKANSAS STATE CLAIMS COMMISSION - APPROVED CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 496 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 497
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR THE ARKANSAS RIVER CONNECTION PROJECT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 497 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 498
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A SCHOOL DISTRICT TO HAVE PRINTED ON THE EXTERIOR OF ITS SCHOOL BUSES A NOTICE REGARDING THE ILLEGALITY OF PASSING A SCHOOL BUS WHEN IT IS LOADING OR UNLOADING A CHILD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 498 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 499
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE REPORTING OF MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATORS WHO PASS A SCHOOL BUS ILLEGALLY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 499 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 500
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE SCHOOL BUS SAFETY EQUIPMENT GRANT PILOT PROGRAM TO ASSIST SCHOOL DISTRICTS IN EQUIPPING SCHOOL BUSES WITH VIDEO RECORDING DEVICES OR OTHER ELECTRONIC WARNING DEVICES TO REDUCE THE INCIDENTS OF DRIVERS WHO ILLEGALLY PASS A SCHOOL BUS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 500 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 501
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 501 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 502
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY GRANTS GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 502 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 503
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING A NEW BUSINESS TECHNOLOGY CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 503 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 504
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS LUKER, BOOKOUT, BRYLES & CRUMBLY
BY: REPRESENTATIVES T. BAKER, BLOUNT, J. BROWN, CASH, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DUNN, HALL, INGRAM, KIDD, LOVELL, T. ROGERS, WAGNER & B. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO VARIOUS INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING EXPENSES, REGIONAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS AND GRANTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE ARKANSAS DELTA TRAINING AND EDUCATION CONSORTIUM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 504 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 505
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EMPOWER THE LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE TO DIVEST AUTHORITY OF A CITY COURT IF THAT CITY COURT FAILS TO COMPLY WITH CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 505 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 506
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR EXPENSES OF THE WINTHROP ROCKEFELLER INSTITUTE FOR THE BIANNUAL STRATEGIC POLICY FORUM, SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY ENGINEERING & MATHEMATICS CONFERENCES, ACCELERATE ARKANSAS INITIATIVES, AND CONSERVATION & SUSTAINABILITY WORKSHOPS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 506 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 507
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR VAN WINKLE SAWMILL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 507 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 508
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORITY FOR CONNECT ARKANSAS EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 508 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 509
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT - LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY - STATE FAIR AND LIVESTOCK SHOW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 509 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 510
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 510 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 511
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR RURAL FIRE PROTECTION GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 511 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 512
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECT GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 512 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 513
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS FOR OPERATING, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENTS, EQUIPMENT, RENOVATION, AND MAINTENANCE EXPENSES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 513 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 514
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS FOR OPERATING, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENTS, EQUIPMENT, RENOVATION AND MAINTENANCE EXPENSES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 514 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 315, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 335, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 460, BY SENATOR MALONE ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Malone, Senate Bill No. 460 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 515
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE POWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHILD WELFARE AGENCY LICENSING ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 515 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 516
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE POWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE HEARING PROVISIONS OF THE REVISED UNIFORM ADOPTION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 516 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 517
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION FOR SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT FOR DRUG COURT PARTICIPANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 517 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 518

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR ACQUIRING, CONSTRUCTING, RENOVATING, EQUIPPING, FURNISHING, PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES OF THE NORTHWEST ARKANSAS SATELLITE CAMPUS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 518 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 519

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 519 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 520
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR ALCOHOL AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE PREVENTION AND TREATMENT PROGRAMS AND PREVENTION RESOURCE CENTERS GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 520 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 521
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE NORTHWEST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR ACQUIRING, CONSTRUCTING, RENOVATING, EQUIPPING, FURNISHING, PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 521 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 522
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR GRANTS AND AID FOR DRUG TASK FORCE OPERATIONS AND RELATED PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 522 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 523
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR FIRE DEPARTMENT, SEARCH AND RESCUE, EMERGENCY MEDICAL AND EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PROGRAM GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 523 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1459
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE NIX

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE "LOOK BACK" PERIOD FOR REPEAT DWI OFFENDERS FROM FIVE YEARS TO TEN YEARS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1459 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1463

As Engrossed: H2/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES GREENBERG AND *REYNOLDS*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE FINANCIAL ASSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONMUNICIPAL DOMESTIC SEWAGE TREATMENT WORKS AND FACILITIES IN CHRONIC NONCOMPLIANCE IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1463 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1464

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE NICKELS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MINIMUM WAGE TO PARALLEL THE FEDERAL MINIMUM WAGE LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1464 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1488
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CARTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF PARTIES IN AN ASSET FORFEITURE ACTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1488 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1549
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MOORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY TIME LIMITATIONS ON AN ASSESSMENT OR A REFUND OF INCOME TAX AFTER A TAXPAYER RECEIVES A CORRECTION OR CHANGE IN THE AMOUNT OF TAXABLE INCOME FROM THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE; TO CLARIFY WHAT ISSUES MAY BE INCLUDED IN AN ASSESSMENT OR REFUND MADE AFTER A CORRECTION OF INCOME BY THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1549 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1551
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MAXWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS BLUE RIBBON COMMITTEE ON HIGHWAY FINANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1551 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1558
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE BUREAU OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH SHALL AVOID ALL REFERENCES TO INDIVIDUALS WITH MENTAL RETARDATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1558 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1008
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LEA AND OVERBEY
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING CPL. BLAKE WILSON OF RUSSELLVILLE, ARKANSAS, ON HIS SELECTION AS THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF STATE TROOPERS 2008 NATIONAL TROOPER OF THE YEAR.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1008 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 45 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 121 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 267 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1339

As Engrossed: H2/3/09 H2/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES COOPER, DAVENPORT & TYLER

BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADOPT THE AGREEMENT AMONG THE STATES TO ELECT THE PRESIDENT BY NATIONWIDE POPULAR VOTE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1339 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 524

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1240 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 524 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 525
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR ARKANSAS MINIMUM WAGE LAW ENFORCEMENT BY THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 89 OF 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 525 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 526
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE DIVISION OF LEGISLATIVE AUDIT OF THE LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 526 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 527

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR COMMUNITY GRANTS - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 527 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 528

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 528 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 529
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 529 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 530
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENTS PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 530 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 531
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND RAPE CRISIS CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 531 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 532
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FOR COUNTY HOSPITAL GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 532 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 533
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES FOR ARKANSAS JUVENILE ASSESSMENT AND TREATMENT CENTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 533 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 534
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PROPERTY TAXES ON PROPERTY OWNED BY A MARINA AND OPERATED UNDER A LEASE AGREEMENT WITH THE UNITED STATES ARMY CORPS OF ENGINEERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 534 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 535
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 535 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED
SENATE BILL NO. 40
SENATE BILL NO. 258
SENATE BILL NO. 259
SENATE BILL NO. 320
SENATE BILL NO. 321
SENATE BILL NO. 380
SENATE BILL NO. 392
SENATE BILL NO. 432

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1222
HOUSE BILL NO. 1391

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1019 AS AMENDED NO. 2
HOUSE BILL NO. 1397 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 45

SENATE BILL NO. 121

SENATE BILL NO. 267

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1339

HOUSE BILL NO. 1459

HOUSE BILL NO. 1463

HOUSE BILL NO. 1464

HOUSE BILL NO. 1488

HOUSE BILL NO. 1549

HOUSE BILL NO. 1551

HOUSE BILL NO. 1558

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1008

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Thursday, February 26, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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FORTY-SIXTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

February 26, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 11:00 o'clock a.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Faris.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 488 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 488

Amend Senate Bill No. 488 as originally introduced:
Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"AN ACT FOR THE NORTH ARKANSAS COLLEGE - CAMPUS CENTER CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATION, AND CAMPUS TOWER ENERGY UPGRADES GENERAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. KEY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 488 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 488, BY SENATORS KEY AND LAVERTY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 488 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Laverty, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of recognizing Development Disability Providers Association and, in particular, the following: Sarah Israel, legal counsel; Dusty Maxwell; former Senator Jean Edwards; Eddie Lopez from Jonesboro; Ashley Williams of Little Rock; Pat Long of Hot Springs; Christina Thomas of Conway; McCool triplets of Pine Bluff; Michael Duncan of Hope; Tom Purvis of El Dorado; Jerry Grigg of Fort Smith and Jerry Stout of Fort Smith who is the Direct Support Professional (DSP) with Bost, Inc.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Faris, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of recognizing Future Farmers of America and, in particular, Nessie Early, National Secretary of FFA who was presented with a citation.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 379, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 445, BY SENATOR J. TAYLOR,
SENATE BILL NO. 448, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1404, BY REPRESENTATIVE WEBB,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1421, BY REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 110, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 372, BY SENATOR HENDREN,
SENATE BILL NO. 465, BY SENATOR BAKER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1343, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. BROWN,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1026, BY REPRESENTATIVE G. SMITH,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1 and No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 403, BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1430, BY REPRESENTATIVE HOYT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1442, BY REPRESENTATIVE PYLE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1457, BY REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1467, BY REPRESENTATIVE EVERETT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON
CHAIRMAN

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

February 26, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on February 26, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 028, - ACT 247,
Senate Bill No. 060, - ACT 248,
Senate Bill No. 061, - ACT 249,
Senate Bill No. 066, - ACT 250,
Senate Bill No. 071, - ACT 251,
Senate Bill No. 074, - ACT 252,
Senate Bill No. 094, - ACT 253,
Senate Bill No. 097, - ACT 254,
Senate Bill No. 116, - ACT 255,
Senate Bill No. 117, - ACT 256,
Senate Bill No. 118, - ACT 257,
Senate Bill No. 119, - ACT 258,
Senate Bill No. 186, - ACT 259,
Senate Bill No. 188, - ACT 260,
Senate Bill No. 202, - ACT 261,
Senate Bill No. 254, - ACT 262,
Senate Bill No. 382, - ACT 263,
Senate Bill No. 383, - ACT 264,
Senate Bill No. 384, - ACT 265,
Senate Bill No. 385, - ACT 266,
Senate Bill No. 386, - ACT 267,
Senate Bill No. 387, - ACT 268,
Senate Bill No. 388, - ACT 269,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 45, BY SENATOR TAYLOR,
SENATE BILL NO. 121, BY SENATOR THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 267, BY SENATOR BRYLES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:15 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 45
SENATE BILL NO.121
SENATE BILL NO. 267

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 26th day of February, 2009 at 10:15 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J. D. Lowery
Secretary

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 252 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 252

Amend Senate Bill No. 252 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 25 through 35 and substitute the following language:

"Section 1. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 18, Subchapter 2 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

6-18-230. Minimum age for enrolling in prekindergarten.

(a)(1) For the 2009-2010 school year:

(A) A child may enter a prekindergarten program for children three (3) years of age if the child will attain three (3) years of age on or before August 1,2009; and

(B) A child may enter a prekindergarten program for children four (4) years of age if:

(i) The child will attain four (4) years of age on or before August 15, 2009; or

(ii) The child was enrolled in a prekindergarten program for children three (3) years of age for a minimum of one hundred (100) days during the 2008-2009 school year.

(2) For the 2010-2011 school year and each school year thereafter:

(A) A child may enter a prekindergarten program for children three (3) years of age if the child will attain three (3) years of age on or before August 1 immediately preceding the beginning of the school year; and

(B) A child may enter a prekindergarten program for children four (4) years of age if the child will attain four (4) years of age on or before August 1 immediately preceding the beginning of the school year.

(b)(1) The Division of Child Care and Early Childhood Education of the Department of Human Services shall notify all providers of appropriate early childhood programs for prekindergarten of the age requirements specified in subsection (a) of this section by providing one (1) written notification letter sent to each provider of appropriate early childhood programs for prekindergarten at the address of record on file with the Department of Human Services.

(2) The prekindergarten age requirements specified in subsection (a) of this section shall be published on the website of the:

(A) Department of Human Services; and

(B) Department of Education."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 36.

(SIGNED) SENATOR D. JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 252 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 330 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 330

Amend Senate Bill No. 330 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 4 through 8 and substitute:

"(d)(1)(A) If the proposed adoptive family has not completed the adoptive home study process, including the required criminal background check, the newborn shall be placed in a foster home that is licensed and approved under § 9-28-401 et seq. or in the custody of the department.

(B) The newborn shall remain in a licensed or approved foster home or in the custody of the department until the required home study and criminal background checks are completed on the proposed adoptive parents."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 16 through 23 and substitute:

"(e)(1)(A) If the mother wishes for a relative to adopt her newborn, the newborn shall be placed in a foster home that is licensed and approved under § 9-28-401 et seq. or in the custody of the department unless the relative has a completed approved adoptive home study at the time placement is needed.

(B) If a home study has not been completed on the relative, an adoptive home study shall be completed on the proposed relative if the proposed relative is an appropriate placement for the newborn."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BLEDSOE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 330 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wilkinson, House Bill No. 1479 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1479

Amend House Bill No. 1479 as engrossed, H2/20/09:
Add Representative Maloch as cosponsor of the bill

AND

Add the following Senators as cosponsors of the bill:
Senators G. Baker, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Luker, Madison, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Whitaker, D. Wyatt

(SIGNED) SENATOR WILKINSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1479 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1338 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1338

Amend House Bill No. 1338 as originally introduced:
Page 2, delete lines 8 through 36

AND

Page 3, delete lines 1 through 10 and substitute the following:

"~~(B) Is under indictment or has been formally charged for a crime punishable by imprisonment for a term exceeding one (1) year;~~

~~(C)~~(B) Is a fugitive from justice;

~~(D)~~(C) Is an unlawful user of or addicted to any controlled substance; ~~or~~

~~(E)~~(D) Has been adjudicated as having a mental disease or defect or has been committed to an institution or residential treatment facility because of a mental disease or defect ~~mentally incompetent.~~;

(E) Is under twenty-one (21) years of age;

(F) Is an alien, other than an alien who is:

(i) Lawfully admitted for permanent residence as defined in 8 U.S.C. § 1101(a)(20), as it existed on January 1, 2009;

(ii) In lawful nonimmigrant status, a refugee admitted under 8 U.S.C. § 1157, as it existed on January 1, 2009, or in asylum status under 8 U.S.C. § 1158, as it existed on January 1, 2009, and either:

(a) A foreign law enforcement officer of a friendly foreign government, as determined by the Secretary of State under 18 U.S.C. § 842, entering the United States on official law enforcement business, and the distribution of explosive material is in furtherance of this official law enforcement business; or

(b) A person having the power to direct or cause the direction of the management and policies of a corporation, partnership, or association licensed under 18 U.S.C. § 843, as it existed on January 1, 2009, and the distribution of explosive material is in furtherance of the person's power;

(iii) A member of a North Atlantic Treaty Organization or other friendly foreign military force, as determined by the Attorney General of the United States in consultation with the Secretary of Defense under 18 U.S.C. § 842, who is present in the United States under military orders for training or other military purpose authorized by the United States and distribution of explosive material is in furtherance of the military orders for training or authorized military purpose; or

(iv) Lawfully present in the United States in cooperation with the Director of the Central Intelligence Agency, and the distribution of explosive material is in furtherance of the cooperation;

(G) Has been dishonorably discharged from any branch of the United States armed forces; or

(H) Has renounced his or her United States citizenship."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 27 through 36

AND

Page 4, delete lines 1 through 30 and substitute the following:

"(B) Is a fugitive from justice;

(C) Is an unlawful user of or addicted to any controlled substance;

(D) Has been adjudicated to have a mental disease or defect or has been committed to an institution or residential treatment facility because of a mental disease or defect;

(E) Is under twenty-one (21) years of age;

(F) Is an alien, other than an alien who is:

(i) Lawfully admitted for permanent residence as defined in 8 U.S.C. § 1101(a)(20), as it existed on January 1, 2009; or

(ii) In lawful nonimmigrant status, a refugee admitted under 8 U.S.C. § 1157, as it existed on January 1, 2009, or in asylum status under 8 U.S.C. § 1158, as it existed on January 1, 2009, and either:

(a) A foreign law enforcement officer of a friendly foreign government, as determined by the Secretary of State under 18 U.S.C. § 842, entering the United States on official law enforcement business, and the receipt or possession of the explosive material is in furtherance of this official law enforcement business; or

(b) A person having the power to direct or cause the direction of the management and policies of a corporation, partnership, or association licensed under 18 U.S.C. § 843, as it existed on January 1, 2009, and the receipt or possession of the explosive material is in furtherance of the person's power;

(iii) A member of a North Atlantic Treaty Organization or other friendly foreign military force, as determined by the Attorney General of the United States in consultation with the Secretary of Defense under 18 U.S.C. § 842, who is present in the United States under military orders for training or other military purpose authorized by the United States, and the receipt or possession of the explosive material is in furtherance of the military orders for training or authorized military purpose; or

(iv) Lawfully present in the United States in cooperation with the Director of the Central Intelligence Agency, and the receipt or possession of the explosive material is in furtherance of the cooperation;

(G) Has been dishonorably discharged from any branch of the United States armed forces; or

(H) Has renounced his or her United States citizenship."

(SIGNED) SENATOR THOMPSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1338 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 1057 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1057

Amend House Bill No. 1057 as originally introduced:

Add Senators Elliott and Bledsoe as cosponsors of the bill:

AND

Page 1, delete line 22 through 35 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 9-27-352(d), concerning juvenile safety plans, is amended to read as follows:

(d)(1) When a court orders that a juvenile have a safety plan that restricts or requires supervised contact with another juvenile or juveniles as it relates to the safety of a student, the court shall direct that a copy of the safety plan and a copy of the court order regarding the safety plan concerning student safety be provided to the school principal and superintendent ~~and school counselor~~ where the juvenile is enrolled.

(2) When a court order amends or removes ~~any~~ a safety plan outlined in subdivision (d)(1) of this section, the court shall direct that a copy of the safety plan and a copy of the court order regarding the safety plan be provided to the school principal and superintendent ~~and school counselor~~ where the juvenile is enrolled.

(3)(A) A superintendent may provide verbal notification only to school officials as necessary to implement the safety plan ordered by the court to ensure student safety.

(B) The verbal notification shall be provided to:

(i) Assistant principal(s);

(ii) School counselor(s);

(iii) School employee(s) who is primarily responsible for the juvenile's learning environment in the school where the juvenile is currently enrolled; and

(iv) Bus drivers, if applicable.

(4) The principal and superintendent shall maintain a copy of the court order or information concerning the court order and safety plan under this section.

~~(3)~~(5) Any ~~local educational agency~~ school official that receives a court order ~~outlined in subdivision (d)(1) or subdivision (d)(2) of~~ or information concerning the court order and safety plan under this ~~section~~ subsection (d) shall:

(A) ~~Keep the information confidential~~ Maintain the confidentiality of and sign a statement not to disclose the information or court order and safety plan;

(B) Include the information in the juvenile's permanent educational records; and

(C)(i) Treat the information and documentation contained in the court order as education records under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, 20 U.S.C. § 1232g, as it existed on January 1, 2007.

(ii) The local education agency shall not release, disclose, or make available the information and documentation contained in the court order for inspection to any party except as permitted under the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, 20 U.S.C. § 1232g, as it existed on January 1, 2007.

(iii) However, under no circumstances shall the local education agency release, disclose, or make available for inspection to the public, any college, university, institution of higher learning, vocational or trade school, or any past, present, or future employer of the student the court order or safety plan portion of a student record.

~~(4)~~(6) When a student attains an age that he or she is no longer under the jurisdiction of the juvenile court, the safety plan and the order regarding the safety plan shall be removed from the school's permanent records and destroyed.

SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that safety of students is of paramount importance to the state; that knowledge of juvenile safety plans are required by court order, the juvenile's school district must be made aware to ensure the safety of all students; and that this act is immediately necessary to allow school districts to address safety concerns in the schools as quickly and efficiently as possible. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or

(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1057 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1038 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1038

Amend House Bill No. 1038 as originally introduced:

Page 1, add Representatives Cash, T. Baker, Hobbs, Lea, M. Martin, Pyle, Rice, Wagner, and B. Wilkins as co-sponsors to the bill.

AND

Page 1, add Senator D. Johnson as lead sponsor and Senator H. Wilkins as co-sponsor to the bill. Senator Broadway should remain as co-sponsor to the bill.

AND

Page 1, delete lines 30-32 and substitute:

"(2) Violation of an order of protection under this section is a Class D felony if:

(A) The offense is committed within five (5) years of a previous conviction for violation of an order of protection under this section;

(B) The order of protection was issued after a hearing of which the person received actual notice and at which the person had an opportunity to participate; and

(C) The facts constituting the violation on their own merit satisfy the elements of any felony offense or misdemeanor offense, not including an offense provided for in this section."

AND

Page 3, delete line 6 and substitute "whether or not the violation ~~was in or outside~~ occurred in the presence of the"

AND

Page 3, line 13, insert a new Section 3 to read as follows:

"SECTION 3. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that domestic violence is on the rise and poses a danger to the public; that increasing the penalty for repeat offenders aids both law enforcement and the victims of domestic violence and that this act is immediately necessary because current enforcement and prosecution will be greatly aided by the new, more serious penalties for those persons who repeatedly violate orders of protection. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or

(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

(SIGNED) SENATOR D. JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1038 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 225 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 225 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 225

Amend Senate Bill No. 225 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 35, delete "worker;" and substitute "worker; and"

AND

Page 1, line 36, delete "worker;" and substitute "worker."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 4 entirely

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE HOBBS

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 225, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Pritchard, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 225 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 225

As Engrossed: H2/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOBBS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE JOB CLASSIFICATIONS OF EMPLOYEES OF STATE AGENCIES OR DEPARTMENTS WHO PROVIDE FAMILY SERVICES, SOCIAL SERVICES, OR ADULT PROTECTIVE SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 225 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 225 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 59 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 59 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 59

Amend Senate Bill No. 59 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 1 and substitute "general election for nonpartisan judicial offices held on the same dates and at the same times and places as the preferential primary election to take office on January 1, 2011."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 59, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Madison, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 59 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 59

As Engrossed: H2/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS MADISON, B. PRITCHARD, HENDREN & WHITAKER

BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. SMITH, BARNETT, HOBBS, HOUSE, D. HUTCHINSON, KING, LINDSEY, RAGLAND, SLINKARD & SUMMERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A NEW CIRCUIT JUDGESHIP IN THE FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 59 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 59 was ordered enrolled.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Steele, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of discussion and questions on Senate Bill 315.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 315 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 315

As Engrossed: S/2/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR STEELE

BY: REPRESENTATIVES SHELBY, *ALLEN*, *BLOUNT, CARROLL, CASH, CHEATHAM*, *COLE, J. EDWARDS, FLOWERS, R. GREEN, HOUSE, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, W. LEWELLEN, LOWERY, MCCRARY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, REEP, J. ROEBUCK, SAUNDERS, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB & WILLIAMS*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE TRAUMA SYSTEM ACT, § 20-13-801 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 315 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Altes spoke against the Bill.

Senator Steele closed for his Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 32

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bryles, Whitaker, H. Wilkins.

Total 3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....32

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 315, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 32

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bryles, Whitaker, H. Wilkins.

Total 3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 32

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 315 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 113 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 113

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 20, CHAPTER 22, SUBCHAPTER 6 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE; CONCERNING FIRE EXTINGUISHERS, FIXED FIRE PROTECTION SYSTEMS, AND FIRE PROTECTION SPRINKLER SYSTEMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

On motion of Senator Smith Senate Bill No. 113 was pulled down at this time.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 307 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 307

As Engrossed: S2/17/09 S2/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT FROM LICENSURE THOSE ADULT DAY CARE CENTERS THAT CARE FOR IMPAIRED ADULTS FOR PERIODS OF FOUR (4) OR LESS HOURS PER DAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 307 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 307 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 364 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 364
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE CLOSURE OF BUSINESSES THAT FAIL TO REPORT OR REMIT STATE WITHHOLDING TAXES FOR THREE MONTHS DURING A TWENTY-FOUR CONSECUTIVE MONTH PERIOD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 364 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 364, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 364 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 335 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 335

As Engrossed: S2/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

BY: REPRESENTATIVE PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE PROCESS OF FILLING AN ALDERMANIC VACANCY IN A CITY OF THE FIRST CLASS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 335 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 335 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 452 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 452 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 344 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 344 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 226 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 226

Amend Senate Bill No. 226 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Saunders as a cosponsor of the bill
AND

Page 1, line 22, delete "Each" and substitute "For school years 2009-2010 and 2010-2011, each"

AND

Page 1, delete line 33 and substitute the following:
"of Arkansas Public Schools and School Districts.

(4)(A) There is created an advisory committee to review the impact of this subsection (d) during the 2009-2010 and 2010-2011 school years on the coordination of academic, extracurricular, and athletic school activities, and on state tourism.

(B) The advisory committee shall be composed of eight (8) members, as follows:

(i) The Commissioner of Education or his or her designee;

(ii) The Director of the Department of Higher Education or his or her designee;

(iii) The Director of the Department of Parks and Tourism or his or her designee;

(iv) The Executive Director of the Arkansas Hospitality Association or his or her designee;

(v) The Executive Director of the Arkansas Activities Association or his or her designee;

(vi) The Executive Director of the Arkansas Association of Educational Administrators or his or her designee;

(vii) The Executive Director of the Arkansas Education Association or his or her designee; and

(viii) The Executive Director of the Arkansas School Boards Association or his or her designee.

(C) The commissioner or his designee shall serve as chair of the advisory committee.

(D) The advisory committee shall meet upon the call of the chair but at least annually at a location designated by the chair.

(E) By August 1, 2010, and by August 1, 2011, the advisory committee shall report to the Senate Committee on Education and the House Committee on Education any findings and recommendations of the advisory committee for the impact of this section on the coordination of academic, extracurricular, and athletic school activities, and on state tourism.

(F) The advisory committee's work shall end upon the filing of the August 1, 2011, report, unless the Senate Committee on Education or the House Committee on Education requests further study by the advisory committee.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BROADWAY

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 226 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Bill No. 360 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 360
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE PROCEDURE FOR SEALING CRIMINAL RECORDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 360 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 360 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Bill No. 444 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 444

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS LUKER, ELLIOTT, FARIS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, MADISON & T. SMITH

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARRELSON, CASH, FLOWERS, GARNER, HARDY, HOUSE, POWERS, RAINEY, L. SMITH, TYLER, WILLS & WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW MERITORIOUS GOOD TIME FOR PERSONS SENTENCED UNDER THE SEVENTY-PERCENT RULE REGARDLESS OF THE DATE OF THE OFFENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 444 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 444 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Bill No. 296 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 296 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Luker.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 395 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 395 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Faris.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 346 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 346
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE OMNIBUS DWI ACT TO PROVIDE THAT A PERSON ARRESTED FOR OPERATING OR BEING IN ACTUAL PHYSICAL CONTROL OF A MOTOR VEHICLE WHILE INTOXICATED BY A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE OR A PERSON WHO REFUSES TO SUBMIT TO A CHEMICAL TEST IS INELIGIBLE FOR AN IGNITION INTERLOCK RESTRICTED DRIVING PERMIT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 346 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 346 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 322 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 322
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE SALE AND USE TAX LAWS TO BE CONSISTENT WITH THE STREAMLINED SALES TAX AGREEMENT; TO CLARIFY THAT A WITHDRAWAL FROM STOCK IS SUBJECT TO SALES AND USE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 322 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 27

NEGATIVE: J. Key, B. Pritchard.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway, Bryles, Glover, P. Malone, Steele, H. Wilkins.

Total 6

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....29

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 322, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 27

NEGATIVE: J. Key, B. Pritchard.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway, Bryles, Glover, P. Malone, Steele, H. Wilkins.

Total 6

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 29

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 322 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 95 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 95
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE ARKANSAS FLOODPLAIN MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION FROM THE GROSS RECEIPTS AND USE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 95 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 95 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, Senate Bill No. 343 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 343

As Engrossed: S2/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CONFRONT DISPARITIES IN HEALTH AND LENGTH OF LIFE AMONG CITIZENS OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 343 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 343 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 401 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 401
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HYDE, M. MARTIN & GLIDEWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE STATE BOARD OF HEALTH TO ALLOW THE USE OF A HARVESTED RAINWATER SYSTEM FOR A NONPOTABLE PURPOSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 401 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 401 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Bill No. 1427 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1427
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES INGRAM AND HALL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXTEND IMMUNITY TO CERTAIN DENTAL RESIDENTS AND FACULTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1427 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1427 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1213 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1213

As Engrossed: S2/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE PATTERSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND AND CLARIFY VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS RESIDENTIAL-LANDLORD TENANT ACT OF 2007 THAT CONCERN LANDLORD REMEDIES AND EVICTION PROCEEDINGS; FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1213 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1213 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 1316 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1316
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES T. BAKER, OVERBEY, PYLE & REEP

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 26-75-602 TO ADD CERTAIN RENTALS TO THE LIST OF AUTHORIZED MUNICIPAL SALES AND USE TAXES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1316 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 32

NEGATIVE: Altes, B. Pritchard, Trusty.

Total 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1316 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Glover, House Bill No. 1428 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1428
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOYT AND PYLE
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 6-13-628 TO REMOVE THE EXCEPTION FOR SCHOOLS IN SMALL COMMUNITIES FROM LAWS PROHIBITING THE SELLING OF SUPPLIES AND FURNISHINGS TO A SCHOOL DISTRICT BY A MEMBER OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1428 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1428 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Glover, House Bill No. 1429 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1429
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOYT AND PYLE
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE A STATEMENT REGARDING COMPLIANCE WITH ETHICAL GUIDELINES BE INCLUDED IN A STATUTORILY REQUIRED AUDIT OF AN EDUCATIONAL INSTUTITION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1429 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1429 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 1344 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 1344
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOVELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT AN ASSESSMENT ADJUSTMENT BY THE COUNTY BOARD OF EQUALIZATION IS APPLICABLE ONLY TO THE YEAR THE ASSESSMENT WAS MADE; TO ALLOW THE APPEAL OF A DECISION OF THE BOARD WHEN THE PETITIONER FAILED TO APPEAR THROUGH NO FAULT OF THE PETIONER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1344 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1344 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1345 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1345
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOVELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN ALTERNATIVE DATE FOR THE ASSESSMENT OF TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1345 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1345 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1346 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1346
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOVELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REMOVE THE REQUIREMENT FOR THE COMPLETION OF AN ORIGINAL VALUATION OF NEWLY DISCOVERED AND NEWLY CONSTRUCTED PERSONAL PROPERTY BY JULY 1; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1346 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1346 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 328 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 328

Amend Senate Bill No. 328 as originally introduced:

Page 3, line 36, delete "19" and substitute "22"

And

Page 4, line 25, delete "623" and substitute "626"

And

Page 7, line 3, delete "$ 1,540,114" and substitute "$ 1,623,688"

And

Page 7, line 5, delete "587,238" and substitute "618,760"

And

Page 7, line 15, delete "$ 3,746,572" and substitute "$ 3,861,668"

And

Page 23, line 34, delete "$ 5,500,000" and substitute "$ 11,000,000"

(SIGNED) SENATOR G. BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 328 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 404 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 404

As Engrossed: S2/24/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO OTHER APPROPRIATIONS MADE BY THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO PAY THE ARKANSAS STATE CLAIMS COMMISSION – APPROVED CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 404 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 404, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 404 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

SENATE BILL NO. 536
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE RATE OF TAX FOR ALCOPOPS; TO PROHIBIT THE SALE OF ALCOPOPS AT GROCERY AND CONVENIENCE STORES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 536 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 537
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BARNET, SLINKARD & SUMMERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE NORTHWEST TECHNICAL INSTITUTE FOR ACQUIRING, CONSTRUCTING, RENOVATING, EQUIPPING, FURNISHING, PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 537 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 538
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF CHILD CARE AND EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION FOR GRANTS TO AFTER-SCHOOL LITERACY AND NUTRITION PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 538 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 539
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE OUACHITA TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 539 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 540
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR GARVAN WOODLAND GARDENS IMPROVEMENTS, MAINTENANCE, OPERATING, AND PERSONAL SERVICES EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 540 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 541
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 541 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 542
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT - FORESTRY COMMISSION FOR AACD WORKSHOPS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 542 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 543
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REGARDING CHEMICAL TESTS GIVEN FOR THE OFFENSE OF DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 543 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 544
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SET THE TERMS OF COURT IN THE FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 544 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 545
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE COSSATOT COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPMENT, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION EXPENSES AT THE ASHDOWN CAMPUS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 545 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 546
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE COSSATOT COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPMENT, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION EXPENSES OF THE DE QUEEN CAMPUS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 546 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 547
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE COSSATOT COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPMENT, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 547 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 548
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SAU-TECH FOR GRANTS TO THE TEXARKANA AREA VOCATIONAL CENTER OR AIR POWER SCHOOL FOR CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPMENT, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 548 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 549
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, EQUIPMENT, FURNISHINGS, PERSONAL SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION EXPENSES OF THE TEXARKANA AREA HEALTH EDUCATION CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 549 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 550
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 550 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 551

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE LIGNITE MINERAL INTEREST LAPSE ACT OF 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 551 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 552

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR VIOLENCE AND INTERVENTION PROGRAM GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 552 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 553
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 553 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 554
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR CONSTRUCTING AND EQUIPPING THE WINTHROP PAUL ROCKEFELLER ARKANSAS STATE POLICE HALL OF HONOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 554 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 555
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - ARCHEOLOGICAL SURVEY FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR ARCHEOLOGY SURVEY STATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 555 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 556
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 556 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 557

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR HENDREN

BY: REPRESENTATIVES SLINKARD, SUMMERS & CARNINE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR FEASIBILITY STUDY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 557 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 558

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 558 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 559
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIC FACILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING EXPENSES AND PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT FOR A SCHOOL BUS SAFETY EQUIPMENT GRANT PILOT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 559 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 560
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 560 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 561
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 561 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 562
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM - ARKANSAS HISTORY COMMISSION - BLACK HISTORY COMMISSION FOR THE CURTIS H. SYKES MEMORIAL GRANT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 562 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 563
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. HUTCHINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING GRANDPARENT AND GREAT-GRANDPARENT VISITATION RIGHTS SUBSEQUENT TO THE ADOPTION OF THE CHILD BY A STEPPARENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 563 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 564
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS ALTES AND B. PRITCHARD
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GLIDEWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO DISALLOW THE RENEWAL OF A DRIVER'S LICENSE UNTIL ALL OUTSTANDING WARRANTS HAVE BEEN DISPOSED OF IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 564 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 565
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 565 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 566
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR JOB TRAINING GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 566 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 567
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR COUNTY REIMBURSEMENT FOR JURORS FOR THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1264 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 567 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 568
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC DEFENDER COMMISSION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1223 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 568 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 569
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND FOR DESIGN, SURVEY, CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPPING AND OTHER ASSOCIATED COSTS FOR A TRACK AND FIELD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 569 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 570
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 570 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 571

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT FOR GRANTS FOR EMERGENCY SERVICES PROVIDERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 571 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 572

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECT GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 572 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 573
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR CONSTRUCTING AND EQUIPPING THE WINTHROP PAUL ROCKEFELLER ARKANSAS STATE POLICE HALL OF HONOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 573 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 574
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR MATHEMATICS, SCIENCES, AND THE ARTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 574 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 575

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR FIRE PROTECTION GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 575 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 576

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR SHELTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 576 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 577
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR HOSPICE AND SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 577 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 578
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY PROGRAM GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 578 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 579
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE NORTH ARKANSAS COLLEGE - BERRYVILLE CAMPUS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 579 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 580
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR A GRANT TO THE ARKANSAS SCIENCE FAIR ASSOCIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING EXPENSES, SCHOLARSHIPS, PRIZES AND PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 580 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 581
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ACT 37 OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF 2009, ARKANSAS HOME INSPECTOR REGISTRATION BOARD APPROPRIATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 581 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 582
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO LEVY AN ASSESSMENT FEE ON HOSPITALS TO IMPROVE HEALTH CARE ACCESS FOR THE CITIZENS OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 582 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 583
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR INTENSIVE EARLY INTERVENTION INDIVIDUALIZED THERAPY SERVICES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 583 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 584
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF STATE OF ARKANSAS ENERGY COST SAVINGS PROJECTS GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS BY THE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY IN A TOTAL PRINCIPAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED THREE HUNDRED MILLION DOLLARS ($300,000,000), IN ONE OR MORE SERIES FROM TIME TO TIME, FOR THE PURPOSE OF FINANCING GUARANTEED ENERGY COST SAVINGS PROJECTS FOR STATE AGENCIES; TO SUBMIT THE QUESTION OF ISSUANCE OF THE BONDS TO A STATEWIDE ELECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 584 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 585
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR WATER AND SEWER IMPROVEMENT GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 585 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET .

SENATE BILL NO. 586
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 586 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 587
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR COMMUNITY GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 587 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 588

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY PROGRAM GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 588 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 589

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 589 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 590
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 590 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 591
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 591 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 592
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 592 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 593
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 593 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 594
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 594 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 595
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROCEDURES FOR REMOVAL OF A PERSON'S NAME FROM THE CHILD MALTREATMENT CENTRAL REGISTRY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 595 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 596
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REGARDING DRUG COURT COSTS AND FEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 596 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 597
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM - ARKANSAS HISTORY COMMISSION FOR SUPPORT TO THE BLACK HISTORY COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 597 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 598
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 598 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 599

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 599 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 600

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION GRANTS AND ASSISTANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 600 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 601
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR CLINTON SCHOOL OF PUBLIC SERVICE SCHOLARSHIPS, OPERATIONS AND EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 601 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 602
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR ARCHEOLOGICAL SURVEY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 602 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 226, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 252, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,

SENATE BILL NO. 330, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1038, BY REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1038 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1057, BY REPRESENTATIVE HOBBS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1338, BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERCE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1479, BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 328, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 328 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Senate Bill No. 128 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 288 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 355 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 359 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 392 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1359
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF THE SURETY BOND REQUIRED TO BE POSTED WITH THE STATE PLANT BOARD BY AN APPLICANT FOR A TERMITE AND OTHER STRUCTURAL PESTS LICENSE; TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF INSURANCE REQUIRED TO BE HELD BY AN APPLICANT FOR A TERMITE AND OTHER STRUCTURAL PESTS LICENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1359 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1384
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCLEAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE AUTHORITY OF A FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT TO BORROW FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1384 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1398
As Engrossed: H2/18/09 H2/23/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES POWERS, PENNARTZ, HARRELSON, REYNOLDS, *BLOUNT, CASH, COLE, COOK, DAVENPORT, GLIDEWELL, HOUSE, LINDSEY, NICKELS, RAINEY, J. ROEBUCK, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, WEBB & WILLIAMS*
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE DISTRICT COURT FILING FEES; ESTABLISH ADDITIONAL PILOT STATE DISTRICT COURT JUDGESHIPS; CONSOLIDATE CITY COURTS WITH DISTRICT COURTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1398 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1402
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS CIGARETTE FIRE SAFETY STANDARD ACT; CONCERNING THE REDUCED IGNITION PROPENSITY STANDARDS FOR CIGARETTES SOLD IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; TO CREATE THE CIGARETTE FIRE SAFETY STANDARD FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1402 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1422
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE ADDITIONAL DEDUCTIONS FROM THE PAYROLLS OF STATE EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1422 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1443
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PYLE AND HOYT
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT THE ANNUAL COUNTY FINANCIAL REPORT INCLUDE A STATEMENT OF SHORT-TERM INDEBTEDNESS OF THE COUNTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1443 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1444
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PYLE AND HOYT
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT ALL DISBURSEMENTS OF MUNICIPAL FUNDS HAVE ADEQUATE SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1444 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1445

As Engrossed: H2/18/09 H2/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES PYLE AND HOYT

BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO REMOVE THE REQUIREMENT THAT LEGISLATIVE AUDIT DISPOSITION REPORTS BE FILED WITH THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1445 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1453

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE TYLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR TO SEEK RECOVERY OF UNLAWFULLY COLLECTED FEES UNDER THE ARKANSAS PRIVATE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1453 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1465
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE T. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO UPDATE PROCEDURES FOR VIOLATIONS OF COUNTY ORDINANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1465 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1468
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SLINKARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE DESIGNATION OF THE PREPARER OF COUNTY TAX BOOKS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1468 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1469
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SLINKARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE COUNTY CLERKS' COST FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1469 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1477
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE CERTAIN FEES OF THE COMMISSION ON WATER WELL CONSTRUCTION; TO PROVIDE FOR NEW CATEGORIES OF LICENSE AND REGISTRATION FEES TO BE COLLECTED BY THE COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1477 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1553
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES T. BRADFORD, FLOWERS, WORD, MAXWELL & RAINEY
BY: SENTAORS H. WILKINS AND J. TAYLOR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENHANCE ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES IN RURAL AREAS OF ARKANSAS; TO EXPAND THE OPTIONS FOR CONSTRUCTING AND OPERATING MOTOR VEHICLE RACING FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1553 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1584
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WOODS, M. BURRIS, CARROLL, GEORGE, LEA, NICKELS, NIX, PENNARTZ, RAGLAND, WELLS & WILLIAMS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND A CIVIL SERVICE STATUTE FOR POLICE AND FIRE DEPARTMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1584 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1585
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF KNOWINGLY GIVING, PROCURING, OR FURNISHING ALCOHOL TO A MINOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1585 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1497
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE STATE MILITARY DEPARTMENT FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1497 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1498
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS DEPARTMENT-WIDE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1498 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1499
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1499 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1504
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1504 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1505
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR MAJOR MAINTENANCE AND STATE MOTOR VEHICLE ACQUISITION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1505 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1506
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDARDS AND TRAINING FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1506 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1507
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS CRIME INFORMATION CENTER FOR DB2 CONVERSION AND SECURITY OF AGENCY CAPITAL PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1507 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1508
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR VARIOUS MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, EQUIPPING, CONSTRUCTION, ACQUISITION, IMPROVEMENT, UPGRADE AND REPAIR PROJECTS, FLEET ROTATION PLAN, AWIN BUILDING/TOWER REPLACEMENT, AND AWIN ZONE CONTROLLER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1508 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1509
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION FOR MEDICAL SERVICES RISK POOL DEPOSIT, GENERAL MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, EQUIPMENT, AND ROOF REPAIRS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1509 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1510
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION FOR MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, REPAIR, EQUIPPING, ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENT, EXPANSION, LEASE PAYMENTS, MEDICAL SERVICES RISK POOL DEPOSIT, NORTHWEST ARKANSAS WORK RELEASE CENTER, VARIOUS INDUSTRY AND FARM PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1510 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1511
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1511 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1512
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1512 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1513
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1513 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1514
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE CROWLEY'S RIDGE TECHNICAL INSTITUTE FOR MAJOR MAINTENANCE OR REPAIR OF EXISTING FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1514 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1515
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE NORTHWEST TECHNICAL INSTITUTE FOR MAJOR MAINTENANCE OR REPAIR OF EXISTING FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1515 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1516
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS FOR PROJECTS FOR ALL STATE-OWNED REAL PROPERTY AND FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1516 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1519
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE APPROPRIATION ACTS OF CERTAIN CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICERS; TO REPEAL ACT 22 OF 2009, THE APPROPRIATION ACT FOR THE PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES OF THE OFFICE OF LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; TO REPEAL ACT 80 OF 2009, THE APPROPRIATION ACT FOR THE PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES AND UNCLAIMED PROPERTY PROGRAM OF THE AUDITOR OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1519 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1548
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1548 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 603
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES - WILDLIFE RECREATION FACILITIES PROGRAM WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 16 OF 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 603 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 604
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE EAST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENTS, EQUIPMENT, RENOVATION, AND MAINTENANCE EXPENSES GENERAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 604 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 605
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE MID-SOUTH COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR MID-SOUTH COMMUNITY COLLEGE - WYNNE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 605 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

February 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 128, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 225, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,
SENATE BILL NO. 59, BY SENATOR MADISON ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 288, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 355, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 359, BY SENATOR MADISON ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 392, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 4:20 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 128
SENATE BILL NO. 225
SENATE BILL NO. 59
SENATE BILL NO. 288
SENATE BILL NO. 355
SENATE BILL NO. 359
SENATE BILL NO. 392

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 26th day of February, 2009 at 4:20 p.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J. D. Lowery
Secretary

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 95
SENATE BILL NO. 307
SENATE BILL NO. 315
SENATE BILL NO. 322
SENATE BILL NO. 335
SENATE BILL NO. 343
SENATE BILL NO. 346
SENATE BILL NO. 360
SENATE BILL NO. 364
SENATE BILL NO. 401
SENATE BILL NO. 404
SENATE BILL NO. 444

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1316
HOUSE BILL NO. 1344
HOUSE BILL NO. 1345
HOUSE BILL NO. 1346
HOUSE BILL NO. 1427
HOUSE BILL NO. 1428
HOUSE BILL NO. 1429

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1213 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 128
SENATE BILL NO. 288
SENATE BILL NO. 355
SENATE BILL NO. 359
SENATE BILL NO. 392

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1359
HOUSE BILL NO. 1384
HOUSE BILL NO. 1398
HOUSE BILL NO. 1402
HOUSE BILL NO. 1422
HOUSE BILL NO. 1443
HOUSE BILL NO. 1444
HOUSE BILL NO. 1445
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1519
HOUSE BILL NO. 1548
HOUSE BILL NO. 1553
HOUSE BILL NO. 1584
HOUSE BILL NO. 1585

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m. Monday, March 2, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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FIFTY-FIRST DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

March 2, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BRYLES, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Wilkinson.

Senator Whitaker requested leave for Senator Capps and Senator Broadway. Leave granted.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 140 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 140

Amend Senate Bill No. 140 as engrossed, S2/18/09:
Page 2, delete line 6 and substitute the following:

"or her retirement.
(3) A member who has retired and commenced receiving benefits in any month between January 2009 and June 2009, inclusive, shall have the one-hundred eighty-day separation requirement waived and may return to employment otherwise covered by the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System no sooner than thirty (30) calendar days from the commencement of his or her retirement."

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 140 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 399 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 399

Amend Senate Bill No. 399 as originally introduced:

Page 3, line 4, delete "for payment" and substitute "for payment of damages and for payment"
AND

Page 3, line 23, delete "(d) The" and substitute "(d)(1) The"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 29 and 30, and substitute the following:
"the land of each owner sought to be appropriated.
(2) The measure of damages shall be the difference in the fair market value of the lands immediately before the access easement is ordered and the fair market value of the lands after the access easement is ordered.
(e) The report shall be ~~recorded on~~ filed with the county clerk for"

AND

Page 5, line 3, delete "expenses accruing" and substitute "expenses, including reasonable attorney's fees and costs, accruing"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 8 through 10, and substitute the following:
"(iii) The petitioner shall be solely responsible for the maintenance of the road established under this subchapter.
(iv) The respondent shall have no responsibility for the maintenance of the road established under this subchapter.
(b) Either party may appeal to the circuit court from the final order"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID WYATT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 399 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 358 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 358

Amend Senate Bill No. 358 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 30, after the word "testing" insert ",including a comprehensive eye examination by an optometrist or an ophthalmologist,"

(SIGNED) SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 358 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 2 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 2

Amend Senate Bill No. 2 as engrossed, S1/29/09 :

Page 2, delete lines 10 through 20 and substitute the following:

"(c)(1) The gross proceeds or gross receipts derived from mini-warehouse and self-storage rental services are subject to this chapter.

(2) Effective July 1, 2011, the gross receipts tax levied on mini-warehouse and self-storage rental services levied under §§ 26-52-301, 26-52-302, and under this section is repealed."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOBBY GLOVER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 2 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bookout, Senate Bill No. 357 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 357

Amend Senate Bill No. 357 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 11 through line 34 and substitute:

"(2)(A) The Director of the Department of Finance and Administration may choose a vendor to provide an online insurance verification system which will comply with the industry standards as recommended by the Insurance Industry Committee for Motor Vehicle Administration (IICMVA) when there are two or more vendors that demonstrate to the department the ability to meet the IICMVA standard.

(i) The department shall notify each insurance company in writing of the chosen vendor. If the insurance company elects to participate in the online insurance verification system that complies with the industry standards, the company may then work with the vendor and the department on an agreeable schedule to convert to the new system.

(ii) If an insurance company elects to participate in the online insurance verification system, then the insurance company will be exempt from providing the report before the seventh (7th) day of each calendar month as the department and law enforcement will be able to obtain data online in real time.

(B) If the director certifies that seventy percent (70%) or more of the motor vehicle insurance policies in effect on a specific date are being accessed according to the industry standards in the online insurance verification system, each insurance company shall provide access to the data through the online insurance verification system.

(C) At the discretion of the department, rules and regulations may be established to offer insurers who write fewer policies an alternative method for reporting insurance policy data."

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL BOOKOUT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 357 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 182 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 182

Amend Senate Bill No. 182 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the Enacting Clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 24-11-410(b), concerning investments in the policemen's pension and relief funds, is amended to read as follows:

(b) ~~All~~ Except as provided in subsection (c) of this section, all securities shall be deposited with the treasurer of the board of trustees of the policemen's pension and relief fund and shall be subject to the order of the board.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 24-11-410(c)(1), concerning investments in the policemen's pension and relief funds, is amended to read as follows:

(c)(1) In those policemen's pension and relief funds in which assets exceed one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000), the board may employ:

(A) ~~an~~ An investment advisor as defined in § 24-10-402(a)(2)(A)(ii) to invest the assets, subject to the terms, conditions, limitations, and restrictions imposed by law upon the Arkansas Local Police and Fire Retirement System, as provided by § 24-10-401 et seq.; and

(B) A trustee or custodian to hold the assets.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 24-11-411 is amended to read as follows:

24-11-411. Payments.

(a) ~~All~~ Except as provided in subsection (c) of this section, all moneys paid from the pension and relief fund shall be paid by the treasurer only upon warrants signed by the chair and countersigned by the secretary thereof.

(b) ~~No~~ Except as provided in subsection (c) of this section, no warrant shall be drawn except by order of the board, and interest accruing from the fund while on deposit or otherwise shall constitute a part of the fund.

(c) In a policemen's pension and relief fund in which the board has employed a trustee or custodian under § 24-11-410(c) to hold the assets, the trustee or custodian may pay benefits to persons and beneficiaries entitled to benefits under the fund as directed by the board.

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 24-11-805(c), concerning investments in the local pension and relief funds, is amended to read as follows:

(c) ~~All~~ Except as provided in subsection (d) of this section, all securities shall be deposited with the treasurer of the board of trustees of the relief and pension fund and shall be subject to the orders of the board.

SECTION 5. Arkansas Code § 24-11-805(d)(1), concerning investments in the local pension and relief funds, is amended to read as follows:

(d)(1) However, in those pension and relief funds in which assets exceed one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000), the board of trustees may employ:

(A) ~~an~~ An investment advisor as defined in § 24-10-402(a) to invest the assets, subject to the terms, conditions, limitations, and restrictions imposed by law upon the system, as provided by § 24-10-401 et seq.; and

(B) A trustee or custodian to hold the assets.

SECTION 6. Arkansas Code § 24-11-806 is amended to read as follows:

24-11-806. Payments generally.

(a) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, payments ~~Payments~~ provided for in this act shall be made monthly upon proper vouchers and in such manner as provided for in other disbursements of the city or town.

(b) In a firemen's relief and pension fund in which the board of trustees of the firemen's relief and pension fund has employed a trustee or custodian under § 24-11-805(d) to hold the assets, the trustee or custodian may pay benefits to persons and beneficiaries entitled to benefits under the fund as directed by the board.

SECTION 7. Arkansas Code § 24-12-109(c)(1), concerning investments of local officers and employees, is amended to read as follows:

(c)(1) In those nonuniformed employees' pension and relief funds in which assets exceed one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000), the board of trustees may employ:

(A) ~~an~~ An investment advisor as defined in § 24-10-402(a)(2)(A)(ii) to invest the assets, subject to the terms, conditions, limitations, and restrictions imposed by law upon the Arkansas Local Police and Fire Retirement System, as provided by §§ 24-10-401 — 24-10-411~~.~~; and

(B) A trustee or custodian to hold the assets.

SECTION 8. Arkansas Code § 24-12-110 is amended to read as follows:

24-12-110. Payments.

(a) ~~All~~ Except as provided in subsection (c) of this section, all moneys paid from the pension and relief fund shall be paid by the treasurer only upon warrants signed by the chair and countersigned by the secretary thereof.

(b) ~~No~~ Except as provided in subsection (c) of this section, no warrant shall be drawn except by the order of the board, and interest accruing from the fund, while on deposit or otherwise, shall constitute a part of the fund.

(c) In a pension and relief fund in which the board has employed a trustee or custodian under § 24-12-109(c) to hold the assets, the trustee or custodian may pay benefits to persons and beneficiaries entitled to benefits under the fund as directed by the board.

SECTION 9. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that the statutes relating to payments from the local pension and relief funds need amending in order for the investments of the assets in the local pension and relief funds to be consistent with the practicalities of the market. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or

(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 182 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 161 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 161

Amend Senate Bill No. 161 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the Enacting Clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 24-4-601(d)(1) and (2), concerning straight life annuity for the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System, is amended to read as follows:

(d)(1) In addition, if a member has credited service resulting from employment in a position covered at any time by social security or another federal retirement plan supported wholly or in part by employer contributions, and if that member is retiring as provided in subsection (b) of this section or § 24-4-510, and if that member's age at retirement is younger than social security's minimum age for an immediate unreduced retirement benefit and age ~~sixty-two (62)~~ sixty-five (65), then that member of the system shall receive a temporary annuity equal to thirty-three hundredths percent (0.33%) of his or her final average compensation for each year of the noncontributory credited service.

(2) The temporary annuity shall terminate at the end of the calendar month in which the earliest of the following events occurs:

(A) The member's death;

(B) The member's attainment of the social security minimum age; or

(C) The member's attainment of age ~~sixty-two (62)~~ sixty-five (65)."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 161 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 354 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 354

Amend Senate Bill No. 354 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, T. Baker, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, J. Brown, M. Burris, Carnine, Cash, Cooper, D. Creekmore, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dunn, Everett, Gaskill, George, R. Green, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Kerr, Kidd, Lea, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, Maxwell, McCrary, McLean, Moore, Nix, Overbey, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Tyler, Webb, Wells, B. Wilkins, Williams, Wills, Word as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete lines 12 through 18 from the Title and substitute the following:
"AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A PROVIDER FEE FOR INTERMEDIATE CARE FACILITIES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:
"AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A PROVIDER FEE FOR INTERMEDIATE CARE FACILITIES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES."

Delete everything after the ENACTING clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 20, Chapter 48 is amended to add an additional subchapter to read as follows:

20-48-901. Definitions.

As used in this subchapter:

(1)(A) "Gross receipts" means all compensation paid to intermediate care facilities for individuals with developmental disabilities for services provided to residents including, without limitation, client participation.

(B) "Gross receipts" does not include charitable contributions;

(2)(A) "Intermediate care facility for individuals with developmental disabilities" means a residential institution maintained for the care and training of persons with developmental disabilities, including without limitation mental retardation;

(B) "Intermediate care facility for individuals with developmental disabilities" has the same meaning as "intermediate care facility for the mentally retarded" or "ICF/MR" under federal law.

(C) "Intermediate care facility for individuals with developmental disabilities" does not include:

(i) Offices of private physicians and surgeons;

(ii) Residential care facilities;

(iii) Assisted living facilities;

(iv) Hospitals;
(v) Institutions operated by the federal government;
(vi) Life care facilities;
(vii) Nursing facilities; or
(viii) A facility which is conducted by and for those who rely exclusively upon treatment by prayer for healing in accordance with tenets or practices of a recognized religious denomination; and

(3) "Medicaid" means the medical assistance program established by Title XIX of the Social Security Act, 42 U.S.C. § 1396 et seq., as it existed on January 1, 2009, and administered by the Division of Medical Services of the Department of Human Services.

20-48-902. Calculation of provider fee.

(a)(1) There is levied a provider fee on intermediate care facilities for individuals with developmental disabilities to be calculated in accordance with this section.

(2)(A) The provider fee shall be an amount calculated by the Division of Medical Services of the Department of Human Services to produce an aggregate provider fee payment equal to six percent (6%) of the aggregate gross receipts of all intermediate care facilities for individuals with developmental disabilities.

(B) Aggregate provider fees shall not equal or exceed an amount measured on a state fiscal year basis that may cause a reduction in federal financial participation in Medicaid.

(b)(1)(A) The provider fee of an intermediate facility for individuals with developmental disabilities shall be payable in monthly payments.

(B) Each monthly payment shall be due and payable for the previous month by the thirtieth day of each month.

(2) The Division of Medical Services of the Department of Human Services shall seek approval from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services to treat the provider fee of an intermediate care facility for individuals with developmental disabilities as an allowable cost for Medicaid reimbursement purposes.

(c) No intermediate care facility for individuals with developmental disabilities shall be guaranteed, expressly or otherwise, that any additional moneys paid to the intermediate care facility for individuals with developmental disabilities will equal or exceed the amount of its provider fee.

(d)(1) The Division of Medical Services of the Department of Human Services shall insure that the rate of assessment of the provider fee established in this section maximizes federal funding to the fullest extent possible.

(2) If the division determines that the rate of assessment of the provider fee established in this section equals or exceeds the maximum rate of assessment that federal law allows without reduction in federal financial participation in Medicaid, the division shall lower the rate of assessment of the provider fee to a rate that maximizes federal funding to the fullest extent possible.

20-49-903. Administration.

(a) The Director of the Division of Medical Services of the Department of Human Services shall administer this subchapter and shall be subject to the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, § 25-15-201 et seq.

(b)(1) In accordance with the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, § 25-15-201 et seq., the Division of Medical Services of the Department of Human Services shall promulgate rules and prescribe forms for:

(A) The proper imposition and collection of the provider fee;

(B)(i) The enforcement of the subchapter, including without limitation license or certification nonrenewal, letters of caution, sanctions, or fines.

(ii)(a) The fine for failure to comply with payment and reporting requirements shall be at least one thousand dollars ($1,000) but no more

than one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500).

(b) The fine and if applicable, the outstanding balance of the provider fee, shall accrue interest at the maximum rate permitted by law from the date the fine and, if applicable, the provider fee, is due until payment of the outstanding balance of the fine and if applicable, the provider fee;

(C) The format for reporting gross receipts; and

(D) The administration of this subchapter.

(2) The rules shall not grant any exceptions to, or exceptions from, the provider fee.

20-49-904. Use of funds.

(a)(1) The provider fee assessed and collected under this subchapter shall be deposited in a designated account within the Arkansas Medicaid Program Trust Fund.

(2) The designated account shall be separate and distinct from the general fund and shall be supplementary to the Arkansas Medicaid Program Trust Fund.

(3) The designated account moneys in the trust fund and the matching federal financial participation under Title XIX of the Social Security Act, 42 U.S.C. § 1396 et seq., as it existed on January 1, 2009, shall be used only for:

(A) Continued operation of and rate increases for:

(i) Intermediate care facilities for individuals with developmental disabilities;

(ii) Developmental Day Treatment Clinic Services provided to persons with developmental disabilities by providers licensed by the Division of Developmental Disabilities of the Department of Human Services under § 20-48-101 et seq.; and

(iii) Services provided to persons with developmental disabilities under the Alternative Community Services Waiver Program by providers certified to provide waiver services by the Division of Developmental Disabilities of the Department of Human Services;

(B) Expansion of the Alternative Community Services Waiver Program to serve more persons with developmental disabilities than is approved under the waiver program as of March 1, 2009;

(C) The Division of Medical Services of the Department of Human Services; and

(D) Public guardianship of adults.

(b)(1) The designated account moneys in the trust fund from the provider fee on intermediate care facilities for individuals with developmental disabilities that are unused at the end of a fiscal year shall be carried forward.

(2) The designated account moneys in the trust fund from the provider fee on intermediate care facilities for individuals with developmental disabilities may not be used to supplant other local, state, or federal funds."

(SIGNED) SENATOR RANDY LAVERTY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 354 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 338 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 338

Amend Senate Bill No. 338 as originally introduced:

Add Senator Madison as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete lines 27 and 28, and substitute the following:
"if the sign is displayed outside the walls or enclosure of a building or structure"

AND

Page 1, line 30, delete "held; or" and substitute "held."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 31 through 36

AND

Page 2, line 1, delete "pricing of"

AND

Page 2, line 5, delete "beverage, and:" and substitute "beverage."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 6 through 10

AND

Page 2, delete lines 13 through 15

AND

Page 2, line 16, delete "(b) A" and substitute "A"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 34 through 36

AND
Page 3, delete line 2, and substitute the following:
"3-3-503. Rules."

AND

Page 3, line 6, delete "rodeos, unless preempted by a local" and substitute "rodeos."

AND

Page 3, delete line 7

AND

Page 3, delete line 9, and substitute the following:
"3-3-504. Violations."

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE BRYLES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 338 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 253 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 253

Amend Senate Bill No. 253 as engrossed, S2/18/09:

Page 1, delete lines 10 through 14 and substitute the following:
"AN ACT TO REPEAL THE PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENTIAL PRIMARY; TO MOVE THE DATE OF THE GENERAL PRIMARY ELECTION TO THE LAST TUESDAY IN JUNE; TO MOVE THE DATE OF THE PREFERENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION TO JUNE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Page 7, delete lines 15 through 16 and substitute the following:
"(a) The general primary election shall be held on the ~~second~~ last Tuesday in June preceding the general election."

AND

Page 7, delete line 21 and substitute the following:
"period beginning at 12:00 noon on the ~~first weekday~~ third Tuesday in March and ending"

AND

Page 7, delete line 27 and substitute the following:
"beginning at 12:00 noon on the ~~first weekday~~ third Tuesday in March and ending at 12:00"

AND

Immediately following SECTION 9, add two (2) additional sections to read as follows:

"SECTION 10. Arkansas Code § 7-10-103(b)(2)(B), concerning period for paying filing fees and filing political practice pledges for the nonpartisan election of judges, is amended to read as follows:

(B) The period for paying filing fees and filing political practice pledges shall begin at 12:00 noon on the ~~first weekday~~ third Tuesday in March and end at 12:00 noon on the seventh day thereafter.

SECTION 11. Arkansas Code § 7-10-103(c)(1)(A)(i), concerning filing a petition to have a candidate's name placed on the ballot for a nonpartisan judicial office without paying a filing fee, is amended to read as follows:

(c)(1)(A)(i) Any person desiring to have his or her name placed on the ballot for a nonpartisan judicial office without paying a filing fee may do so by filing a petition in the manner provided for under this section. Petitions for Supreme Court, Court of Appeals, and circuit court positions shall be filed with the Secretary of State, and petitions for district court positions shall be filed with the applicable county clerk beginning at 12:00 noon forty-six (46) days before the ~~first weekday~~ third Tuesday in March and ending at 12:00 noon thirty-two (32) days before the ~~first weekday~~ third Tuesday in March."

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 253 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 2, BY SENATOR GLOVER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 2 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 140, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 161, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 182, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 140 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 161 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 182 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 253, BY SENATOR FARIS ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 338, BY SENATOR BRYLES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 253 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 338 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 354, BY SENATOR LAVERTY ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 354 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 357, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Bookout, Senate Bill No. 357 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 358, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 358 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 399, BY SENATOR WYATT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 399 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS 72201

ROBBIE WILLS, SPEAKER
TIM MASSANELLI, PARLIAMENTARIAN JO RENSHAW, CLERK

February 26, 2009

The Honorable Ann Cornwell
Secretary of Senate
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

The House of Representatives respectfully requests the return to the House, of Senate Bill 34.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JO RENSHAW
Chief Clerk

JLR/jb

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 34 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 34 was ordered immediately returned to the House as requested.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 155, BY SENATOR GLOVER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1460, BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1461, BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHARON TRUSTY
VICE-CHAIRMAN

Senate Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 1 was returned from the House as concurred in and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 15 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 40 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 78 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 91 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 200 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 331 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 332 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 352 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senator Whitaker moved the Adoption of an Amendment to Senate Rule 4.01(e).

Amendment to Senate Rule 4.01(e)

Senate Rule 4.01(e) shall be amended to read as follows:

> "4.01(e) allow no person to enter the Senate Chamber and Chamber corridors when the Senate is in session; and fifteen (15) minutes before the hour of the session of the Senate each day he shall see that the floor is cleared of all persons except those privileged to remain and kept so until recess or adjournment. When the Senate is in recess or has adjourned, allow no unauthorized person to enter the Chamber until fifteen (15) minutes have expired after the Recess or adjournment has been announced by the Presiding officer."

Motion adopted.

On motion of Senator Faris, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1012 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1012

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MOORE

BY: SENATOR FARIS

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO PROVIDE FOR RECESS OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON APRIL 10, 2009; TO PROVIDE FOR AN EXTENSION OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY UNTIL 12:00 NOON, MAY 1, 2009; TO AUTHORIZE THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, BY JOINT PROCLAMATION, TO RECONVENE THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT ANY TIME BEFORE 12:00 NOON, MAY 1, 2009, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING VETOES, CORRECTING ERRORS OR OVERSIGHTS,

COMPLETING ITS WORK ON PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS, CONSIDERING ANY ISSUES THAT MAY ARISE FROM THE PASSAGE OF THE FEDERAL STIMULUS PACKAGE, AND CONSIDERING THE NEED FOR FURTHER EXTENSION OF THE REGULAR SESSION OR TO ADJOURN THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT ANY TIME BEFORE THAT DATE IF THEY DETERMINE THAT THERE IS NO NEED TO RECONVENE; TO PROVIDE THAT IF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS NOT RECONVENED OR ADJOURNED BEFORE 12:00 NOON, MAY 1, 2009, THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS ADJOURNED SINE DIE ON THAT DATE.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1012 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1012 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1400 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1400

Amend House Bill No. 1400 as originally introduced:
Add Senator J. Jeffress as cosponsor

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1400 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, House Bill No. 1393 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1393

Amend House Bill No. 1393 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 36, delete "receives both" and substitute "receives either a majority or both"

AND

Page 2, line 16, delete "or both" and substitute "or either a majority or both"

AND

Page 2, line 26, delete "or both" and substitute "or either a majority or both"

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1393 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1026 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendments Nos. 1 and 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1026

Amend House Bill No. 1026 as engrossed, H2/9/09:
Add Senator Whitaker as cosponsor of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR RUTH WHITAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1026

Amend House Bill No. 1026 as engrossed, H2/9/09:
Add Senator G. Jeffress as cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, line 30, delete "thirty (30)" and substitute "~~thirty (30)~~ twenty-one (21)"

AND

Page 1, delete line 32 and substitute "production, ~~and~~ or transportation of oil ~~and~~ or gas."

AND

Page 2, delete line 4 and substitute "production, or transportation of oil or gas on the commission, the Governor"

AND

Page 2, delete line 6 and substitute "development, production, or transportation of oil or gas until that number"

(SIGNED) SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1026 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bookout, House Bill No. 1409 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1409

Amend House Bill No. 1409 as engrossed, H2/18/09:

Page 1, add Senator Bookout as a co-sponsor to the bill.

AND

Page 4, delete lines 16 through 29 and substitute:

"(C) Any person who possesses the right of disposition, but who is unwilling to assume the liability for the costs of such arrangements and disposition if sufficient resources are not available in the decedent's estate to pay such costs at the time the costs become due and payable;

(D)(i) Where the person entitled to the right of disposition and the decedent were estranged at the time of death.

(ii)(a) As used in this section, “estranged” means a physical and emotional separation from the decedent at the time of death which has existed for a period of time that clearly demonstrates an absence of due affection, trust, and regard for the decedent;

(b) This shall also include the filing of a complaint for divorce by either party that remains pending at the time of the decedent's death or the separation by living apart of the decedent and spouse for a period of more than ninety (90) days preceding the decedent's death; and

(E) Where the Department of Human Services has custody of the decedent and a person authorized under subsection (d)(1) of this section has not claimed the right to possession of the decedent's remains within forty-eight (48) hours following the decedent's death."

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL BOOKOUT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1409 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 403 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 403

Amend House Bill No. 403 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 2 and 3 and substitute the following:
"101 et seq., § 14-114-101 et seq., § 14-115-101 et seq., § 14-117-101 et seq., § 14-118-101 et seq., § 14-119-101 et seq., § 14-"

AND

Page 4, line 8 delete "§ 21-6-403" and substitute "§ 21-6-415"

(SIGNED) SENATOR R. THOMPSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 403 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Taylor, Senate Bill No. 375 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 375
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT INCREASING THE PENALTY FOR ESCAPING FROM THE CUSTODY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION, THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION, OR A LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY, AND FOR FURNISHING AN IMPLEMENT FOR ESCAPE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 375 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 375 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Taylor, Senate Bill No. 376 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 376
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCLUDE CELLULAR TELEPHONES OR OTHER COMMUNICATIONS DEVICES AS ARTICLES INMATES AT THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION ARE PROHIBITED FROM POSSESSING OR USING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 376 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 29

NEGATIVE: Steele.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: G. Baker, D. Johnson, H. Wilkins.

Total 5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....30

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 376 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Taylor, Senate Bill No. 445 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 445
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE QUALIFICATIONS FOR REGISTRATION AS A PROFESSIONAL SURVEYOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 445 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 27

NEGATIVE: Elliott, Hendren, Miller, Trusty.

Total 4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bryles, H. Wilkins.

Total 4

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 31

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 445 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 379 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 379
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE CURTIS H. SYKES MEMORIAL GRANT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 379 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 379 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 448 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 448
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DATE OF THE ANNUAL REPORT OF THE OLD STATE HOUSE COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 448 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 448 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1214 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1214

As Engrossed: S2/5/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, COOK, BLOUNT, STEWART, NIX, ABERNATHY, SAUNDERS, RAINEY, HOYT, BETTS, T. BRADFORD & CHEATHAM

BY: SENATORS J. JEFFRESS AND ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE RULES AND PROCEDURES OF THE PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE STANDARDS BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1214 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1214 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Bill No. 1277 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1277
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE CONFIDENTIALITY PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS TAX PROCEDURE ACT TO ALLOW DISCLOSURE TO THE OFFICE OF A STANDING CHAPTER 13 BANKRUTPCY TRUSTEE WHETHER OR NOT A TAXPAYER FILED STATE TAX RETURNS FOR THE FOUR YEARS PRIOR TO THE DATE OF THE FILING OF THE CHAPTER 13 BANKRUPTCY PETITION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1277 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1277 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Bill No. 1279 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1279
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY ACCESS TO CERTAIN INFORMATION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1279 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1279 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, House Bill No. 1008 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1008

As Engrossed: H2/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT ALLOWING GRANDPARENTS AND GREAT-GRANDPARENTS VISITATION TO OCCUR WITHOUT REGARD TO WHICH PARENT HAS PHYSICAL CUSTODY OF THE CHILD; AND FOR* OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1008 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1008 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, House Bill No. 1421 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1421
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION TO ISSUE SURPLUS ITEMS PROCESSED BY THE FARMING OPERATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1421 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 32

NEGATIVE: J. Jeffress.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1421 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, House Bill No. 1377 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1377
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES ALLEN, W. LEWELLEN, WILLIAMS & BLOUNT
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENHANCE THE EXPERTISE OF THE CERVICAL CANCER TASK FORCE; TO REDEFINE THE FOCUS OF THE CERVICAL CANCER TASK FORCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1377 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1377 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Glover, House Bill No. 1430 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1430
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOYT AND PYLE
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS COUNTY ACCOUNTING LAW OF 1973; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1430 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1430 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Glover, House Bill No. 1442 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1442
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PYLE AND HOYT
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE WITHHOLDING OF TURNBACK FOR NONCOMPLIANCE WITH MUNICIPAL ACCOUNTING LAWS; TO CHANGE THE DEADLINES FOR SUBSTANTIAL COMPLIANCE BY A MUNICIPALITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1442 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1442 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Malone, House Bill No. 1416 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1416
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP
BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ELIMINATE ANNUAL SELF-AUDIT REPORTING FOR REGULATED STORAGE TANK OWNERS AND OPERATORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1416 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1416 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Bill No. 1343 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1343
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE JULY 1, 2009 EXPIRATION DATE ON THE ARKANSAS RICE CERTIFICATION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1343 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1343, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1343 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wilkinson, House Bill No. 1479 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1479

As Engrossed: H2/20/09 S2/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WILLIAMS, J. EDWARDS, PIERCE, ADCOCK, ALLEN, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, J. BROWN, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CLEMMER, COLE, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVIS, DISMANG, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, GREENBERG, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOYT, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, S. MALONE, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, PENNARTZ, PERRY, POWERS, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, B. WILKINS, WOODS, WORD & *MALOCH*

BY: SENATORS WILKINSON, D. JOHNSON, SALMON, H. WILKINS, *G. BAKER, BRYLES, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, LUKER, MADISON, STEELE, J. TAYLOR, R. THOMPSON, WHITAKER & D. WYATT*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING SCRAP METAL DEALERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1479 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1479 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Thompson, and without objection, the House was requested to return Senate Bill No. 34 for further consideration.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
ARKANSAS SENATE
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

March 2, 2009

Jo Renshaw
Chief Clerk
House of Representatives
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Renshaw:

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate, of Senate Bill 34.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 89 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 89 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Smith.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 569 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 569 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Smith.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1338 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1338

As Engrossed: S2/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE PIERCE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE CRIMINAL OFFENSE OF POSSESSION OF EXPLOSIVES BY CERTAIN PERSONS; TO ADD PROHIBITED CATEGORIES; TO CREATE A DEFENSE TO PROSECUTION IF A PERSON IS ACTING IN THE SCOPE OF HIS OR HER EMPLOYMENT WITH AN AUTHORIZED COMPANY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1338 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1338 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 1057 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1057

As Engrossed: S2/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOBBS

BY: SENATORS *BLEDSOE AND ELLIOTT*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE NOTIFICATION OF CHANGES TO A JUVENILE SAFETY PLAN UNDER ARKANSAS CODE § 9-27-

352 TO SCHOOL PRINCIPALS AND ASSISTANT SCHOOL PRINCIPALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1057 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1057, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1057 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Bryles, House Bill No. 1404 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1404

As Engrossed: H2/11/09 H2/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WEBB, HARRELSON, CASH, CHEATHAM, GREENBERG, D. HUTCHINSON, LEA, MOORE, J. ROEBUCK, SAUNDERS, TYLER, *CLEMMER & SLINKARD*

BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE BALLOT PRESENTATION OF INITIATIVE OR REFERRED AMENDMENTS OR ACTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1404 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1404 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 330 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 330

As Engrossed: S2/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOBBS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE FAST-TRACKED ADOPTION OF GARRETT'S LAW BABIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 330 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 330 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 102 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 102

Amend Senate Bill No. 102 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 6 delete "3" and substitute "5"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 7 and 8 in their entirety and substitute the following:

" (5)	A091C	FISCAL SUPPORT ANALYST	1 GRADE C115
(6)	CO56C	ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST III	1 GRADE C112
		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	10 "

AND

Page 2, delete lines 17 through 26 in their entirety and substitute the following:

"(01)	REGULAR SALARIES	$ 343,757	
(02)	EXTRA HELP	40,000	
(03)	PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	126,833	
(04)	MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION		
	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	134,647	
	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	20,000	
	(C) PROF. FEES		18,000
	(D) CAP. OUTLAY		20,000
	(E) DATA PROC.		0
(05)	PUBLIC EDUCATION		899
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED		$ 704,136"

AND

Insert a new SECTION immediately following SECTION 1 to read as follows:

" SECTION 2. EXTRA HELP. There is hereby authorized, for the Arkansas Fair Housing Commission, for the 2009-2010 fiscal year, the following maximum number of part-time or temporary employees, to be known as "Extra Help", payable from funds appropriated herein for such purposes: two (2) temporary or part-time employees, when needed, at rates of pay not to exceed those provided in the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, or its successor, or this act for the appropriate classification."

AND

Appropriately renumber the SECTION numbers of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 102 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 263 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 263

Amend Senate Bill No. 263 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 11, between SALARIES and FOR insert the following: "AND FOR PAYING PERSONAL SERVICES FOR DRUG COURT JUVENILE PROBATION AND INTAKE OFFICERS"

AND

Page 1, immediately following Section 1 add additional sections to read as follows:

"SECTION 2. REGULAR SALARIES. There is hereby established for the Drug Court Juvenile Probation and Intake Officers for the 2009-2010 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however, that any position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform

Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101), or its successor.

Item No.	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2009-2010
(1)	DRUG COURT JUV PROB & INTAKE OFF	10	GRADE C117

SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Auditor of State, to be payable from the State Central Services Fund, for personal services of the Drug Court Juvenile Probation and Intake Officers for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010
(01)	REGULAR SALARIES	$ 350,000
(02)	PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	98,000
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	$ 448,000"

AND

Appropriately renumber subsequent Section numbers.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 263 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 326 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 326

Amend Senate Bill No. 326 as originally introduced:

Page 3, line 20, delete "3" and substitute "4"

And

Page 5, line 22, delete "762" and substitute "763"

And

Insert a new Section immediately following Section 21 to read as follows:
" SECTION 22. APPROPRIATION - WILDLIFE OBSERVATION TRAILS PILOT PROGRAM. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Parks and Tourism, to be payable from the Wildlife Observation Trail Fund, for personal services and operating expenses for the Wildlife Observation Trails Pilot Program by the Department of Parks and Tourism for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	$ 32,249
(02) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	11,137
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	6,614
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0
(C) PROF. FEES	0
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	0
(04) WILDLIFE OBSERVATION TRAILS GRANTS	1,000,000
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	$ 1,050,000"

And

Appropriately renumber the subsequent Sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 326 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 110 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 110 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 110
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 110 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith,

Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 110, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 110 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1519 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1519 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1519
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE APPROPRIATION ACTS OF CERTAIN CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICERS; TO REPEAL ACT 22 OF 2009, THE APPROPRIATION ACT FOR THE PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES OF THE OFFICE OF LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; TO REPEAL ACT 80 OF 2009, THE APPROPRIATION ACT FOR THE PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES AND UNCLAIMED PROPERTY PROGRAM OF THE AUDITOR OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1519 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1519, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1519 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

Senate Bill No. 55 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 255 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 316 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 403, BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1026, BY REPRESENTATIVE G. SMITH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1400, BY REPRESENTATIVE ENGLISH,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1393, BY REPRESENTATIVE T. BAKER ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Madison, House Bill No. 1393 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1409, BY REPRESENTATIVE MCLEAN,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Bookout, House Bill No. 1409 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 8
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO DEFINE THE PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN THE ARRAY OF COMMUNITY-BASED SERVICES FOR AT-RISK, DELINQUENT, AND FAMILIES-IN-NEED-OF-SERVICES YOUTH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 606
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY BASED AND JUVENILE DELINQUENCY PREVENTION PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 606 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 607
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WORD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR RENOVATION, CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIRS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 607 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 608
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PROCEDURES FOR CERTAIN IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS BY COUNTY COLLECTORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 608 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 609
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR OPERATING EXPENSES, CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPMENT AND MAINTENANCE FOR AWIN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 609 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 610

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

BY: REPRESENTATIVES CLEMMER AND GREENBERG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR FURNISHINGS, EQUIPMENT, TECHNOLOGY AND HOLDINGS FOR THE LITTLE ROCK - SOUTH LIBRARY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 610 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 611

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 611 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 612
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 612 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 613
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 613 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 614
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR GRANTS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 614 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 615
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECT GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 615 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 616
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - AND ITS VARIOUS DIVISIONS FOR GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 616 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 617
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT, BROADWAY, CAPPS, GLOVER & D. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES ALLEN, W. LEWELLEN, WILLIAMS, J. EDWARDS, HYDE & KERR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR A GRANT TO CERTAIN LEARNING FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 617 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 618
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK BENTON CAMPUS FOR FEASIBILITY STUDY, CONSTRUCTING, EQUIPPING, FURNISHING, FINISHING, PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 618 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 619
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS FOR COURTROOM SECURITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 619 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 620
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT FOR GRANTS TO COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 620 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 621
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 621 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 622

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 622 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 623

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 623 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 624
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR THE ARKANSAS SPORTS HALL OF FAME; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 624 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 625
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - CRIMINAL JUSTICE INSTITUTE FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT EDUCATION AND TRAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 625 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 626
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH SESSION PROJECTS ACCOUNT WITHIN THE GENERAL IMPROVEMENT FUND; TO DEFINE THE MONIES TO BE AVAILABLE IN SUCH ACCOUNT; AND TO DEFINE THE PURPOSES FOR WHICH MONIES MAY BE MADE AVAILABLE FROM THE GENERAL IMPROVEMENT FUND SO THAT ADDITIONAL FUNDS CAN BE MADE AVAILABLE FOR THE STATE BUDGET; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 626 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 627
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS REVENUE STABILIZATION LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 627 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 628
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 19, CHAPTER 6, SUBCHAPTERS 2, 3, 4 AND 8 - THE REVENUE CLASSIFICATION LAW OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 628 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 629
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 629 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 630
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR MATHEMATICS, SCIENCES AND THE ARTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 630 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 631
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS REGARDING LEGISLATIVE PROCEEDINGS; TO CLARIFY THE SUBPOENA POWER OF THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE COMMITTEES THEREOF; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 631 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 632
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT - FORESTRY FOR FIREBOAT TRAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 632 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 633
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 633 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 634
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - AND ITS VARIOUS DIVISIONS FOR GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 634 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 635
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS FOR OPERATING, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENTS, EQUIPMENT, RENOVATION, AND MAINTENANCE EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 635 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 636
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 636 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 637
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECT GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 637 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 638
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR RESEARCH AND TREATMENT OF AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 638 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 639
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR ALCOHOL ABUSE REHABILITATION AND TREATMENT CENTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 639 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 640
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE RAILROAD MODERNIZATION ACT OF 2009; TO ESTABLISH AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR QUALIFIED RAILROAD RECONSTRUCTION OR REPLACEMENT EXPENDITURES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 640 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 641
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS FOR PROFESSIONAL BAIL BONDSMAN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 641 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 642
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION FOR GRANTS GENERAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 642 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 643
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 643 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 644
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT – LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY FOR CAMP COUCHDALE FOR FACILITY IMPROVEMENTS AND BUILDING CONSTRUCTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 644 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 645
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 645 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 646
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 646 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 647
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 647 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 648
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR ALCOHOL AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROGRAMS, PREVENTION RESOURCE CENTERS, HOSPICE AND HANDICAP CARE GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 648 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 649
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR CONSTRUCTING AND EQUIPPING THE WINTHROP PAUL ROCKEFELLER ARKANSAS STATE POLICE HALL OF HONOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 649 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 650
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 650 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 651
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AERONAUTICS FOR AIRPORT IMPROVEMENT GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 651 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 652
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY
BY: REPRESENTATIVES DALE, GEORGE, HOYT, LEA, OVERBEY & WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY FOR EXPANSION, IMPROVEMENTS, EQUIPPING, AND OTHER ASSOCIATED COSTS FOR THE CORLEY BUILDING AND McEVER HALL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 652 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 653
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR THE ARKANSAS RIVER CONNECTION PROJECT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 653 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 654
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 654 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 655
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 655 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 656
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO FOR MUSIC BUILDING RENOVATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 656 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 657
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO FOR SCIENCE CENTER RENOVATIONS AND INFRASTRUCTURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 657 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 658

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS FARIS, BROADWAY & T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR MATHEMATICS, SCIENCES AND ARTS - AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT FOR CONSTRUCTION, PERSONAL SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 658 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 659

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR MATHEMATICS, SCIENCES AND ARTS FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, EQUIPMENT, PERSONAL SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION EXPENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 659 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 660
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR INSTRUCTION, EQUIPMENT, OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE EXPENSE FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - CRIMINAL JUSTICE INSTITUTE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 660 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 661
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - CRIMINAL JUSTICE INSTITUTE FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT EDUCATION AND TRAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 661 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 662
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE NATIONAL PARK COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, EQUIPMENT, PERSONAL SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION EXPENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 662 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 663
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN
BY: REPRESENATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN ALTERNATIVE PROCEDURE FOR MODIFYING THE RATES AND CHARGES OF A GENERATION AND TRANSMISSION COOPERATIVE; TO PROVIDE AN ALTERNATIVE PROCEDURE FOR MODIFYING THE RATES AND CHARGES OF A MEMBER COOPERATIVE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 663 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 664
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION TO ALLOW A SCHOOL DISTRICT TO ADVERTISE A BOND SALE BY A METHOD OTHER THAN NEWSPAPER PUBLICATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 664 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 665
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR NECROSPSY ROOM RENOVATIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT - LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 665 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 666
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT - LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY FOR A STORAGE FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 666 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 667
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WORD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR TECHNOLOGY UPGRADES AND EQUIPMENT, WORKSHOPS AND TRAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 667 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 668
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR EDUCATIONAL/VOCATIONAL SERVICES AT THE DERMOTT JUVENILE TREATMENT CENTER/CORRECTIONAL CENTER AND OTHER EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 668 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 669
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF A STUDENT DIVERSITY CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 669 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 670
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS FOR OPERATING, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENTS, EQUIPMENT, RENOVATION, AND MAINTENANCE EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 670 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 671
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ACT 117 OF 2009, THE ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - AND ITS VARIOUS DIVISIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 671 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 672
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH - ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 672 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 673
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - BEEBE FOR HEBER SPRINGS CAMPUS CRITICAL MAINTENANCE, LIBRARY HOLDINGS, TECHNOLOGY AND EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 673 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 674
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MILLER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES COOPER AND EVERETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS, PERSONAL SERVICES, CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATION FOR DRUG COURTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 674 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 675
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOPPER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - MOUNTAIN HOME FOR CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPMENT, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION EXPENSES OF THE ARMY RESERVE OFFICER TRAINING CORPS CLIMBING TOWER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 675 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 676
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ACT 103 OF 2009, THE REAPPROPRIATION ACT FOR THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 676 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 677
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR GRANTS FOR CITY AND COUNTY PARKS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 677 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 678
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 678 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 679
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 679 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 680
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE - HISTORIC PRESERVATION FOR GRANTS FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENTS AND EQUIPPING NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES PROPERTIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 680 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 681
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT THE WEIGHT LIMITATIONS FOR VEHICLES UNDER THE ARKANSAS NEW MOTOR VEHICLE QUALITY ASSURANCE ACT DO NOT APPLY TO A VEHICLE THAT HAS BEEN SUBSTANTIALLY ALTERED AFTER ITS INITIAL SALE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 681 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 682
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR GRANTS FOR SCHOLARSHIPS TO HISTORICALLY BLACK COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 682 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 683
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS TO RECREATION CENTERS AND STATE PARKS FOR IMPROVEMENTS AND AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT MODIFICATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 683 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 684
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR EXPENSES AND INVESTMENTS FOR THE FAY W. BOOZMAN SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM OF THE COLLEGE OF PUBLIC HEALTH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 684 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 685
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR THE DEVELOPMENT AND CONSTRUCTION OF A BASEBALL COMPLEX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 685 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 686
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY BASED PROGRAM GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 686 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 687
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY BASED YOUTH PROGRAM PROVIDER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 687 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 688
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS FOR OPERATING, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENTS, EQUIPMENT, RENOVATION, AND MAINTENANCE EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 688 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 689
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 689 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 690

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. COMMISSION FOR COMMUNITY GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 690 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 691

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 691 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 692
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR A GRANT FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO FACILITIES OF THE ARKANSAS RIVER EDUCATION SERVICE COOPERATIVE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 692 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 693
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE BUREAU OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH FOR EXPENSES OF THE TASK FORCE ON RACIAL PROFILING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 693 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 694

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR EXPENSES OF THE TASK FORCE ON RACIAL PROFILING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 694 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 695

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR IMPROVEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 695 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 696
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR REGIONAL WASTE WATER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 696 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 697
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE NORTHWEST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, EQUIPMENT, FURNISHINGS, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 697 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 698
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATE BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR CONSTRUCTING AND EQUIPPING THE WINTHROP PAUL ROCKEFELLER ARKANSAS STATE POLICE HALL OF HONOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 698 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 699
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR THE PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT FOR THE CANCER INSTITUTE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 699 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 700
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR MATHEMATICS, SCIENCES AND THE ARTS FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, EQUIPMENT, PERSONAL SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 700 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 701
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SEPARATE THE OFFICES OF SHERIFF AND TAX COLLECTOR IN MONROE COUNTY; TO CONSOLIDATE THE OFFICES OF TAX COLLECTOR AND COUNTY TREASURER IN MONROE COUNTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 701 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 702
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CORRECT A CODIFICATION ERROR IN TITLE 23 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 702 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 703
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GRANTS TO CITIES, COUNTIES, PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT DISTRICTS AND OTHER ENTITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 703 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 704
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR EQUIPMENT AND SERVICES FOR TELE-VIDEO LINKS TO THE PSYCHIATRIC RESEARCH INSTITUTE - NORTHWEST, COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH CENTERS, HOSPITAL EMERGENCY ROOMS, AND COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 704 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 705
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE PROGRAM FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 705 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 706
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 706 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 707
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS SALMON, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, ELLIOTT, CAPPS, STEELE, P. MALONE, BROADWAY & GLOVER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GREENBERG, WILLIAMS, CLEMMER, KERR, NIX & NICKELS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK FOR OPERATIONS, MAINTENANCE, EQUIPMENT, AND FACILITIES FOR THE NANOTECHNOLOGY CENTER AT UALR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 707 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 708
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR RAILROAD RECLAMATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 708 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 709
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NORTHEASTERN COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, MAINTENANCE AND PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 709 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 710
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1242 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 710 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 711
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR GRANTS FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, MAINTENANCE AND PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT FOR SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 711 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 712
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE - ARTS COUNCIL FOR GRANTS FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING, AND CAPITAL EXPENSES TO ARTS COUNCILS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 712 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 713
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 713 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 714
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT – STATE FORESTRY COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 714 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 715
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE EAST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 715 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 716
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR COMMUNITY GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 716 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 717
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR A WEEK-END FROZEN HOME DELIVERED MEAL PILOT PROGRAM FOR THE ARKANSAS AREA AGENCY ON AGING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 717 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1531
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE PHILLIPS COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1531 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1531 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 718
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE MID-SOUTH COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 718 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 719
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE CROWLEY'S RIDGE TECHNICAL INSTITUTE FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENTS, EQUIPMENT, RENOVATION, AND MAINTENANCE EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 719 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 720
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PHILLIPS COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENTS, EQUIPMENT, RENOVATION, AND MAINTENANCE EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 720 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 721
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR AREA HEALTH EDUCATION CENTERS AND COUNTY COOPERATIVE CLINICS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 721 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 722
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 722 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 723
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR COMMUNITY GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 723 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 724
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF CHILD CARE AND EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION FOR AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 724 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 725
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FOR A STATEWIDE 2-1-1 INFORMATION AND REFERRAL SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 725 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 726
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE - HISTORIC PRESERVATION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 726 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 727
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 727 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 728
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 728 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 729
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR OPERATING AND PROGRAMMATIC EXPENSES OF THE PARENTS FOR INCLUSIVE COMMUNITY PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 729 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 730
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR COLORECTAL CANCER SCREENING AND RESEARCH FOR THE 2009-2010 FISCAL YEAR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 730 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 731
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR THE DONALD REYNOLDS INSTITUTE ON AGING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 731 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 732
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENTS, EQUIPMENT, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 732 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 733
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT AND D. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR THE PURCHASE OF GROSS ANATOMY EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 733 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 734
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE GEOGRAPHIC CONSIDERATION FOR STUDENTS ENROLLED IN CERTIFIED ISOLATED SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 734 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 735
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE HUMANE CONSIDERATION FOR STUDENTS ENROLLED IN CERTIFIED ISOLATED SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 735 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 736
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE HUMANE CONSIDERATION FOR STUDENTS ENROLLED IN CERTIFIED ISOLATED SCHOOL DISTRICTS WITH SPECIAL GEOGRAPHIC CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 736 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 737

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR AN AVIATION CADET MUSUEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 737 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 738

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE VICTIM ASSISTANCE CASE COORDINATORS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 738 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 739
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES AND GRANT PAYMENTS OF INTERMEDIATE CARE FACILITIES, DEVELOPMENTAL DAY TREATMENT CLINIC SERVICES, ALTERNATIVE COMMUNITY SERVICES WAIVER PROGRAM, AND PUBLIC GUARDIANSHIP OF ADULTS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF MEDICAL SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 739 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 740
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE RELATING TO FUNDING FOR ISOLATED SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 740 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 741

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 741 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 742

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS B. JOHNSON AND MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE BUREAU OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH FOR EXPENSES OF THE ARKANSAS BLUE RIBBON COMMITTEE ON HIGHWAY FINANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 742 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 743
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR MATHEMATICS, SCIENCES AND ARTS FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, EQUIPMENT, PERSONAL SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION EXPENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 743 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 744
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1229 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 744 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 745

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR INVESTMENT INCENTIVES TO ENHANCE THE ECONOMY OF THE STATE THROUGH TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 745 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 746

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS BUILDING AUTHORITY - SUSTAINABLE BUILDING DESIGN PROGRAM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 746 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 747
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS BUILDING AUTHORITY FOR THE SUSTAINABLE BUILDING DESIGN PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 747 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 748
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF - AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH AND EXTENSION PROGRAM FOR ESTABLISHING THE SWEET POTATO FOUNDATION SEED PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 748 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 749

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 749 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 750

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 750 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 751
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 751 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 752
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - ARKANSAS CHILD ABUSE/RAPE/DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COMMISSION FOR GRANTS FOR EXPENSES OF VIOLENCE SHELTERS, CRISIS SHELTERS, CHILD ADVOCACY CENTERS AND OTHER PROGRAMS FOR ABUSED AND NEGLECTED CHILDREN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 752 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 753
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE ARKANSAS SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORITY FOR INVESTMENT INCENTIVES TO ENHANCE THE ECONOMY OF THE STATE THROUGH TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 753 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 754
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY FOR INVESTMENT INCENTIVES TO ENHANCE THE ECONOMY OF THE STATE THROUGH TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 754 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 755
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 755 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 756
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 756 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1272, BY REPRESENTATIVE BLOUNT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1,
BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 15, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS
SENATE BILL NO. 40, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 78, BY SENATOR WILKINS, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 91, BY SENATOR WILKINS, ET AL,

SENATE BILL NO. 200, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 331, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,
SENATE BILL NO. 332, BY SENATOR WHITAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 352, BY SENATOR KEY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copy with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 3:35 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 15
SENATE BILL NO. 40
SENATE BILL NO. 78
SENATE BILL NO. 91
SENATE BILL NO. 200
SENATE BILL NO. 331
SENATE BILL NO. 332
SENATE BILL NO. 352

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 2nd day of March, 2009 at 3:35 p.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Sarah S. Agee
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 102, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 263, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 326, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 102 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 263 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 326 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 757
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY BASED AND JUVENILE DELINQUENCY PREVENTION PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 757 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 758
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPPING, MAINTENANCE, OPERATIONS, AND PERSONAL SERVICES OF THE ARKANSAS SPORTS HALL OF FAME; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 758 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1009

As Engrossed: H2/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES G. SMITH, LOWERY, HARDY, *ABERNATHY, MAXWELL, MALOCH, SAUNDERS, RAINEY, FLOWERS, REEP, D. CREEKMORE, M. BURRIS, SAMPLE, HARRELSON, MOORE, CHEATHAM, T. BRADFORD, POWERS, SHELBY, J. ROEBUCK, PIERCE, L. COWLING, STEWART, WORD & COLE*

BY: SENATORS G. JEFFRESS, *P. MALONE, J. JEFFRESS, T. SMITH, H. WILKINS, HORN, FARIS, J. TAYLOR & TEAGUE*

RECOMMENDING THAT THE CONGRESS, THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, AND THE DIRECTOR OF THE FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION ENSURE THAT A SIGNIFICANT PORTION OF FUNDING FOR TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE BE COMMITTED TO COMPLETE CONSTRUCTION OF INTERSTATE 69 (I-69) IN ARKANSAS.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1009 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1010
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

REQUESTING THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES TO IMMEDIATELY INTRODUCE AND PASS LEGISLATION TO IMPLEMENT A COURT FEE INTERCEPT PROGRAM SIMILAR TO THAT PROPOSED IN H.R. 6172 AND S.1287 IN THE 110TH CONGRESS.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1010 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1066
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF REGISTERED INTERIOR DESIGNERS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1066 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1081
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS MOTOR VEHICLE COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1081 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1189
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1189 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1330
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING EXTENDED JUVENILE JURISDICTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1330 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1387
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE JOINDER OF THIS STATE IN THE INTERSTATE PEST CONTROL COMPACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1387 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1424
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WEBB AND REYNOLDS
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 8-4-203 TO REQUIRE FINANCIAL ASSURANCE FOR THE CLOSURE OR RESTORATION OF PERMITTED SITES IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS THAT LAND APPLY OR STORE FLUIDS GENERATED OR UTILIZED DURING EXPLORATION OR PRODUCTION PHASES OF OIL OR GAS OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1424 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1455
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MOORE, DUNN, HALL, J. BROWN, INGRAM, T. ROGERS, CASH & T. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT A PERMIT FOR EARTHMOVING EQUIPMENT MAY ALLOW THE TOWING OF TWO DIRT PANS AT ONE TIME; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1455 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1471

As Engrossed: H2/20/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MOORE, BLOUNT, CHEATHAM, DUNN, HALL, MAXWELL, RAINEY, REEP & T. ROGERS

BY: SENATORS J. JEFFRESS AND J. TAYLOR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DELTA GEOTOURISM INCENTIVE ACT OF 2007 TO ALLOW A GEOTOURISM INCOME TAX CREDIT TO TRANSFER TO OTHER *TOURISM* PROJECTS; TO ALLOW A GEOTOURISM INCOME TAX CREDIT TO CARRY FORWARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1471 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1480

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO THE ARKANSAS INCOME TAX LAWS BY ADOPTING RECENT CHANGES TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1480 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1557
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A SUBURBAN IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT TO CONVEY ASSETS TO A LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1557 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1577
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LINDSEY, CARNINE, CARROLL, GLIDEWELL, HALL, HOUSE, INGRAM, LOWERY, MAXWELL, MOORE, PATTERSON, PIERCE, L. SMITH, G. SMITH, SUMMERS, TYLER & WEBB
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PRIVATE WETLAND AND RIPARIAN ZONE CREATION AND RESTORATION INCENTIVES ACT; TO PROVIDE CONSERVATION TAX CREDITS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1577 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1602
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE TIME PERIOD THAT CAR DEALERS ARE REQUIRED TO PAY OFF EXISTING LIENS OR ENCUMBRANCES ON VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1602 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1626
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE OFFICE OF CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT TO PROVIDE A REPORT TO THE CIRCUIT CLERK DETAILING ARREARAGES PAID IN NONSUPPORT CASES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1626 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1273

As Engrossed: H2/18/09 H2/27/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES BLOUNT, ALLEN, T. BAKER, CASH, DAVIS, HARDY, HOUSE, HOYT, W. LEWELLEN, J. ROEBUCK, SHELBY, STEWART & *PIERCE*

BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT AND STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A PILOT PROGRAM FOR MOBILE LEARNING TECHNOLOGY IN PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1273 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1466

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES T. BAKER, OVERBEY, PYLE & CARROLL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND NOTICE PROCEDURES TO VIOLATORS OF MUNICIPAL ORDINANCES CONCERNING UNSANITARY CONDITIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1466 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1470
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SLINKARD, LINDSEY & L. SMITH
BY: SENATORS B. PRITCHARD AND HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ELECTIONS OF BOARDS OF DIRECTORS OF REGIONAL WATER DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1470 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1489
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CARTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REGARDING WHICH OFFICIALS ARE NOTIFIED OF CERTAIN DEATHS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1489 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1492
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND COUNTY SALE, LEASE, AND PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1492 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1545
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE AND GARNER
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF STALKING; TO ESTABLISH CIVIL LIABILITY FOR STALKING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1545 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1546
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-99-411 TO DECREASE THE AMOUNT OF TIME ALLOWED FOR PROCESSING APPLICATIONS OF PROVIDERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1546 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1629
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIRECTOR OF THE LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS BOARD TO AUTHORIZE A LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS COMPANY TO FILL OR SERVICE ANOTHER LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS COMPANY'S CONTAINER DURING A DECLARED EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1629 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 759
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - ARKANSAS CHILD ABUSE/RAPE/DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COMMISSION FOR GRANTS TO CHILD ADVOCACY CENTERS STATEWIDE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 759 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 760
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR CREATION OF THE ARKANSAS EVALUATION CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 760 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 761
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR A CENTER FOR PUBLIC HEALTH LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 761 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 762
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 762 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 763
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR ADDITIONAL FUNDING TO THE 1890 RESEARCH AND EXTENSION PROGRAMS MATCHING FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 763 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILL NO. 764
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATE EFFICIENCY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SENATE - STAFF FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 764 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 110
SENATE BILL NO. 330
SENATE BILL NO. 375
SENATE BILL NO. 376
SENATE BILL NO. 379
SENATE BILL NO. 445
SENATE BILL NO. 448

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE AS REQUESTED

SENATE BILL NO. 34

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1008
HOUSE BILL NO. 1277
HOUSE BILL NO. 1279
HOUSE BILL NO. 1343
HOUSE BILL NO. 1377
HOUSE BILL NO. 1404
HOUSE BILL NO. 1416
HOUSE BILL NO. 1421
HOUSE BILL NO. 1430
HOUSE BILL NO. 1442
HOUSE BILL NO. 1519

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1057 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1214 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1338 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1479 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1012

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 15
SENATE BILL NO. 40
SENATE BILL NO. 55
SENATE BILL NO. 78
SENATE BILL NO. 91
SENATE BILL NO. 200
SENATE BILL NO. 255
SENATE BILL NO. 316
SENATE BILL NO. 331
SENATE BILL NO. 332
SENATE BILL NO. 352

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN

SENATE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1066
HOUSE BILL NO. 1081
HOUSE BILL NO. 1189
HOUSE BILL NO. 1273
HOUSE BILL NO. 1330
HOUSE BILL NO. 1387
HOUSE BILL NO. 1424
HOUSE BILL NO. 1455
HOUSE BILL NO. 1466
HOUSE BILL NO. 1470
HOUSE BILL NO. 1471
HOUSE BILL NO. 1480
HOUSE BILL NO. 1489
HOUSE BILL NO. 1492
HOUSE BILL NO. 1531
HOUSE BILL NO. 1545
HOUSE BILL NO. 1546
HOUSE BILL NO. 1557
HOUSE BILL NO. 1577
HOUSE BILL NO. 1602
HOUSE BILL NO. 1626
HOUSE BILL NO. 1629

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1009
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1010

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 3, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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FIFTY-SECOND DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

March 3, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Hendren.

Senator Whitaker requested leave for Senator Capps.

Leave granted.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 9 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 9

Amend Senate Bill No. 9 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Moore as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Delete everything after the Enacting Clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 26, Chapter 51 is amended to add an additional subchapter to read as follows:

SUBCHAPTER 22. ARKANSAS HISTORIC REHABILITATION INCOME TAX CREDIT ACT

26-51-2201. Title.

This subchapter shall be known and may be cited as the "Arkansas Historic Rehabilitation Income Tax Credit Act".

26-51-2202. Purpose.

The purpose of this subchapter is to encourage economic development and community revitalization within existing state and federal infrastructure by providing an income tax credit to promote the rehabilitation of historic structures throughout Arkansas.

26-51-2203. Definitions.

As used in this subchapter:

(1) "Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit" means an income tax credit against the income tax imposed by the Income Tax Act of 1929, § 26-51-101 et seq., and the premium tax levied under §§ 26-57-601 – 26-57-605 that includes:

(A) An income tax credit for an income-producing property that qualifies for a federal rehabilitation tax credit; and

(B) An income tax credit for a nonincome-producing property;

(2) "Certified rehabilitation" means a substantial rehabilitation of an eligible property that has been issued an eligibility certificate;

(3) "Certification of completion" means a certificate issued by the Department of Arkansas Heritage certifying that a project is a certified rehabilitation of an eligible property that qualifies for the Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit;

(4) "Eligible property" means property that is located in the state that is:

(A) Income-producing property that:

(i) Qualifies as a certified historic structure under 26 U.S.C. § 47, as it existed on January 1, 2009; or

(ii) Will qualify as a certified historic structure following certified rehabilitation; or

(B) Nonincome-producing property that is:

(i) Listed in the National Register of Historic Places;

(ii) Designated as contributing to a district listed in the National Register of Historic Places; or

(iii) Eligible for designation as contributing to a district listed in the National Register of Historic Places following certified rehabilitation;

(5) "Federal rehabilitation tax credit" means the federal tax credit as provided under 26 U.S.C. § 47, as it existed on January 1, 2009;

(6) "Holder" means the holder of a certification of completion that is:

(A) A person, firm, or corporation subject to the income tax imposed by the Income Tax Act of 1929, § 26-51-101 et seq.; or

(B) An insurance company paying the premium tax on its gross premium receipts;

(7) "Owner" means a person or an entity that owns eligible property and is the initial recipient of the certification of completion from the Department of Arkansas Heritage;

(8) "Premium tax" means a tax levied under §§ 26-57-603 - 26-57-605; and

(9) "Qualified rehabilitation expenses" means costs and expenses incurred to complete a certified rehabilitation that are qualified rehabilitation expenses under the federal rehabilitation tax credit or under the Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit.

26-51-2204. Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit.

(a) There is allowed an income tax credit up to the amount of tax imposed by the Income Tax Act of 1929, § 26-51-101 et seq., or the premium tax to a holder of an Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit.

(b) The Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit shall be in an amount equal to twenty-five percent (25%) of the total qualified rehabilitation expenses incurred by the owner to complete a certified rehabilitation up to the first:

(1) Five hundred thousand dollars ($500,000) of qualified rehabilitation expenses on income-producing property; or

(2) One hundred thousand dollars ($100,000) of qualified rehabilitation expenses on nonincome-producing property.

(c)(1) The Department of Arkansas Heritage shall only issue Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credits for up to four million dollars ($4,000,000) in any one (1) fiscal year.

(2) Any unused Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credits shall not be carried over to the following fiscal year for use by the Department of Arkansas Heritage.

(3) Any certification of completion that would cause the Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit to exceed the amounts listed in subdivision (c)(1) of this section during the fiscal year will be carried forward for consideration during the following fiscal year.

(d) The Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit shall be available to an owner of an eligible property that:

(1) Completes a certified rehabilitation that is placed in service after January 1, 2009;

(2) Has a minimum investment of twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000) in qualified rehabilitation expenses; and

(3) Is not receiving a tax credit under any other state law for the same eligible property.

(e) Upon completion of a rehabilitation, the owner shall submit documentation required by the Department of Arkansas Heritage to verify that the completed rehabilitation qualifies as a certified rehabilitation.

(f) If the Department of Arkansas Heritage determines that a rehabilitation qualifies as a certified rehabilitation and that the certified rehabilitation is complete, the Department of Arkansas Heritage shall issue a freely transferable certification of completion specifying the total amount of the qualified rehabilitation expenses and Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit allowed.

(g)(1) If the owner requests a review of the Department of Arkansas Heritage's determination under subsection (f) of this section, the owner shall submit a written request for review of the determination.

(2) The owner shall submit the request in writing to the Department of Arkansas Heritage within thirty (30) days of the date of notification to the owner of the determination.

(h)(1) The owner shall certify to the Department of Arkansas Heritage the validity of costs and expenses claimed as qualified rehabilitation expenses and shall maintain a record supporting the claim for at least five (5) years after the issuance of the certification of completion.

(2) An owner’s record supporting a claim for qualified rehabilitation expenses may be reviewed by the Department of Arkansas Heritage, the appropriate tax collection authority, or a holder.

26-51-2205. Procedure to claim tax credit — Transferring credit.

(a)(1) A holder shall submit the certification of completion and documents proving an assignment, if any, with the appropriate tax collection authority at the time of filing the holder’s income tax return or premium tax return.

(2) The appropriate tax collection authority may refuse to recognize the Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit claimed if the holder fails to submit the certification of completion and any assignment documents.

(b) The amount of the Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit that may be used by a holder for a taxable year may equal but shall not exceed the amount of income tax or premium tax due.

(c) A holder of an unused Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit may carry forward part or all of an Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit for five (5) consecutive taxable years to apply against the holder's income taxes due or the holder's premium tax due.

(d)(1) An owner of an Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit may freely transfer, sell, or assign part or all of the Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit amount identified in the certification of completion.

(2) A subsequent holder may transfer, sell, or assign part or all of the remaining Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit.

(3) The sale of the Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit must be reported as income under the Income Tax Act of 1929, § 26-51-101 et seq., or the premium tax.

(e) An owner may sell the owner's eligible property after the issuance of the certification of completion.

(f) An Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit granted to a partnership, Subchapter S corporation, a limited liability company taxed as a partnership, or multiple owners of property shall be passed through to the partners, members, or owners respectively on a pro rata basis or pursuant to an executed agreement among the partners, members, or owners documenting an alternate distribution method.

(g)(1) A holder may use the Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit to offset up to one hundred percent (100%) of the state income taxes due or premium tax due from the holder.

(2) A holder is not required to have any ownership or other interest in the eligible property for which an Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit is claimed.

(3) An Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit may be used up to its total amount by any holder without limitation and is not subject to limits imposed by federal law or regulation on the use of federal rehabilitation tax credits.

(h) An owner or holder that assigns part or all of an Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit shall perfect the transfer by notifying the Department of Arkansas Heritage and the appropriate tax collection authority in writing within thirty (30) calendar days following the effective date of the transfer and shall provide any information as may be required by the Department of Arkansas Heritage and the appropriate tax collection authority to administer and carry out this subchapter and to ensure proper tracking of the ownership of the unused Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit.

(i)(1) Any consideration received for the transfer of the Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit shall not be included as income taxable by the State of Arkansas.

(2) Any consideration paid for the transfer of the Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit shall not be deducted from income taxable by the State of Arkansas.

26-51-2206. Fees.

(a)(1) The Department of Arkansas Heritage may charge a fee to process:

(A) An application for an Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit; and

(B) A request to record transfers of interests in an Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit to other holders.

(2) The fee for processing an application for an Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit shall not exceed two and one-half percent (2.5%) of the amount of the Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit applied for, or seventy-five hundredths percent (0.75%) of the amount of the Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit transferred, whichever is less.

(b) A fee collected under this subchapter by the Department of Arkansas Heritage shall be considered cash funds of the Department of Arkansas Heritage and shall be used for the administration of this act.

26-51-2207. Rules.

(a) The Department of Arkansas Heritage shall promulgate rules to implement this subchapter that shall include criteria for the prioritizing of the rehabilitation applications and that will stimulate the local economy where the property is located, including without limitation the criteria that the rehabilitation project will be prioritized in the following order:

(1) Result in the creation of a new business;

(2) Result in the expansion of an existing business;

(3) Establish or contribute to the establishment of a tourism attraction as defined by the Department of Parks and Tourism;

(4) Contribute to the revitalization of a specific business district; or

(5) Be a key property in the revitalization of a specific neighborhood.

(b) The Department of Arkansas Heritage shall consult with the Department of Finance and Administration, the Arkansas Economic Development Commission, and the State Insurance Department in promulgating rules under this subchapter.

(c) The Department of Parks and Tourism shall promulgate rules to define a “tourism attraction” as provided in subdivision (a)(3) of this section.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code Title 26, Chapter 51, Subchapter 5 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

26-51-513. Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit.

(a) In addition to any income tax credit not related to the same eligible property for which a taxpayer qualifies, the taxpayer is allowed an income tax credit for the amount of the Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit allowed by the certification of completion issued by the Department of Arkansas Heritage under the Arkansas Historic Rehabilitation Income Tax Credit Act, § 26-51-2201 et seq.

(b) The amount of the income tax credit under this section that may be claimed by the taxpayer in a tax year shall not exceed the amount of state income tax due by the taxpayer.

(c) Any unused income tax credit under this section may be carried forward for a maximum of five (5) consecutive tax years for credit against the state income tax.

(d) The Director of the Department of Finance and Administration shall promulgate rules to implement this section.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 26-57-604, concerning the remittance of premium taxes, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(c)(1) In addition to any premium tax credit not related to the same eligible property for which an insurer qualifies under subsection (a) of this section, there is allowed a premium tax credit for the amount of the Arkansas historic rehabilitation income tax credit allowed by the certification of completion issued by the Department of Arkansas Heritage under the Arkansas Historic Rehabilitation Income Tax Credit Act, § 26-51-2201 et seq.

(2) The premium tax credit under this subsection may be used to offset the premium tax imposed by §§ 26-57-603 – 26-57-605.

(3) The amount of the premium tax credit under this section that may be claimed by the taxpayer in a tax year shall not exceed the amount of premium tax due by the taxpayer.

(4) Any unused premium tax credit may be carried forward for a maximum of five (5) consecutive taxable years for credit against the premium tax.

(5) The Insurance Commissioner shall promulgate rules to implement this section.

SECTION 4. This act is effective for tax years beginning on and after January 1, 2009, and ending on or before December 31, 2015."

(SIGNED) SENATOR DANNY ALTES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 9 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 431 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 431

Amend Senate Bill No. 431 as engrossed, S2/24/09:

Page 1, delete lines 23 through 33 and substitute the following:

"(a)(1) A person commits the offense of defrauding a secured creditor in the first degree if he or she destroys, removes, cancels, encumbers, transfers, or otherwise disposes of property subject to a security interest with the purpose to hinder enforcement of the security interest.

~~(b)~~(2) Defrauding a secured creditor in the first degree is a Class D felony.

(b)(1) A person commits the offense of defrauding a secured creditor in the second degree if he or she uses motor vehicle insurance policy proceeds in excess of one thousand dollars ($1,000) obtained from a settlement of a property damage claim on a motor vehicle subject to a security interest in contravention of the security agreement that creates or provides for the security interest in the motor vehicle.

(2) Defrauding a secured creditor in the second degree is a Class A misdemeanor."

(SIGNED) SENATOR T. SMITH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 431 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 473 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 473

Amend Senate Bill No. 473 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 26, insert "fire departments," between "to" and "counties"

AND

Page 1, line 29, insert "fire protection" between "centers," and "and"

(SIGNED) SENATOR D. WYATT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 473 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Miller, Senate Bill No. 484 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 484

Amend Senate Bill No. 484 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives Curren Everett and Eddie Cooper as Co-sponsors to the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 484 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Miller, Senate Bill No. 483 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 483

Amend Senate Bill No. 483 as originally introduced:
Add Representatives Curren Everett and Eddie Cooper as Co-sponsors to the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 483 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 478 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 478

Amend Senate Bill No. 478 as originally introduced:
Page 1, line 29, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$2,000,000".

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 478 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 179 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 179

Amend Senate Bill No. 179 as engrossed, S2/18/09:

Please add Representative Sample as a co-sponsor.

(SIGNED) SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 179 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Miller, Senate Bill No. 485 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 485

Amend Senate Bill No. 485 as originally introduced:
Page 1, line, 26, insert "fire departments," between "to" and "counties"

And

Page 1, line 29, insert "fire protection," between "centers," and "and"

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 485 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 639 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 639

Amend Senate Bill No. 639 as originally introduced:
Add the following House sponsor to the bill:

"Representative Glidewell".

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALTES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 639 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 596 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 596

Amend Senate Bill No. 596 as originally introduced:
Page 2, delete lines 15 and 16 and substitute:

"(B) The MAGNUM Drug Court Fund shall consist of ~~user fees and any~~ other moneys provided by law."

(SIGNED) SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 596 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Joint Resolution No. 6 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 6

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 6 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 10 through 17 and substitute "PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO AUTHORIZE GOVERNMENTAL UNITS TO ISSUE REVENUE BONDS TO FINANCE ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROJECTS AND TO AUTHORIZE THE USE OF SAVINGS FROM THE PROJECTS TO REPAY THE BONDS."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 20 through 24 and substitute "PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO AUTHORIZE GOVERNMENTAL UNITS TO ISSUE REVENUE BONDS TO FINANCE ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROJECTS AND TO AUTHORIZE THE USE OF SAVINGS FROM THE PROJECTS TO REPAY THE BONDS."

AND

Page 2, delete Section 1 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Section 1 of Amendment 65 of the Arkansas Constitution is amended to read as follows:

1. Issuance - Terms and conditions.

Subject to the provisions of Section 2 hereof, any governmental unit, pursuant to laws heretofore or hereafter adopted by the General Assembly, may issue revenue bonds for the purpose of financing all or a portion of the costs of capital improvements of a public nature, facilities for the securing and developing of industry or agriculture, energy efficiency projects, and for such other public purposes as may be authorized by the General Assembly. Such bonds may bear such terms, be issued in such manner, and be subject to such conditions, all as may be authorized by the General Assembly; and the General Assembly may, but shall not be required to, condition the issuance of such bonds upon an election.

SECTTION 2. Section 3(a) of Amendment 65 of the Arkansas Constitution is amended to read as follows:

3. Definitions.

(a) The term "revenue bonds" as used herein shall mean all bonds, notes, certificates or other instruments or evidences of indebtedness the repayment of which is secured by rents, user fees, charges, savings generated by energy efficiency projects, or other revenues (other than assessments for local improvements and taxes) derived from the project or improvements financed in whole or in part by such bonds, notes, certificates or other instruments or evidences of indebtedness, from the operations of any governmental unit, or from any other special fund or source other than assessments for local improvements and taxes."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BROADWAY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Joint Resolution No. 6 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Bill No. 605 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 605

Amend Senate Bill No. 605 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 11 delete "- WYNNE"
AND
Page 1, line 16 delete "- WYNNE"
AND
Page 1, line 22 delete "- WYNNE"
AND
Page 1, line 27 delete "at Wynne".

(SIGNED) SENATOR LUKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 605 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 191 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 191

Amend Senate Bill No. 191 as engrossed, S2/24/09:

Page 9, line 5, delete ", unless" and substitute the following:

", however under no circumstance shall the required employer contribution rate exceed the maximum percentage rate under subdivision (c)(4) of this section."

AND

Page 9, delete line 6

AND

Page 10, delete lines 25 through 36.

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 191 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 6, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Joint Resolution No. 6 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 9, BY SENATOR ALTES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 9 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 179, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 191, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 179 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 191 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 431, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 596, BY SENATOR B. PRITCHARD,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 431 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY

On motion of Senator B. Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 596 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 473, BY SENATOR D. WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 478, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 483, BY SENATOR MILLER,
SENATE BILL NO. 484, BY SENATOR MILLER,
SENATE BILL NO. 485, BY SENATOR MILLER,
SENATE BILL NO. 605, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 639, BY SENATOR ALTES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 473 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 478 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Miller, Senate Bill No. 483 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Miller, Senate Bill No. 484 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Miller, Senate Bill No. 485 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Bill No. 605 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 639 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

March 3, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on March 3, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 001
Senate Bill No. 015, - ACT 290,
Senate Bill No. 040, - ACT 291,
Senate Bill No. 045, - ACT 292,
Senate Bill No. 059, - ACT 293,
Senate Bill No. 121, - ACT 294,
Senate Bill No. 128, - ACT 295,
Senate Bill No. 200, - ACT 296,
Senate Bill No. 225, - ACT 297,
Senate Bill No. 267, - ACT 298,
Senate Bill No. 288, - ACT 299,
Senate Bill No. 331, - ACT 300,
Senate Bill No. 352, - ACT 301,
Senate Bill No. 355, - ACT 302,
Senate Bill No. 392, - ACT 303,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 393, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ROBERT THOMPSON
VICE CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1384, BY REPRESENTATIVE MCLEAN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1393, BY REPRESENTATIVE T. BAKER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1443, BY REPRESENTATIVE PYLE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1444, BY REPRESENTATIVE PYLE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1465, BY REPRESENTATIVE T. BAKER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1468, BY REPRESENTATIVE SLINKARD,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1469, BY REPRESENTATIVE SLINKARD,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ROBERT THOMPSON
VICE CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 446, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JERRY TAYLOR
VICE CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1477, BY REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1445, BY REPRESENTATIVE PYLE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1551, BY REPRESENTATIVE MAXWELL,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 284, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 305, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 495, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 525, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 357, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1362, BY REPRESENTATIVE M. BURRIS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN
CHAIRMAN

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 113 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 113

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 20, CHAPTER 22, SUBCHAPTER 6 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE; CONCERNING FIRE EXTINGUISHERS, FIXED FIRE PROTECTION SYSTEMS, AND FIRE PROTECTION SPRINKLER SYSTEMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 113 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 113 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 226 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 226

As Engrossed: S2/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

BY: REPRESENTATIVES T. ROGERS, NIX & *SAUNDERS*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A COMMON SPRING BREAK FOR ALL ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 226 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, D. Johnson, J. Key, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 28

NEGATIVE: Laverty, Madison.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Altes, B. Johnson, Luker, Teague.

Total 5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....30

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 226 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 1272 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1272

Amend House Bill No. 1272 as engrossed, H2/13/09:

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 7, and substitute the following:

"(ii) Provide instruction to a parent on how to incorporate developmentally appropriate learning activities in the home environment, including without limitation:"

AND

Page 2, line 8, delete "(1)" and one tab before it and substitute "(a)"

AND

Page 2, line 10, delete "(2)" and one tab before it and substitute "(b)"

AND

Page 2, line 12, delete "(3)" and one tab before it and substitute "(c)"

AND

Page 2, line 14, delete "(4)" and one tab before it and substitute "(d)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1272 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 238 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 238

As Engrossed: S2/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE STUDENTS CATEGORIZED WITH BEHAVIORAL DISABILITIES IN OTHER STATES ARE PROMPTLY AND ADEQUATELY PLACED IN THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 238 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 238 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 223 at this time.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 223 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 223

Amend Senate Bill No. 223 as originally introduced:
Page 1, line 32, delete "hay" and substitute "agricultural products"

(SIGNED) SENATOR R. LAVERTY

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Laverty, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 223 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 223
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE A SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR MATERIALS USED BY FARMERS TO BALE HAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 223 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 223 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 252 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 252

As Engrossed: S2/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

BY: REPRESENTATIVES SAUNDERS AND WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THE ENROLLMENT AGE IN PREKINDERGARTEN IS CONSISTENT WITH THE ENROLLMENT CRITERIA FOR ENTRY INTO PUBLIC SCHOOL; TO ENSURE ADEQUATE NOTICE IS GIVEN TO PREKINDERGARTEN PROGRAM PROVIDERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 252 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 252, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 252 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 313 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 313

As Engrossed: S2/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS D. JOHNSON AND *D. WYATT*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY APPLICABLE KINDERGARTEN AND PREKINDERGARTEN PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 313 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 28

NEGATIVE: Altes, J. Key, Teague.

Total 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Crumbly, B. Johnson, B. Pritchard.

Total 4

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 31

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 313 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 403 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 403

As Engrossed: S3/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH ANNUAL REPORTING REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTAIN IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; TO REQUIRE COUNTY CLERKS TO PROVIDE NOTICE OF A VACANCY ON A DISTRICT BOARD; TO SET A COUNTY FILING FEE FOR THE IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT REPORT; TO INVESTIGATE A VACANCY ON A DISTRICT BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 403 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 403 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1400 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1400

As Engrossed: S3/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE ENGLISH

BY: SENATOR *J. JEFFRESS*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REMOVE BARRIERS TO EDUCATIONAL SUCCESS FOR MILITARY CHILDREN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1400 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1400 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1026 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1026

As Engrossed: H2/9/09 S3/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES G. SMITH AND LOWERY

BY: SENATORS WHITAKER AND G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT *A MAJORITY OF THE* MEMBERS OF THE OIL AND GAS COMMISSION BE EXPERIENCED IN THE DEVELOPMENT, PRODUCTION, AND TRANSPORTATION OF OIL AND GAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1026 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Elliott spoke against the Bill.

Senator Taylor spoke for the Bill.

Senator Salmon spoke against the Bill.

Senator Miller spoke for the Bill.

Senator Gene Jeffress closed for his Bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Crumbly, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 20

NEGATIVE: Elliott, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Madison, Salmon, R. Thompson.

Total 7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bryles, Faris, B. Johnson, Luker, Teague, Trusty, H. Wilkins.

Total 8

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....27

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1026 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Madison, and without objection, The Governor was requested to return Senate Bill No. 359 for further consideration.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
ARKANSAS SENATE
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate
State Capitol, Room 320
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

March 3, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
Executive Chamber
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas

Dear Governor Beebe:

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate, of Senate Bill No. 359.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

AC:as

Returned Senate Bill No. 359 from the Governor as requested.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 333 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 525 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 628 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 628

Amend Senate Bill No. 628 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 25, delete "taxed" and substitute "taxes"

AND

Page 4, line 12, insert "of School Age Children" between "Care" and "for"

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 628 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Committee bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1066 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1066 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1066
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF REGISTERED INTERIOR DESIGNERS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1066 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1066, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1066 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1081 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1081 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1081
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS MOTOR VEHICLE COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1081 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1081, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1081 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1189 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1189 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1189
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1189 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1189, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1189 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 55, BY SENATORS BAKER, MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 255, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 316, BY SENATOR BAKER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:45 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 55
SENATE BILL NO. 255
SENATE BILL NO. 316

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 3rd day of March, 2009 at 9:45 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Marc Harrison
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 223, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No. 223 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1272, BY REPRESENTATIVE BLOUNT ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No. 154 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 311 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 311 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 350 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 351 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 361 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

SENATE BILL NO. 765
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MAXIMUM WEIGHT ALLOWED ON THE FRONT OR STEERING AXLE OF A VEHICLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 765 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 766
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOL CHOICE LAWS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 766 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 767
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE RESOLUTION OF PROTESTED SOLICITATIONS AND AWARDS FOR STATE CONTRACTS TO PROVIDE FOR A DEADLINE TO PROTEST THE SOLICITATION PROCESS BEFORE TO OPENING THE SOLICITATION RESPONSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 767 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 768
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS J. TAYLOR, T. SMITH, TRUSTY, WILKINSON, FARIS, BOOKOUT, D. WYATT & J. KEY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE STEWART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REMOVE THE ABILITY OF A LOCAL UNIT OF GOVERNMENT TO REGULATE FIREARMS FOLLOWING A PROCLAMATION BY THE GOVERNOR OF A STATE OF EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 768 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 769
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE TAXPAYER BILL OF RIGHTS TO PROVIDE UNIFORM GUIDELINES FOR THE STRICT CONSTRUCTION OF A TAX EXEMPTION, DEDUCTION OR CREDIT; TO SET THE STANDARD FOR REVIEW OF ADMINISTRATIVE TAX DETERMINATIONS ON APPEAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 769 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 770
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT PARTIAL REPLACEMENT OF MANUFACTURING MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT THAT IMPROVE MANUFACTURING EFFICIENCY, MODERNIZE EXISTING MACHINERY, OR ECONOMICALLY OR PHYSICALLY EXPAND AN EXISTING FACILITY, INCLUDING THE MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT THAT ACT AS A MOLD OR DIE TO DETERMINE THE PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS OF A PRODUCT, ARE EXEMPT FROM THE SALES AND USE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 770 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 771
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION TO ISSUE SPECIAL PERMITS FOR THE MOVEMENT OF SEALED CONTAINERIZED CARGO BETWEEN TWO (2) CONTIGUOUS COUNTIES OF THE STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 771 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 772
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ENTRIES INTO THE JUDGMENT BOOK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 772 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 773
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT THE COUNTY JUDGE MAY INSTITUTE CIVIL ACTIONS ON BEHALF OF THE COUNTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 773 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 774
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING CONFLICTING ANNEXATION ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 774 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 775
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE POSTING OF RETURN RECORDS FOR VOTING MACHINES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 775 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 776
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE POWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING JUVENILES, THE JUVENILE CODE, AND JUVENILE JUSTICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 776 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 777
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROMOTE COMPETITION AMONG BOOKSTORES AT STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 777 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1462
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT, § 4-26-101 ET SEQ., THE ARKANSAS BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT, § 4-27-101 ET SEQ., THE SMALL BUSINESS ENTITY TAX PASS THROUGH ACT, § 4-32-101 ET SEQ., AND § 4-46-101 ET SEQ. ENACTING THE UNIFORM PARTNERSHIP ACT (1996) TO ALLOW ANY BUSINESS ENTITY TO CONVERT TO OR MERGE WITH ANY OTHER BUSINESS ENTITY; TO MAKE RELATED TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1462 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 628, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 628 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 12
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

SENATE RESOLUTION TO SUPPORT THE ARKANSAS WHOLE CHILD INITIATIVE.

Senate Resolution No. 12 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 778
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE STATUTE OF IMPAIRING THE OPERATION OF A VITAL PUBLIC FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 778 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 779
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR P. MALONE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. HUTCHINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE AVAILABILITY OF RECORDS OF CHILDREN'S ADVOCACY CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 779 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 780
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS B. PRITCHARD, ALTES, G. BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, FARIS, GLOVER, HORN, J. JEFFRESS, D. JOHNSON, J. KEY, T. SMITH, J. TAYLOR, R. THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WILKINSON & D. WYATT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SAMPLE, M. MARTIN, J. ROGERS, J. BURRIS, M. BURRIS, CARTER, CLEMMER, DALE, DISMANG, DUNN, EVERETT, GASKILL, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, HOYT, KING, LOWERY, NICKELS, PYLE, RAGLAND, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS & WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FORFEITURE OF OR DISQUALIFICATION FROM PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT ON CONVICTION OF AN OFFENSE RELATED TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 780 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 217, BY SENATOR ALTES,
SENATE BILL NO. 348, BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 381, BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 399, BY SENATOR D. WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 407, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 408, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 431, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 486, BY SENATOR J. KEY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 409, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1038, BY REPRESENTATIVE CREEKMORE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1040, BY REPRESENTATIVE CREEKMORE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1041, BY REPRESENTATIVE CREEKMORE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1161, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1353, BY REPRESENTATIVE WELLS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1398, BY REPRESENTATIVE POWERS,

HOUSE BILL NO. 1399, BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1493, BY REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 113
SENATE BILL NO. 223
SENATE BILL NO. 226
SENATE BILL NO. 238
SENATE BILL NO. 252
SENATE BILL NO. 313
SENATE BILL NO. 403

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1066
HOUSE BILL NO. 1081
HOUSE BILL NO. 1189

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1026 AS AMENDED NOS. 1 &. 2
HOUSE BILL NO. 1400 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE

AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 350

SENATE BILL NO. 351

SENATE BILL NO. 361

SENATE BILL NO. 154

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE

AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 311 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILL TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1462

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Wednesday, March 4, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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FIFTY-THIRD DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

March 4, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

Senator Teague requested leave for Senator Capps. Leave granted.

The Senate was led in prayer by Brother Ed Heflin, Missionary Baptist Church, Russellville, Arkansas.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 442 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 442

Amend Senate Bill No. 442 as originally introduced:

Add Senator Teague and Senator Madison as a co-sponsors

AND

Add Representatives J. Burris, Garner, and Kerr, as co-sponsors

AND

Page 1, delete line 12 of the Title and substitute "PRODUCED AND SOLD BY THE PRODUCER ARE EXEMPTED"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 19 and 20 of the Subtitle and substitute "PRODUCTS ARE PRODUCED AND SOLD BY THE PRODUCER ARE EXEMPTED FROM THE GROSS"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 2 through 4 and substitute the following language:

"orchard, or garden that are produced and sold by the producer of the raw products at a farmers' market, including without limitation cut or dried flowers, plants, vegetables, fruits, nuts, and herbs;"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 11 and 12 and substitute the following language:

"(ii) ~~The exemption shall also not apply unless the articles are produced or grown within the State of Arkansas.~~ A farmer's market is not an established business if the farmers' market sells raw product directly to the user of the raw product and the farmers' market is:

(a) Comprised of one or more producers of a raw product;

(b) Operated seasonally; and

(c) Held out-of doors or in a public space."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. KEY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 442 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 192 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 192

Amend Senate Bill No. 192 as originally introduced:

Delete everything following the enacting clause and substitute the following:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 7-1-103(a)(20), concerning certain misdemeanor offenses, is amended to read as follows:

(20) No person shall:

(A) Vote, knowing himself or herself not to be entitled to vote;

(B) Vote more than once at any election or knowingly cast more than one (1) ballot or attempt to do so;

(C) Provide assistance to a voter in marking and casting the voter's ballot at the polls except as provided in § 7-5-310;

~~(C)~~(D) Alter or attempt to alter any ballot after it has been cast;

~~(D)~~(E) Add or attempt to add any ballot to those legally polled at any election either by fraudulently introducing it into the ballot box before or after the ballots have been counted or at any other time or in any other manner with the intent or effect of affecting the count or recount of the ballots;

~~(E)~~(F) Withdraw or attempt to withdraw any ballot lawfully polled with the intent or effect of affecting the count or recount of the ballots; or

~~(F)~~(G) In any manner interfere with the officials lawfully conducting the election or the canvass or with the voters lawfully exercising their right to vote at the election;

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 7-1-104(a), concerning certain felony offenses, is amended to read as follows:

(a) The following offenses shall be deemed felonies punishable as provided in this section:

(1) No person shall falsely make or fraudulently destroy any certificate of nominations or any part thereof, file any certificate of nominations knowing the certificate or any part thereof to be false, suppress any nomination or any part thereof which has been filed, or forge or falsely write the name or initials of any election official on any ballot;

(2) No public official or other person shall in any manner willfully or corruptly permit any person not entitled to register for the purpose of voting to register, nor shall a public official or other person forge or attempt to forge a registration;

(3) No person shall vote in any election in the state unless the person is a qualified elector of this state and has registered to vote in the manner provided by law;

(4) It shall be unlawful for any person to offer, accept, receive, or pay any person any money, goods, wares, or merchandise or solicit any money, goods, wares, or merchandise for the purpose of influencing his or her vote during the progress of any election in this state;

(5) It shall be unlawful for any person to make any threat or attempt to intimidate any elector or the family, business, or profession of the elector;

(6) It shall be unlawful for any person to prevent or to interfere with any qualified elector from voting at any election or to attempt to prevent or interfere with any qualified elector from voting at any election, provided that this subdivision (a)(6) shall not prohibit good faith challenges of ballots or voters according to law by candidates, authorized representatives of candidates, political parties, or ballot issues;

(7) It shall be unlawful for any person to attend any polling site on election day and hand out or give away any campaign cards, placards, or other articles for the purpose of influencing the electors to vote for any candidate, except in the manner now provided by law;

(8)(A) It shall be unlawful for a person, with the intent to defraud a voter or an election official, to possess an absentee ballot issued to another.

(B) The possession by a person of more than ten (10) absentee ballots creates a rebuttable presumption of intent to defraud.

(C) The presumption under subdivision (a)(8)(B) of this section does not apply to:

(i) An employee of the United States Postal Service performing the normal course of the employee's authorized duties;

(ii) A common or contract carrier performing the normal course of the carrier's authorized duties;

(iii) The administrative head of a long-term care or residential care facility licensed by the state authorized by a voter under Arkansas law; or

(iv) An election official acting in his or her official capacity.

~~(8)~~(9) No person shall tamper with a voting machine or fraudulently affect or attempt to affect its results;

~~(9)~~(10) No person may cast a ballot in more than one (1) party primary election on the same day in this state or for candidates for more than one (1) political party;

~~(10)~~(11) No person shall vote in any election more than one (1) vote;

~~(11)~~(12) No person shall vote or attempt to vote other than his or her legal ballot;

~~(12)~~(13) No election official shall knowingly permit any person to vote other than his or her legal ballot in any election;

~~(13)~~(14) No election official or other person shall fraudulently permit any person to vote illegally, refuse the vote of any qualified elector, or cast up or make a false return of any election;

~~(14)~~(15) No election official or other person shall willfully make a false count of any election ballots or falsely or fraudulently certify the returns of any election;

~~(15)~~(16) No person shall fraudulently change, alter, or obliterate the poll books or books of any election or break any seals upon any ballot box, voting machine, or stub box, except as authorized by law;

~~(16)~~(17) No person shall contrive, alter, forge, counterfeit, detain, mutilate, steal, secrete, or destroy any election returns or election materials for the purpose of hindering or preventing or falsely reporting a tabulation or check of the returns; and

~~(17)~~(18) Any person who violates the provisions of § 7-5-702 or who shall disclose how any voter may have voted unless compelled to do so in a judicial proceeding shall be deemed guilty of a Class D felony and punished as provided in this section.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 7-5-310(b)(4), concerning voter assistance, is amended to read as follows:

(4)(A) If the voter is assisted by one (1) person named by the voter, he or she may assist the voter in marking and casting the ballot according to the wishes of the voter without any comment or interpretation.

(B) No person other than the following shall assist more than four (4) voters in marking and casting a ballot at an election:

(i) A poll worker;

(ii) The county clerk during early voting; or

(iii) A deputy county clerk during early voting.

(SIGNED) SENATOR S. FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 192 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 507 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 507

Amend Senate Bill No. 507 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 10, delete "VAN WINKLE SAWMILL" and substitute "GRANTS TO HISTORIC STATE PARKS"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"AN ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND
TOURISM - HISTORIC STATE PARKS GRANTS
GENERAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION."

AND

Page 1, line 22, delete "VAN WINKLE SAWMILL." and substitute "HISTORIC STATE PARKS GRANTS."

AND

Page 1, line 26, between the words "For" and "interpretive" insert "grants for"

AND

Page 1, line 27, between the words "for" and "historic", delete "the"

AND

Page 1, line 27, delete "Van Winkle Sawmill" and substitute "State parks"

AND

Following Section 1, insert a new section:

" SECTION 2. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. APPLICABLE LAW/REGULATIONS. The appropriations authorized in this Act shall not be restricted by requirements that may be applicable to other programs currently administered. New rules and regulations may be adopted to carry out the intent of the General Assembly regarding the appropriations authorized in this Act."

AND
Appropriately renumber the subsequent sections.

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 507 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Bill No. 594 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 594

Amend Senate Bill No. 594 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 26 delete "to counties, municipalities," and substitute "to fire departments, or counties, or municipalities,"
And
Page 1, line 29 delete ", and" and substitute ", fire protection and"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 594 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 231 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 231

Amend Senate Bill No. 231 as engrossed, S2/18/09:

Page 1, line 28, delete "(15)(A)(i)(a)" and substitute "(15)(A)(i)"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 3

AND

Page 3, delete line 19 and substitute the following:

"year beginning after December 31, 1995.

(c) However, compensation in excess of the limitations set forth in Section 401(a)(17) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 shall be disregarded."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 231 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 192, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 192 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 231, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 231 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 442, BY SENATOR J. KEY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator J. Key, Senate Bill No. 442 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 507, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,

SENATE BILL NO. 594, BY SENATOR LUKER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 507 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Bill No. 594 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 63, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 64, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 76, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 354, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 356, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

SENATE BILL NO. 451, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 595, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 239, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 4.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1379, BY REPRESENTATIVE SUMMERS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1409, BY REPRESENTATIVE MCLEAN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1452, BY REPRESENTATIVE TYLER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1453, BY REPRESENTATIVE TYLER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1546, BY REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1558, BY REPRESENTATIVE REEP,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 260, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 505, BY SENATOR LUKER,

SENATE BILL NO. 543, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 544, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 596, BY SENATOR B. PRITCHARD,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1325, BY REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1330, BY REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1350, BY REPRESENTATIVE CREEKMORE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1351, BY REPRESENTATIVE CREEKMORE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1352, BY REPRESENTATIVE CREEKMORE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1394, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1395, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1396, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1459, BY REPRESENTATIVE NIX,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1585, BY REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1058, BY REPRESENTATIVE CREEKMORE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 2, BY SENATOR GLOVER,
SENATE BILL NO. 126, BY SENATOR D, JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 247, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 369, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 582, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1471, BY REPRESENTATIVE MOORE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1480, BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1549, BY REPRESENTATIVE MOORE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1577, BY REPRESENTATIVE LINDSEY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 641, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 312, BY SENATOR STEELE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1 & No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Resolution No. 8 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 8

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

SENATE RESOLUTION SUPPORTING THE GOALS AND IDEALS OF MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS AWARENESS WEEK.

Senate Resolution No. 8 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 393 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 393

Amend Senate Bill No. 393 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 31-34 and substitute the following:

"(c) Except for moving traffic violations, it is proper service for a code enforcement officer to send a citation to a person charged with a violation of a municipal code, ordinance, or regulation to that person's last known place of residence by certified mail, return receipt requested, and delivery restricted to the addressee."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 19-21 and substitute the following:

"(c) Imprisonment shall not be available as a sentence or in lieu of payment for a fine for a defendant that was served with a citation solely by mail under § 14-55-601."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 393 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 409 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 409

Amend Senate Bill No. 409 as originally introduced:
Delete Sections 4 and 5 of the bill

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 409 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 399 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1058 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, House Bill No. 1393 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 446 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 446
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXTEND THE TIME WITHIN WHICH THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT MAY DESIGNATE A LODGING FACILITY AS AN APPROVED COMPANY AND AUTHORIZE THE UNDERTAKING OF A TOURISM ATTRACTION PROJECT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 446 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 446, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 446 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Bookout, Senate Bill No. 357 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 357

As Engrossed: S3/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW UPON CERTAIN CONDITIONS A VENDOR CHOSEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION TO REPORT MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE POLICIES AND POLICY CANCELLATIONS IN LIEU OF THE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS FOR INSURANCE COMPANIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 357 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 357 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 217 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 217

As Engrossed: S2/23/09 S2/24/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO AMEND THE STATUTE REQUIRING A CHEMICAL TEST OF THE BLOOD, BREATH, OR URINE OF THE DRIVER INVOLVED IN AN ACCIDENT IN WHICH DEATH HAS OCCURRED OR IS LIKELY TO OCCUR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

Senate Bill No. 217 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 217 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 348 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 348
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE UNIFORM FILING FEES IN CIRCUIT COURT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 348 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: Hendren.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 348 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 381 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 381
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE OFFENSE OF SEXUAL SOLICITATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 381 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 381 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 407 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 407
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 15 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 407 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 407 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 408 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 408
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 18 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 408 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 408 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 486 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 486
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SALE OF SHOTGUNS, RIFLES, AND AMMUNITION TO OUT-OF-STATE RESIDENTS; FOR THE PURCHASE OF SHOTGUNS, RIFLES, AND AMMUNITION BY ARKANSAS RESIDENTS IN OTHER STATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 486 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 486 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1460 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1460
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITIONS OF "MANUFACTURED HOME" AND "MOBILE HOME" UNDER THE UNIFORM MOTOR VEHICLE ADMINISTRATION, CERTIFICATE OF TITLE, AND ANTITHEFT ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1460 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1460 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1461 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1461
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PENALTY FOR VIOLATING THE UNIFORM MOTOR VEHICLE ADMINISTRATION, CERTIFICATE OF TITLE, AND ANTITHEFT ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1461 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 32

NEGATIVE: Altes, B. Pritchard.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1461 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

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On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1477 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1477
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE CERTAIN FEES OF THE COMMISSION ON WATER WELL CONSTRUCTION; TO PROVIDE FOR NEW CATEGORIES OF LICENSE AND REGISTRATION FEES TO BE COLLECTED BY THE COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1477 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Faris, Glover, G. Jeffress, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, Teague, R. Thompson, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 14

NEGATIVE: Altes, Bledsoe, Hendren, J. Key, Laverty, B. Pritchard, Trusty, Whitaker.

Total 8

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Crumbly, Elliott, Horn, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Luker, Madison, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, H. Wilkins.

Total 13

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....22

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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The record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1477 failed to pass was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on March 4, 2009.

Senator Teague moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1477 passed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 1467 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1467
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVERETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MINIMUM AND MAXIMUM COMPENSATION FOR ELECTED COUNTY OFFICERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1467 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: Altes.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1467 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Glover, House Bill No. 1443 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1443

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES PYLE AND HOYT

BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT THE ANNUAL COUNTY FINANCIAL REPORT INCLUDE A STATEMENT OF SHORT-TERM INDEBTEDNESS OF THE COUNTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1443 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1443 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Glover, House Bill No. 1444 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1444

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES PYLE AND HOYT

BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT ALL DISBURSEMENTS OF MUNICIPAL FUNDS HAVE ADEQUATE SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1444 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1444 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1390 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1390

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES G. SMITH, GLIDEWELL, PATTERSON & BARNETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF THE BOARD OF ELECTRICAL EXAMINERS WITH RESPECT TO THE ISSUANCE OF A TEMPORARY ELECTRICIAN'S LICENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1390 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1390 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 1272 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1272

As Engrossed: H2/13/09 S3/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES BLOUNT, ALLEN, T. BAKER, CASH, DAVIS, HARDY, HOUSE, HOYT, RAINEY, J. ROEBUCK, SHELBY & STEWART

BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT AND STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE PARENTAL INVOLVEMENT IN ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1272 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bookout, Broadway, Elliott, Faris, Glover, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 21

NEGATIVE: Hendren.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bledsoe, Bryles, Crumbly, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Luker, B. Pritchard, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, H. Wilkins.

Total 13

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....22

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1272 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Taylor, House Bill No. 1362 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1362

As Engrossed: H2/5/09 H2/13/09 H2/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. BURRIS AND *R. GREEN*

BY: SENATORS J. TAYLOR AND ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAW REGARDING WORKERS' *COMPENSATION PAYMENTS UNDER THE WORKER'S COMPENSATION LAW THAT RESULTED FROM INITIATED ACT 4 of 1948; TO ENSURE THAT LICENSED* CONTRACTORS OBTAIN AND MAINTAIN WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1362 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, G. Jeffress, D. Johnson, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 25

NEGATIVE: Hendren, J. Key, Laverty.

Total 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bryles, Horn, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Luker, H. Wilkins.

Total 7

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 28

Necessary to the passage of the bill 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Passage of this Bill requires 24 votes.

House Bill No. 1362 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bookout, House Bill No. 1465 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1465
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE T. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO UPDATE PROCEDURES FOR VIOLATIONS OF COUNTY ORDINANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1465 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 32

NEGATIVE: Altes, Trusty.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1465 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, House Bill No. 1011 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1011

As Engrossed: H1/28/09 S2/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. HUTCHINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO FURTHER DEFINE THE CRIMINAL ACT OF VOYEURISM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1011 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1011 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1353 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1353

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WELLS, GEORGE, HARRELSON, OVERBEY, T. ROGERS & TYLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE A STRUCTURE FOR THE PERPETUAL STAFFING AND OPERATION OF THE AUTOMATED COURT MANAGEMENT SYSTEM; TO ENSURE THAT THE AUTOMATED COURT SYSTEM IS SELF-SUPPORTING; TO PROVIDE THAT ALL FUNDING IS GENERATED BY AND THROUGH THE USE OF THE AUTOMATED COURT SYSTEM TO THE EXCLUSION OF ANY USE OF GENERAL REVENUE FUNDS OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1353 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1353 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1038 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1038

As Engrossed: S2/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE, *CASH, T. BAKER, HOBBS, LEA, M. MARTIN, PYLE, RICE, WAGNER & B. WILKINS*

BY: SENATORS *D. JOHNSON, BROADWAY & H. WILKINS*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING AN ARREST FOR VIOLATION OF AN ORDER OF PROTECTION AND THE PENALTY FOR THE OFFENSE OF VIOLATION OF AN ORDER OF PROTECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1038 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1038, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1038 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1040 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1040

As Engrossed: H1/23/09 S2/17/09 S2/24/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE, T. BAKER, LEA, M. MARTIN, NIX, PYLE, L. SMITH, *B. WILKINS*

BY: SENATORS D. JOHNSON, BROADWAY & *H. WILKINS*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO AMEND THE OFFENSES OF AGGRAVATED ASSAULT AND ASSAULT IN THE FIRST DEGREE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1040 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1040 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1041 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1041

As Engrossed: H1/28/09 S2/17/09 S2/24/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE, T. BAKER, LEA, M. MARTIN, NIX, PYLE, WAGNER & B. WILKINS

BY: SENATORS D. JOHNSON, BROADWAY & *H. WILKINS*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE PENALTY CLASSIFICATION FOR THE OFFENSE OF DOMESTIC BATTERING IN THE THIRD DEGREE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1041 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1041 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1161 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1161
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE OFFENSE OF FRAUDULENT FILING OF A UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE FINANCING STATEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1161 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 31

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Crumbly, B. Johnson, R. Thompson.

Total 4

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 31

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1161 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1399 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1399
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS VERSION OF THE UNIFORM DISCLAIMER OF PROPERTY INTERESTS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1399 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1399 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 1398 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1398

As Engrossed: H2/18/09 H2/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES POWERS, PENNARTZ, HARRELSON, REYNOLDS, *BLOUNT, CASH, COLE, COOK, DAVENPORT, GLIDEWELL, HOUSE, LINDSEY, NICKELS, RAINEY, J. ROEBUCK, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, WEBB, & WILLIAMS*

BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE DISTRICT COURT FILING FEES; ESTABLISH ADDITIONAL PILOT STATE DISTRICT COURT JUDGESHIPS; CONSOLIDATE CITY COURTS WITH DISTRICT COURTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1398 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: Altes.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1398, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: Altes.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1398 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1468 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1468
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SLINKARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE DESIGNATION OF THE PREPARER OF COUNTY TAX BOOKS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1468 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1468 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1469 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1469
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SLINKARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE COUNTY CLERKS' COST FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1469 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1469 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 465 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 465 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 465

Amend Senate Bill No. 465 as originally introduced:

Add the following Representatives Wills, Hawkins, Tyler, English as co-sponsors of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 465 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 284 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 284 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 284

As Engrossed: S2/5/09 S2/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS CEMETERY BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 284 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 284, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 284 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 305 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 305 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 305
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1283 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 305 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 305, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 305 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 495 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 495 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 495
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE BOARD OF ELECTRICAL EXAMINERS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1230 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 495 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 495, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 495 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

Senate Bill No. 309 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 309 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 110 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 307 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 346 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 364 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 432 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 444 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 393, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 409, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 350, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 351, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 361, BY SENATOR LUKER ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:30 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 350

SENATE BILL NO. 351

SENATE BILL NO. 361

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 4th day of March, 2009 at 10:30 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Marc Harrison
Secretary

SENATE BILL NO. 781

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS MOTOR VEHICLE COMMISSION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 781 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 782
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BOOKOUT, ALTES, G. BAKER, BLEDSOE, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CRUMBLY, FARIS, HENDREN, HORN, J. JEFFRESS, D. JOHNSON, J. KEY, LAVERTY, P. MALONE, MILLER, B. PRITCHARD, SALMON, T. SMITH, STEELE, J. TAYLOR, TEAGUE, R. THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINSON & D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A PERSON WHO QUALIFIES TO BE ISSUED A MILITARY SERVICE OR VETERANS SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE TO OBTAIN A REGULAR LICENSE PLATE AT THE SAME FEE REQUIRED FOR ISSUANCE OR RENEWAL OF THE MILITARY SERVICE OR VETERANS SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 782 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 783
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE EXPANDED OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE OPERATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 783 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 784
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE EXPANDED OPPORTUNITIES FOR THE OPERATIONS OF THE ARKANSAS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 784 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 785
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE DISCLOSURE OF PERSONALLY IDENTIFIABLE INFORMATION OF A LIBRARY PATRON; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 785 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 786
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO UPDATE THE REFERENCES IN THE ARKANSAS CODE RELATED TO THE CHILD MALTREATMENT ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 786 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 787
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, NIX & L. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT MATERNITY PATIENTS ARE INFORMED OF THE TYPES AND RISKS OF BIRTHING METHODS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 787 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 788
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE JUVENILE CODE TO REQUIRE AUDIO AND VIDEO RECORDINGS OF CUSTODIAL INTERROGATIONS OF JUVENILES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 788 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 789
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW MUNICIPALITIES TO ESTABLISH AN EFFECTIVE DATE FOR THE LEVY OF CERTAIN MUNICIPAL SALES AND USE TAXES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 789 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 790

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PER DIEM STIPENDS AND EXPENSE REIMBURSEMENT FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF CORRECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 790 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 791

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE DEPARTMENT AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK AS THE LEAD AGENCY AND ENTITY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE OVERSIGHT AND OPERATION OF THE ARKANSAS VICTIM ASSISTANCE ACADEMY AND RELATED TRAINING PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 791 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 792
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PROGRAM EXPENDITURE REPORTING UNDER THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT PROCEEDS ACT; AMENDING A PORTION OF ARKANSAS LAW RESULTING FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 2000; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 792 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 793
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ARKANSAS TEACHER LICENSURE AND CERTIFICATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 793 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 794
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE TEACHER FAIR DISMISSAL ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 794 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 795
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING CONTRACTS FOR THE SALE OF REAL PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 795 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 796
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF LAW CLERKS BY CIRCUIT JUDGES IN EACH JUDICIAL DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 796 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1091
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO MEET IN EXECUTIVE SESSION ON AN APPEAL OF THE SUSPENSION OR EXPULSION OF A PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1091 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1403
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE UNIFORM EMERGENCY VOLUNTEER HEALTH PRACTITIONERS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1403 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1579
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE ONLY ANNUAL REPORTS TO THE INTERIM COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE, AND LABOR REGARDING THE TRANSITIONAL EMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1579 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1587
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE TYLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT EMPLOYER-REQUIRED DRUG TESTS ARE TO BE PROVIDED AT NO COST TO EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1587 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1589
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, COLE, ABERNATHY, NICKELS, CARNINE, CLEMMER, HOPPER, M. BURRIS, D. HUTCHINSON, T. ROGERS & G. SMITH
BY: SENATORS G. BAKER AND MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE COMPREHENSIVE ARKANSAS HIGHER EDUCATION ANNUAL REPORT; TO CONSOLIDATE ALL CURRENT LEGISLATIVELY REQUIRED REPORTS PERTAINING TO HIGHER EDUCATION SUBMITTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION, COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES, AGENCIES, BOARDS, COMMISSIONS AND ALL OTHERS, INTO ONE ANNUAL COMPREHENSIVE REPORT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1589 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1594
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH AND HARRELSON
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 18-44-101 ET SEQ. CONCERNING THE PERFECTION, FILING, AND ENFORCEMENT OF MECHANIC'S AND MATERIALMEN'S LIENS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1594 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1673
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE TEMPORARY CARDBOARD VEHICLE BUYER'S TAGS TO BE LEGIBLE AND VISIBLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1673 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1069
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE ATHLETIC COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1069 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1502
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - EDUCATIONAL TELEVISION DIVISION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1502 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1503
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1503 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1631
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PROVIDING DISASTER ASSISTANCE GRANTS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1290 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1631 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 797
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW ONE MEMBER OF A MUNICIPAL AIRPORT COMMISSION TO HAVE FINANCIAL DEALINGS OR INTERESTS IN AN AERONAUTICAL ENTERPRISE WHILE HE OR SHE IS A MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 797 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 4, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 465, BY SENATOR G. BAKER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 465 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

March 4, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on March 4, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 332, - ACT 307,
Senate Bill No. 078, - ACT 308,
Senate Bill No. 091, - ACT 309,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

SENATE BILL NO. 798
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT AND SALMON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GASKILL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE EMERGENCY CONTRACEPTION FOR RAPE SURVIVORS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 798 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 799
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE ACCESS TO POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 799 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 800
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO GIVE COUNTY OFFICIALS ADMINISTRATIVE RIGHTS TO COUNTY ELECTRONIC INFORMATION AND RECORDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 800 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE

AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 217

SENATE BILL NO. 284

SENATE BILL NO. 305

SENATE BILL NO. 348

SENATE BILL NO. 357

SENATE BILL NO. 381

SENATE BILL NO. 407

SENATE BILL NO. 408

SENATE BILL NO. 446

SENATE BILL NO. 486

SENATE BILL NO. 495

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1161

HOUSE BILL NO. 1353

HOUSE BILL NO. 1362

HOUSE BILL NO. 1390

HOUSE BILL NO. 1398

HOUSE BILL NO. 1399

HOUSE BILL NO. 1443

HOUSE BILL NO. 1444

HOUSE BILL NO. 1460

HOUSE BILL NO. 1461

HOUSE BILL NO. 1465

HOUSE BILL NO. 1467

HOUSE BILL NO. 1468

HOUSE BILL NO. 1469

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1011 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1038 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1040 AS AMENDED NOS. 1 & 2
HOUSE BILL NO. 1041 AS AMENDED NOS. 1 & 2
HOUSE BILL NO. 1272 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 110
SENATE BILL NO. 307
SENATE BILL NO. 346
SENATE BILL NO. 364
SENATE BILL NO. 432
SENATE BILL NO. 444

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 309 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1069
HOUSE BILL NO. 1091
HOUSE BILL NO. 1403
HOUSE BILL NO. 1502
HOUSE BILL NO. 1503
HOUSE BILL NO. 1579
HOUSE BILL NO. 1587
HOUSE BILL NO. 1589
HOUSE BILL NO. 1594
HOUSE BILL NO. 1631
HOUSE BILL NO. 1673

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Thursday, March 5, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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FIFTY-FOURTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

March 5, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 11:00 o'clock a.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Miller.

Senator Whitaker requested leave for Senator Capps.

Leave granted.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 3 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 3

Amend Senate Bill No. 3 as originally introduced:

Page 3, line 28, delete "plate" and substitute "plate that bears a decal that states "Cold War Veteran""

AND

Page 3, line 31, delete "plate" and substitute "plate or plate that bears a decal"

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. KEY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 3 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 437 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 437

Amend Senate Bill No. 437 as originally introduced:

Page 141, delete line 35 and substitute "commission, and state agency shall be"

AND

Page 142, line 31, delete "institution of higher education,"

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 437 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 442 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 442

Amend Senate Bill No. 442 as engrossed, S3/4/09:

Add Representatives M. Martin, R. Moore as co-sponsors

AND

Page 2, delete Section 2, lines 20 through 22, and substitute the following language:

"SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that farmers have a primary harvesting season that begins in early Spring and continues throughout the Summer and Fall; that farmers' markets begin to open and sell their produce in early Spring and sell continuously throughout the Spring, Summer, and Fall; that in order for the farmers to reap the benefit of their labors during this growing and harvesting season this act must be enacted with all due haste. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or

(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. KEY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 442 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 3, BY SENATOR J. KEY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator J. Key, Senate Bill No. 3 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 437, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 437 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 442, BY SENATOR KEY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 442 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 450, BY SENATOR J. KEY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 396, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 454, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1359, BY REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1387, BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1424, BY REPRESENTATIVE WEBB,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1629, BY REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 582 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 582

Amend Senate Bill No. 582 as originally introduced:

Add Senators G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Glover, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, Miller,

Salmon, T. Smith, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, D. Wyatt as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Representatives Reep, Pennartz, Betts, M. Burris, Cash, Cheatham, Cole, Cooper, Dunn, J. Edwards, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, Glidewell, R. Green, Hall, House, Ingram, Kidd, Maxwell, Moore, Overbey, Pierce, Powers, Rainey, Reynolds, J. Roebuck, T. Rogers, Saunders, Shelby, Stewart, Tyler, Webb, Wells, B. Wilkins as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 2, line 3, delete "; and" and substitute "; or"

AND

Page 2, delete line 17 and substitute the following:
"(7) "Specialty hospital" means an acute care general hospital that:"

AND

Page 2, line 25, delete "on a privately owned" and substitute "on privately owned"

AND

Page 3, line 2, delete "for state fiscal year" and substitute "for each state fiscal year"

AND

Page 3, delete line 19, and substitute the following:
"patient revenue for state fiscal year 2010."

AND

Page 3, line 21, delete "submit its Medicare Cost" and substitute "submit its 2008 Medicare Cost"

AND

Page 3, delete line 23, and substitute the following:
"hospital's net patient revenue for state fiscal year 2010."
AND

Page 3, line 25, delete "calculated the data" and substitute "calculated using the data"

AND

Page 5, line 26, delete "otherwise invalid" and substitute "otherwise determined to be invalid"

AND

Page 5, line 31, delete "(c) If an exemption under subdivision (b)" and substitute "(b) If an exemption under subdivision (a)"

AND

Page 5, line 32, delete "otherwise invalid" and substitute "otherwise determined to be invalid"

AND

Page 7, delete line 36, and substitute the following:
"77-1908 for the state fiscal year in which the cessation occurs, which shall be adjusted by the same fraction as its annual"

(SIGNED) SENATOR TEAGUE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 582 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 239 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 239

Amend Senate Bill No. 239 as engrossed, S2/9/09:

Add Senator Horn as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Delete everything after the ENACTING clause in its entirety and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 17-95-202 is amended to read as follows:

17-95-202. Definitions.

As used in the Arkansas Medical Practices Act, §§ 17-95-201 et seq., 17-95-301 et seq., and 17-95-401 et seq.:

(1) "Active" means actively engaged in the full-time practice of medicine;

(2) "Board" means the Arkansas State Medical Board; and

(3) "Practice of medicine" means:

(A) Holding out one's self to the public within this state as being able to diagnose, treat, prescribe for, palliate, or prevent any human disease, ailment, injury, deformity, or physical or mental condition, whether by the use of drugs, surgery, manipulation, electricity, or any physical, mechanical, or other means whatsoever;

(B) Suggesting, recommending, prescribing, or administering any form of treatment, operation, or healing for the intended palliation, relief, or cure of any physical or mental disease, ailment, injury, condition, or defect of any person with the intention of receiving, either directly or indirectly, any fee, gift, or compensation whatsoever;

(C) Maintaining an office or other place to meet persons for the purpose of examining or treating persons afflicted with disease, injury, or defect of body or mind;

(D) Using the title "M.D.", "M.B.", "D.O.", "physician", "surgeon", or any other word or abbreviation to indicate or induce others to believe that one is engaged in the diagnosis or treatment of persons afflicted with disease, injury, or defect of body or mind, except as otherwise expressly permitted by the laws of this state relating to the practice of any limited field of the healing arts; ~~or~~

(E) Performing any kind of surgical operation upon a human being; or

(F) Delegating certain medical practices to other personnel under rules adopted by the board.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code Title 17, Chapter 95, Subchapter 2 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

17-95-208. Rules on physician's authority to delegate.

(a) The Arkansas State Medical Board shall adopt rules that establish standards to be met and procedures to be followed by a physician with respect to

the physician's delegation of the performance of medical practices to a qualified and properly trained employee who is not licensed or otherwise specifically authorized by the Arkansas Code to perform the practice.

(b) The rules adopted under subsection (a) of this section shall provide that:

(1) The delegating physician remains responsible for the acts of the employee performing the delegated practice;

(2) The employee performing the delegated practice shall not be represented to the public as a licensed physician, licensed nurse, licensed physician's assistant, or other licensed healthcare provider; and

(3) Medical practices delegated under this section shall be performed under the physician's supervision.

(c) Delegation of medical practices under this section may include administration of drugs that do not require substantial specialized judgment and skill based on knowledge and application of the principles of biological, physical, and social sciences as determined by the board.

(d) Rules adopted regarding the delegation of the administration of drugs shall provide for:

(1) The delegated administration of drugs only within the physical boundaries of the delegating physician's offices;

(2) Evaluation of whether delegation is appropriate according to the acuity of the patient involved;

(3) Training and competency requirements that shall be met by the person administering the drugs; and

(4) Other standards and procedures the board considers relevant.

(e) The board shall not adopt rules that:

(1) Authorize a physician to transfer to a health professional other than another physician the physician's responsibility for supervising a delegated medical practice;

(2) Authorize an individual to whom a medical practice is delegated to delegate the performance of that practice to another individual;

(3) Authorize a physician to delegate the administration of anesthesia; or

(4) Conflict with a provision of the Arkansas Code that specifically authorizes an individual to perform a particular practice.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 17-96-202(a)(3), concerning the authority of the Arkansas Board of Podiatric Medicine to adopt rules, is amended to read as follows:

(3)(A) The board shall make and adopt all necessary rules, regulations, and bylaws necessary or convenient to perform its duties and to transact business as required by law.

(B) The rules adopted under subdivision (a)(3)(A) of this section shall authorize the delegation of certain medical practices to persons other than podiatrists.

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code Title 17, Chapter 96, Subchapter 2 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

17-96-204. Rules on podiatrist's authority to delegate.

(a) The Arkansas Board of Podiatric Medicine shall adopt rules that establish standards to be met and procedures to be followed by a podiatrist with respect to the podiatrist's delegation of the performance of medical practices to a qualified and properly trained employee who is not licensed or otherwise specifically authorized by the Arkansas Code to perform the practice.

(b) The rules adopted under subsection (a) of this section shall provide that:

(1) The delegating podiatrist is responsible for the acts of the

employee performing the delegated practice;

(2) The employee performing the delegated practice shall not be represented to the public as a licensed podiatrist, licensed nurse, licensed podiatrist's assistant, or other licensed healthcare provider; and

(3) Medical practices delegated under this section shall be performed under the podiatrist's supervision.

(c) Delegation of medical practices under this section may include administration of drugs that do not require substantial specialized judgment and skill based on knowledge and application of the principles of biological, physical, and social sciences as determined by the board.

(d) Rules adopted regarding the delegation of the administration of drugs shall provide for:

(1) The delegated administration of drugs only within the physical boundaries of the delegating podiatrist's offices;

(2) Evaluation of whether delegation is appropriate according to the acuity of the patient involved;

(3) Training and competency requirements that shall be met by the person administering the drugs; and

(4) Other standards and procedures the board considers relevant.

(e) The board shall not adopt rules that:

(1) Authorize a podiatrist to transfer to a health professional other than another physician the podiatrist's responsibility for supervising a person who is performing a delegated medical practice;

(2) Authorize an individual to whom a medical practice is delegated to delegate the performance of that practice to another individual;

(3) Authorize a podiatrist to delegate the administration of anesthesia; or

(4) Conflict with a provision of the Arkansas Code that specifically authorizes an individual to perform a particular practice."

(SIGNED) SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 239 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 431 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 431

As Engrossed: S2/24/09 S3/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF INSURANCE PROCEEDS IN CONTRAVENTION OF A SECURITY AGREEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 431 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 431 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 369 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 369
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS FOR DISTRAINT OF GOODS OR CHATTELS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 369 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 369 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 543 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 543
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REGARDING CHEMICAL TESTS GIVEN FOR THE OFFENSE OF DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 543 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 543 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Bill No. 505 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 505
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EMPOWER THE LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE TO DIVEST AUTHORITY OF A CITY COURT IF THAT CITY COURT FAILS TO COMPLY WITH CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 505 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 505 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Bill No. 544 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 544
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SET THE TERMS OF COURT IN THE FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 544 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 544 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Altes, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 63 at this time and remainder of Senator Madison's correction bills for bundling the vote.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 63 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 63
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 20 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 63 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 63 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Altes, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 64 at this time.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 64 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 64

As Engrossed: S2/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 11 OF *THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED, SOME PORTIONS OF WHICH RESULTED FROM INITIATED ACT 4 OF 1949; AND FOR* OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 64 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 64 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Altes, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 76 at this time.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 76 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 76
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 25 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 76 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 76 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Altes, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 409 at this time.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 409 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 409

As Engrossed: S3/4/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 27 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 409 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 409 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 596 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 596

As Engrossed: S3/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REGARDING DRUG COURT COSTS AND FEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 596 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 596 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 312 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment Nos. 1 & 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 312

Amend Senate Bill No. 312 as originally introduced:

Delete SECTION 2 and SECTION 3 in their entirety and substitute the following:

"SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 6-10-122 is amended to read as follows:

6-10-122. Automated external defibrillators required.

(a)(1) The State Board of Education shall promulgate rules to require that:

(A) ~~each~~ Each school campus have an automated external defibrillator ~~if funds are available~~; and

(B)(i) Appropriate school personnel be adequately trained on or before May 31, 2011; and

(ii) After May 31, 2011, appropriate school personnel be adequately trained on an ongoing basis.

(2) To enhance the potential life-saving capability of each automated external defibrillator, the rules shall include without limitation provisions regarding the availability of the school's automated external defibrillator at school-related activities, such as athletic events.

(b) To minimize the financial impact on school districts, each school district may apply for a grant from the Department of Health to purchase an automated external defibrillator or related equipment or to provide training to its personnel, or any combination of purchase of an automated external defibrillator or related equipment or provision of training to personnel.

(c) Beginning in 2011, the Commissioner of Education shall provide a report to the Senate Committee on Public Health, Welfare, and Labor and the House Committee on Public Health, Welfare, and Labor on or before July 1, each year regarding the implementation of this section and the status of automated external defibrillator availability on each school campus.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 10, Subchapter 1 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

6-10-123. School-based automated external defibrillator and cardiopulmonary resuscitation programs.

(a) The State Board of Education, after consultation with the Department of Health, shall develop guidelines for automated external defibrillator and cardiopulmonary resuscitation training that incorporates at least the following:

(1) Health care provider oversight, including planning and review of the selection, placement, and maintenance of automated external defibrillators;

(2) Appropriate training of anticipated rescuers in the use of the automated external defibrillator and in cardiopulmonary resuscitation;

(3) Testing of psychomotor skills based on the American Heart Association scientific guidelines, standards, and recommendations for the use of the automated external defibrillator, as they existed on January 1, 2009, and for providing cardiopulmonary resuscitation as published by the American Heart Association, American Red Cross, or in equivalent course materials, as they existed on January 1, 2009;

(4) Coordination with the emergency medical services system; and

(5) An ongoing quality improvement program to monitor training and evaluate response with each use of the automated external defibrillator.

(b) Automated external defibrillator and cardiopulmonary resuscitation training shall count fully toward the existing professional development requirements for teachers and school personnel."

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRACY STEELE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 312

Amend Senate Bill No. 312 as originally introduced:

Add Senators J. Jeffress, Bryles, G. Jeffress, Salmon, Elliott as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRACY STEELE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 312 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 451 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 451
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ASSIST INSOLVENT PERPETUAL CARE CEMETERIES; TO PROVIDE GRANTS TO QUALIFIED APPLICANTS TO MAINTAIN AND OPERATE INSOLVENT PERPETUAL CARE CEMETERIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 451 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 451 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 393 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 354 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 354

As Engrossed: S3/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS LAVERTY, ALTES, G. BAKER, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, FARIS, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, J. KEY, MILLER, SALMON, T. SMITH, STEELE, TEAGUE, R. THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WILKINSON & D. WYATT

BY: REPRESENTATIVES SAUNDERS, HARRELSON. T. ROGERS, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, T. BAKER, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, CARNINE, CASH, COOPER, D. CREEKMORE, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DUNN, EVERETT, GASKILL, GEORGE, R. GREEN, HARDY, HAWKINS, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, KERR, KIDD, LEA, LOVELL, LOWERY, MALOCH, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NIX, OVERBEY, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, J. ROEBUCK, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SHELBY, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, TYLER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A PROVIDER FEE FOR INTERMEDIATE CARE FACILITIES FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

Senate Bill No. 354 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 354 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 595 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 595
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROCEDURES FOR REMOVAL OF A PERSON'S NAME FROM THE CHILD MALTREATMENT CENTRAL REGISTRY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 595 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 595 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 641 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 641
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS FOR PROFESSIONAL BAIL BONDSMAN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 641 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 641 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 356 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 356
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT PATIENTS CAN BE TRANSPORTED TO THE FACILITY OF CHOICE WITHOUT REGARD TO SERVICE AREA RESTRICTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 356 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 356 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 260 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 260
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 260 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 260 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1546 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1546
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-99-411 TO DECREASE THE AMOUNT OF TIME ALLOWED FOR PROCESSING APPLICATIONS OF PROVIDERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1546 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1546 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, House Bill No. 1577 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1577

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES LINDSEY, CARNINE, CARROLL, GLIDEWELL, HALL, HOUSE, INGRAM, LOWERY, MAXWELL, MOORE, PATTERSON, PIERCE, L. SMITH, G. SMITH, SUMMERS, TYLER & WEBB

BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PRIVATE WETLAND AND RIPARIAN ZONE CREATION AND RESTORATION INCENTIVES ACT; TO PROVIDE CONSERVATION TAX CREDITS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1577 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1577 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, House Bill No. 1585 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1585
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF KNOWINGLY GIVING, PROCURING, OR FURNISHING ALCOHOL TO A MINOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1585 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1585 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1330 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1330
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING EXTENDED JUVENILE JURISDICTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1330 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1330 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1340 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1340
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MOORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO BROADEN THE LIST OF RECIPIENTS THAT MAY RECEIVE SURPLUS CAMPAIGN FUNDS TO INCLUDE CITIES OF THE FIRST CLASS, CITIES OF THE SECOND CLASS, AND INCORPORATED TOWNS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1340 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1340 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1341 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1341
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MOORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MAXIMUM FINES FOR VIOLATION OF A MUNICIPAL ORDINANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1341 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1341 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 1471 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 1471

As Engrossed: H2/20/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MOORE, BLOUNT, CHEATHAM, DUNN, HALL, MAXWELL, RAINEY, REEP & T. ROGERS

BY: SENATORS J. JEFFRESS AND J. TAYLOR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DELTA GEOTOURISM INCENTIVE ACT OF 2007 TO ALLOW A GEOTOURISM INCOME TAX CREDIT TO TRANSFER TO OTHER *TOURISM* PROJECTS; TO ALLOW A GEOTOURISM INCOME TAX CREDIT TO CARRY FORWARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1471 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1471, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1471 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 1394 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1394

As Engrossed: H2/10/09 H2/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. EDWARDS AND *ADCOCK*

BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXPAND THE OFFENSE OF OBSTRUCTING GOVERNMENTAL OPERATIONS TO INCLUDE FALSELY IDENTIFYING ONESELF TO AN ANIMAL CONTROL OR CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1394 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1394 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 1395 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1395

As Engrossed: H2/10/09 H2/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. EDWARDS AND *ADCOCK*

BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE THE OFFENSE OF INTERFERENCE WITH A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER COVER ANIMAL CONTROL AND CODE OFFICERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1395 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1395 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 1396 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1396

As Engrossed: H2/10/09 H2/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. EDWARDS AND *ADCOCK*

BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE THE OFFENSE OF BATTERY IN THE SECOND DEGREE APPLICABLE TO THOSE WHO CAUSE BODILY HARM TO ANIMAL CONTROL AND CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1396 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1396 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 367, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 368, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 397, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 398, BY SENATOR D. WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 405, BY SENATOR CAPPS,
SENATE BILL NO. 406, BY SENATOR CAPPS,
SENATE BILL NO. 427, BY SENATOR BRYLES, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 428, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 433, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 434, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 435, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 436, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 453, BY SENATOR ALTES, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 465, BY SENATOR BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 472, BY SENATOR D. WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 504, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 524, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 533, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 639, BY SENATOR ALTES,
SENATE BILL NO. 703, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 742, BY SENATORS B. JOHNSON AND MILLER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL 192, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL 317, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL 353, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL 441, BY SENATOR G. BAKER,
SENATE BILL 631, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL 767, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL 775, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 311, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1422, BY REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1470, BY REPRESENTATIVE SLINKARD

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 394 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 394 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 17 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 17 was withdrawn by the author, Senator J. Jeffress.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 314 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 314 was withdrawn by the author, Senator J. Jeffress.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1409 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1409

As Engrossed: H2/18/09 S3/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCLEAN

BY: SENATOR *BOOKOUT*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE RIGHTS TO CONTROL THE FINAL DISPOSITION OF A DECEASED PERSON; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1409 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1409 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1069 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1069 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1069
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE ATHLETIC COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1069 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1069, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1069 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1631 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1631 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1631
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PROVIDING DISASTER ASSISTANCE GRANTS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1290 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1631 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1631, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1631 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 390 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 391 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 110, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 307, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 346, BY SENATOR D. WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 364, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 432, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 444, BY SENATOR LUKER, ELLIOTT ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:00 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 110
SENATE BILL NO. 307
SENATE BILL NO. 346
SENATE BILL NO. 364
SENATE BILL NO. 432
SENATE BILL NO. 444

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 5th day of March, 2009 at 10:00 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Sarah Agee
Secretary

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9 RECOGNIZING THE URGENT NEED FOR HEALTH CARE FOR AMERICA NOW.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10 TO AMEND THE JOINT RULES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO ESTABLISH DEADLINES FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS DURING A FISCAL SESSION; AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE PREFILING OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS BEFORE A FISCAL SESSION.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 801
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A TASK FORCE TO STUDY THE FUNDING OF THE JUDICIAL SYSTEM OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND ITS RELATED SERVICES AND FUNCTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 801 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 802
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR FISCAL SESSIONS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IN 0DD-NUMBERED YEARS AND REGULAR SESSIONS IN EVEN-NUMBERED YEARS AS AUTHORIZED BY ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENT 86; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 802 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 803
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO LICENSE MOLD INVESTIGATORS; TO ESTABLISH STANDARDS FOR MOLD INVESTIGATIONS; TO ESTABLISH QUALIFICATIONS FOR MOLD INVESTIGATORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 803 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 804
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ELECTRONIC RECORDING COMMISSION AND THE AUTOMATED RECORDS SYSTEMS FUND COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 804 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 805
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS ACADEMIC FACILITIES PARTNERSHIP PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 805 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 806
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS T. SMITH, ALTES, G. BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, HORN, B. JOHNSON, P. MALONE, TEAGUE & H. WILKINS
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HAWKINS, HOYT, ABERNATHY, DUNN, GLIDEWELL, HARDY, HYDE, INGRAM, W. LEWELLEN, MAXWELL & RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENACT THE STATE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT GENERAL OMNIBUS BILL; TO UPDATE AND MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO THE ARKANSAS INSURANCE LAWS; TO REPEAL SECTION 1 OF ACT 901 OF 1993, CONCERNING THE PAYMENT OF INSURANCE AGENT FEES; TO AMEND THE CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS FOR DOING BUSINESS UNDER THE SERVICE CONTRACTS ACT, § 4-114-101 ET SEQ.; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 11-9-801(a) TO AUTHORIZE THE PAYMENT OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION BENEFITS BY ELECTRONIC

FUNDS TRANSFER; TO AMEND THE GENERAL PENALTY SECTION OF THE INSURANCE CODE; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-61-103(d) CONCERNING THE RELEASE OF ACTIVE EXAMINATION OR INVESTIGATORY FILES; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-61-207 TO PROVIDE CONFIDENTIALITY PROTECTION FOR ANICILLARY FINANCIAL AND INSURANCE INFORMATION REQUESTED BY THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER; TO PERMIT THE BIENNIAL COLLECTION OF LICENSE FEES AND ESTABLISH EQUAL NONRESIDENT INSURANCE AGENT LICENSE FEES BY INSURANCE COMMISSIONER RULE; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-61-703 TO REVISE THE DUE DATE OF AN INSURER'S ADMINISTRATIVE AND FINANCIAL REGULATION FEE; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-62-111 TO ADD EMPLOYER-SPONSORED HEALTH PLANS AS AN INSURED UNDER EMPLOYEE BENEFIT STOP-LOSS INSURANCE; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-63-111 TO REQUIRE AN INSURANCE PRODUCER TO MAIL OR DELIVER CLAIM LOSS INFORMATION TO THE POLICYHOLDER AFTER THE CLAIM LOSS INFORMATION HAS BEEN RECEIVED BY THE INSURANCE PRODUCER; TO MODERNIZE THE LAWS PERTAINING TO CHARITABLE GIFT ANNUITIES; TO REGULATE THE SUSPENSION OF AN INSURANCE COMPANY'S CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-63-216(b)(5) TO REPEAL THE REQUIREMENT FOR FILING HARD COPIES OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS WITH THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF INSURANCE COMMISSIONERS; TO REPEAL § 23-63-701(g) CONCERNING THE LIMIT OF RISK OF A MUTUAL INSURER; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-63-818 CONCERNING A DOMESTIC INSURER'S INVESTMENTS IN ITS SUBSIDIARIES; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-63-841 TO CORRECT AN INTERNAL REFERENCE; TO MAKE A TECHNICAL CORRECTION TO ARKANSAS CODE § 23-63-1105(b) CONCERNING CONTROLLED INSURERS; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-63-1607(b)(3)(A) TO CORRECT THE ARKANSAS CODE CITATION FOR AN ASSOCIATION CAPTIVE INSURANCE COMPANY'S ANNUAL REPORT; TO ADOPT THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF INSURANCE COMMISSIONERS PROPERTY AND CASUALTY ACTUARIAL OPINION MODEL LAW; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-64-209 TO IMPLEMENT A CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENT AND A NOTICE REQUIREMENT FOR INSURANCE ADJUSTERS; TO PROVIDE A BIENNIAL CYCLE TO CONTINUE A LICENSE OF AN INSURANCE ADJUSTER OR INSURANCE CONSULTANT; TO CLARIFY THE RECORD RETENTION REQUIREMENTS OF INSURANCE AGENTS AND

BROKERS; TO REVISE THE CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS FOR INSURANCE PRODUCERS; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-64-405(g)(2) TO CORRECT AN INTERNAL REFERENCE; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-65-311 TO REQUIRE SURPLUS LINES BROKERS TO PROVIDE CLAIM LOSS INFORMATION TO THE POLICYHOLDER; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-69-113 TO ELIMINATE THE USE OF CORPORATE SURETY BONDS AS ACCEPTABLE SECURITIES FOR DOMESTIC MUTUAL INSURERS; TO CLARIFY THE DEPOSIT REQUIREMENTS OF FARMERS' MUTUAL AID ASSOCIATIONS; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-75-106 TO REQUIRE A HOSPITAL MEDICAL SERVICE CORPORATION TO NOTIFY THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER IF IT CHANGES OR AMENDS ITS ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OR BYLAWS; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-79-109(a)(1)(B) TO EXEMPT SURPLUS LINES INSURERS FROM FILING POLICY AND CONTRACT FORMS FOR APPROVAL; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-79-138 TO INCLUDE INFORMATION TO ACCOMPANY TITLE INSURANCE POLICIES; TO REMOVE THE EXEMPTION FOR MEDICAL MALPRACTICE INSURANCE FROM THE MINIMUM POLICY REQUIREMENTS OF § 23-79-301 ET SEQ.; TO AUTHORIZE THE ARKANSAS COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH INSURANCE POOL TO INCREASE MAXIMUM LIFETIME BENEFITS FOR POOL POLICYHOLDERS, STRENGTHEN PROTECTION AGAINST FRAUDULENT INSURANCE ACTS, AND UPDATE BENEFIT EXCLUSION PROVISIONS IN POOL PLANS; TO REVISE THE DEFINITION OF A SMALL EMPLOYER FOR SMALL GROUP HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE; TO PROVIDE SIXTY DAYS' NOTICE OF THE RENEWAL OR NONRENEWAL OF A COMMERCIAL AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE POLICY; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-93-103 TO REVISE THE DEFINITION OF "CONTINUING CARE" UNDER THE CONTINUING CARE PROVIDER REGULATION ACT; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY FOR SECTION 20 OF THIS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 806 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 807
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE INDIVIDUAL DEVELOPMENT ACCOUNT PROGRAM UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 807 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 808
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENCOURAGE INVESTMENT IN TELECOMMUNICATIONS FACILTIES IN RURAL AREAS AND TO ASSIST LOW INCOME TELECOMMUNICATION CUSTOMERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 808 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 809
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND AND MAKE TECHNICAL CHANGES TO THE RURAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS COOPERATIVE ACT, § 23-17-201 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 809 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 810
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING INVOLUNTARY ADMISSIONS OF PERSONS WITH MENTAL ILLNESS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 810 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 811
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE ENHANCED PENALTIES FOR FURNISHING AN ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE TO A PERSON UNDER TWENTY-ONE (21) YEARS OF AGE IF A MOTOR VEHICLE ACCIDENT IS PROXIMATELY CAUSED BY THE CONSUMPTION OF THE ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE; TO PROVIDE THAT ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES IN THE BODY OF A MINOR SHALL BE DEEMED TO BE IN HIS OR HER POSSESSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 811 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 812
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A CONSISTENT REVIEW PROCESS FOR A CONTRACT BY A STATE AGENCY THAT RESULTS IN A PARTIAL EQUITY OWNERSHIP AGREEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 812 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 813
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE IN ORDER TO CLARIFY AND SIMPLIFY PROVISIONS OF THE ELECTION LAWS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 813 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 814
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BROADWAY AND BRYLES
BY: REPRESENTATIVES COOK AND BETTS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PUBLIC SCHOOL EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 814 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 815
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CONTINUE THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE ON ABUSED AND NEGLECTED CHILDREN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 815 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 816
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE CONSOLIDATION OR ANNEXATION OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT IF THE RESULTING SCHOOL DISTRICT WILL HAVE A LAND MASS AREA LARGER THAN NINE HUNDRED ONE SQUARE MILES (901 SQ. MI.); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 816 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 817
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE CONSOLIDATION OR ANNEXATION OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT IF THE RESULTING SCHOOL DISTRICT WILL HAVE A LAND MASS AREA THAT EXCEEDS ONE THOUSAND SQUARE MILES (1,000 SQ. MI.); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 817 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 818
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE CONSOLIDATION OR ANNEXATION OF A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT IF THE RESULTING DISTRICT WILL HAVE A LAND MASS AREA OF ONE THOUSAND FIFTY-FOUR SQUARE MILES (1,054 SQ. MI.) OR MORE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 818 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 819
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY
BY: REPRESENTATIVES COOPER AND EVERETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE ADMINISTRATIVE PROCESSES AT THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES AND THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO BETTER PROTECT PERSONS WHO HAVE DISABILITIES, PERSONS WHO HAVE DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES, PERSONS WHO ARE ELDERLY, AND CHILDREN BY CONSOLIDATING THE VARIOUS PROCESSES FOR CONDUCTING CRIMINAL HISTORY CHECKS FOR DIVERSE SERVICE PROVIDERS AND THEIR EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 819 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 820
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CORRECT REFERENCES TO BIENNIAL SESSIONS IN THE ARKANSAS CODE TO CONFORM TO ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENT 86; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 820 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 13
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 13 COMMENDING THE ARKANSAS AGING INITIATIVE FOR ITS STATEWIDE PROGRAM OF COMPREHENSIVE GERIATRIC HEALTH CARE AND EDUCATION FOR SENIOR CITIZENS LIVING IN RURAL ARKANSAS.

Senate Resolution No. 13 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 14
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS, G. JEFFRESS, SALMON & G. BAKER

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 14 PROCLAIMING MARCH 2009 AS MUSIC IN OUR SCHOOLS MONTH.

Senate Resolution No. 14 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 821
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE PERIODIC REPORTING FOR PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 821 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 822
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW RELATING TO HARDSHIP DRIVER'S LICENSES AND PERMITS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 822 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 823
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING EXPUNGEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 823 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 824
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION COSTS FOR COUNTY LIBRARIES INCLUDE RENTAL COSTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 824 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 825
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENHANCE THE PENALTY FOR PERFORMING BODY ART ON A MINOR IN AN UNLICENSED FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 825 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 826
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PLACE REASONABLE RESTRICTIONS ON YOUTHFUL DRIVERS GRANTED A HARDSHIP LICENSE; TO IMPROVE THE SAFETY OF ROADS AND HIGHWAYS IN THE STATE BY ADDRESSING ISSUES RELATED TO THE LICENSING OF BEGINNING OR YOUTHFUL DRIVERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 826 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 827
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS P. MALONE AND SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO TRANSFER THE STATE BOARD OF REGISTERED INTERIOR DESIGNERS TO THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF ARCHITECTS; TO TRANSFER THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS TO THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF ARCHITECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 827 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 828
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE TEACHER FAIR DISMISSAL ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 828 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 5, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 239, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,
SENATE BILL NO. 312, BY SENATOR STEELE ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 582, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILL NO. 829
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PERMIT CITIES OF THE FIRST CLASS WITH A POPULATION EXCEEDING FIFTY THOUSAND (50,000) TO REGULATE NONCONSENSUAL TOWING AND STORAGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 829 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 830
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: TO ALLOW MUNICIPALITIES TO REGULATE NONCONSENSUAL TOWING AND STORAGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 830 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 831
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CASH, KIDD & B. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALTER THE OFFICIAL ROUTE DESIGNATED AS CROWLEY'S RIDGE SCENIC HIGHWAY SO THAT THE ROUTE CAN BE DESIGNATED AS A NATIONAL SCENIC BYWAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 831 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 832
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO GRADUALLY REDUCE THE SALES AND USE TAX ON UTILITIES THAT ARE USED BY WOOD MANUFACTURERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 832 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 833
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO GRADUALLY REDUCE THE SALES AND USE TAX ON UTILITIES THAT ARE USED BY WOOD AND AGRICULTURAL MANUFACUTRERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 833 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 834
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REDUCE THE SALES AND USE TAX RATE ON UTILITIES USED BY MANUFACTURERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 834 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 835
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO GRADUALLY REDUCE THE SALES AND USE TAX ON UTILITIES THAT ARE USED BY AGRICULTURAL BUSINESSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 835 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 836
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE REQUIREMENT THAT A DECAL BE AFFIXED TO HEAVY EQUIPMENT TO PROVE THAT ARKANSAS TAX WAS PAID ON THE EQUIPMENT OR THAT THE EQUIPMENT IS EXEMPT FROM TAX; TO AMEND THE METHOD IN WHICH SELLERS REPORT TAXABLE AND EXEMPT SALES OF HEAVY EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 836 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 837
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE EMERGENCY ARKANSAS RESIDENT HOMEOWNERS LOAN EQUALIZATION ACT OF 2009; TO PROVIDE FOR EQUAL APPLICATION OF FEDERAL MORTGAGE LOAN RELIEF LEGISLATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 837 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 11
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 11 TO URGE HORSE OWNERS TO TAKE RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE HUMANE TREATMENT AND CARE OF HORSES DURING THIS TIME OF ECONOMIC CRISIS.

Senate Resolution No. 11 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Senate Bill No. 120 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 256 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 343 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 401 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 445 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 34 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 34 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 838
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 6 CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS REWARDING EXCELLENCE IN ACHIEVEMENT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 838 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 839
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PREGNANT WOMEN IN DETENTION FACILITIES IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 839 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1426
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PERRY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 17, CHAPTERS 30 AND 48 CONCERNING LICENSURE OF PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND PROFESSIONAL SURVEYORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1426 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1438
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COWLING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF “PARTS ONLY” TITLES TO INSURERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1438 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1474
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. SMITH, NIX, WOODS & D. CREEKMORE
BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT AND H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT UNFAIR DISCRIMINATION IN THE INSURANCE OF VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC ABUSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1474 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1496
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: TO PROVIDE THAT A SIGNATURE BY MARK IS BINDING AND LEGAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1496 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1500
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE G. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE PENALTIES UNDER THE ARKANSAS APPRAISER LICENSING AND CERTIFICATION ACT; TO PROHIBIT IMPROPERLY INFLUENCING AN APPRAISER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1500 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1544
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARRELSON AND WILLIAMS
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENACT THE UNIFORM LIMITED COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION ACT (2007); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1544 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1552
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. SMITH, ADCOCK, BLOUNT, J. ROEBUCK, TYLER, WAGNER & WEBB
BY: SENATORS MADISON, ELLIOTT & SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE EMPLOYERS TO PROVIDE UNPAID BREAK TIME AND REASONABLE LOCATIONS FOR EXPRESSING BREAST MILK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1552 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1573
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: TO AMEND THE OIL AND GAS COMMISSION'S AUTHORITY CONCERNING RULES FOR ADMINISTERING THE NATURAL GAS PIPELINE SAFETY ACT OF 1968; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF “TRANSPORTATION OF GAS” UNDER THE NATURAL GAS PIPELINE SAFETY ACT OF 1971; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1573 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1586

As Engrossed: H3/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN

BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO PROVIDE CRIMINAL LIABILITY FOR A SOCIAL HOST WHO KNOWINGLY SERVES ALCOHOL TO PERSONS UNDER THE AGE OF TWENTY-ONE; WHO KNOWINGLY ALLOWS MINORS TO CONSUME ALCOHOL ON HIS OR HER PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1586 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1600

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE T. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND WHOM MAY SERVE AS TRUSTEE UNDER THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT JOINT INVESTMENT TRUST ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1600 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1604
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF VARIOUS LIFETIME HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSES TO RESIDENTS; TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF A THREE-YEAR HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSE TO A RESIDENT WHO IS TOTALLY DISABLED; TO ALLOW FOR THE ISSUANCE OF HUNTING-ONLY AND FISHING-ONLY LICENSES TO RESIDENTS; TO SET THE FEES FOR THE VARIOUS LICENSES; TO PROVIDE FOR RULES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1604 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1607
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO § 4-115-101 ET SEQ., CONCERNING THE REGULATION OF CREDIT CARD PROCESSING SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1607 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1622
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY, WILLS, T. BAKER, CARROLL, CASH, DAVIS, GASKILL, HAWKINS, HYDE, INGRAM, KIDD, NIX, PATTERSON, POWERS, J. ROEBUCK, TYLER, WAGNER, WELLS & B. WILKINS
BY: SENATORS G. BAKER, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, LUKER, SALMON, TEAGUE, R. THOMPSON & D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 18-15-301 AND TO MODIFY THE PROCEDURES CONCERNING A CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY FOR MUNICIPALLY OWNED ELECTRIC UTILITIES FROM THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1622 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1666
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WELLS, M. MARTIN, COOPER, ABERNATHY, J. BURRIS, CARTER, L. COWLING, DALE, DAVENPORT, EVERETT, GEORGE, HAWKINS, HOYT, OVERBEY, PYLE, RAGLAND, REYNOLDS & RICE
BY: SENATORS LAVERTY, T. SMITH & TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE CERTIFICATION OF VOLUNTEER OR RURAL FIRE DEPARTMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1666 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1668
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF THE FIFTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT A DIVISION A PROSECUTOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1668 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1705
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT TO INCORPORATE AND ACT AS A PUBLIC CORPORATION; TO PROVIDE AN ADDITIONAL METHOD FOR THE DISSOLUTION OF THE PUBLIC CORPORATION; TO PROVIDE FOR THE RESCISSION OF A PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT'S AUTHORIZATION TO ACT AS A PUBLIC CORPORATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1705 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1716
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE STATUTORY RIGHT OF RECOVERY OF GAMBLING DEBTS OR LOSSES TO ELIMINATE ANY DEFENSE TO A CRIME AND TO OVERRULE DANIELS V. STATE, 373 Ark. 536, ___ S.W.3d ___ (2008); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1716 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1717
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. EDWARDS, INGRAM & SLINKARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING CONFLICTING ANNEXATION ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1717 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 63
SENATE BILL NO. 64
SENATE BILL NO. 76
SENATE BILL NO. 260
SENATE BILL NO. 354
SENATE BILL NO. 356
SENATE BILL NO. 369
SENATE BILL NO. 409
SENATE BILL NO. 431
SENATE BILL NO. 451
SENATE BILL NO. 505
SENATE BILL NO. 543
SENATE BILL NO. 544
SENATE BILL NO. 595
SENATE BILL NO. 596
SENATE BILL NO. 641

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1069
HOUSE BILL NO. 1330
HOUSE BILL NO. 1340
HOUSE BILL NO. 1341
HOUSE BILL NO. 1394
HOUSE BILL NO. 1395
HOUSE BILL NO. 1396
HOUSE BILL NO. 1471
HOUSE BILL NO. 1546
HOUSE BILL NO. 1577
HOUSE BILL NO. 1585
HOUSE BILL NO. 1631

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1409 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED
SENATE BILL NO. 120
SENATE BILL NO. 256
SENATE BILL NO. 343
SENATE BILL NO. 401
SENATE BILL NO. 445

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED
SENATE BILL NO. 34 AS AMENDED NO. 2

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1426
HOUSE BILL NO. 1438
HOUSE BILL NO. 1474
HOUSE BILL NO. 1496
HOUSE BILL NO. 1500
HOUSE BILL NO. 1544
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1607

HOUSE BILL NO. 1622

HOUSE BILL NO. 1666

HOUSE BILL NO. 1668

HOUSE BILL NO. 1705

HOUSE BILL NO. 1716

HOUSE BILL NO. 1717

On motion of Senator Teague, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Monday, March 9, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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FIFTY-EIGHTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

March 9, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:45 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Horn.

Leave requested by Senator Miller for Senators Laverty and Whitaker. Leave granted.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Luker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Bookout, Senate Bill No. 565 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 565

Amend Senate Bill No. 565 as originally introduced:
Page 1, line 26, insert "fire departments," between "to" and "counties"

And

Page 1, line 29, insert "fire protection" between "centers," and "and"

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL BOOKOUT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 565 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 611 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 611

Amend Senate Bill No. 611 as originally introduced:
Page 1, line 26, insert "fire departments," between "to" and "counties"

And

Page 1, line 29, insert "fire protection" between "centers," and "and"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BROADWAY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 611 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 514 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 514

Amend Senate Bill No. 514 as originally introduced:
Page 1, line 28, insert "fire departments," between "to" and "counties"

And

Page 1, line 31, insert "fire protection" between "centers," and "and"

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 514 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 399 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 399

Amend Senate Bill No. 399 as engrossed, S3/2/09:

Page 5, delete line 29, and substitute the following:
"remain after he or she has been notified to remove it.

27-66-405. Limitation of authority.
A county court may not grant an easement for ingress and egress over, through, or across a railroad right-of-way under this subchapter."

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID WYATT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 399 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, Senate Bill No. 723 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 723

Amend Senate Bill No. 723 as originally introduced:

Insert an additional subsection in SECTION 1 immediately following subsection (A) to read as follows:

" (B) For matching grants to cities, counties, planning and development districts, enterprise communities, and other eligible entities for land acquisition, improvements, construction, renovation, major maintenance, and purchase of equipment, industrial site development costs including, construction, renovation, and equipment acquisition, development of intermodal facilities, including port and waterway projects, rail spur construction and street, road and highway improvements, environmental mitigation projects, and construction and improvement of drainage, water and sewer systems, the sum of.....$225,000."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JACK CRUMBLY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 723 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, Senate Bill No. 755 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 755

Amend Senate Bill No. 755 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 26, insert "matching" between "For" and "grants"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JACK CRUMBLY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 755 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Capps, Senate Bill No. 586 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 586

Amend Senate Bill No. 586 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 26, insert "fire departments," between "to" and "counties"

And

Page 1, line 29, insert "fire protection" between "centers," and "and"

And

Page 1, line 30, delete "$130,000" and substitute "$180,000"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 586 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 90 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 90

Amend Senate Bill No. 90 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 30 and 31 and substitute the following:
"consumption that contains spirituous liquor or wine;"
AND

Page 2, line 31, delete "in addition"

AND

Page 2, delete line 32, and substitute "and file a return"

AND

Page 3, delete line 2, and substitute the following:
"a penalty in accordance with the Arkansas Tax Procedure Act, § 26-18-101 et seq."

AND

Page 3, line 9, delete "sourced" and substitute "delivered"

AND

Page 4, line 7, delete "Services;" and substitute "Services; and"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 8 through 10 and substitute the following:
"(4) Eight percent (8%) to be used for home and community-based"
AND

Delete SECTION 3 in its entirety and substitute the following:
"SECTION 3. Effective Date. This act is effective beginning on September 1, 2009."

(SIGNED) SENATOR HENRY "HANK" WILKINS, IV

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 90 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 90, BY SENATOR H. WILKINS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 90 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 399, BY SENATOR WYATT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 399 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 514, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 565, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 586, BY SENATOR CAPPS,
SENATE BILL NO. 611, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 723, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 755, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 514 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Bookout, Senate Bill No. 565 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Capps, Senate Bill No. 586 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 611 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, Senate Bill No. 723 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, Senate Bill No. 755 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

March 6, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on March 6, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 055, - ACT 321,
Senate Bill No. 255, - ACT 322,
Senate Bill No. 316, - ACT 323,
Senate Bill No. 350, - ACT 324,
Senate Bill No. 351, - ACT 325,
Senate Bill No. 361, - ACT 326,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 154, BY SENATOR TRUSTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 359, BY SENATOR MADISON ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 120, BY SENATOR MALONE,
SENATE BILL NO. 256, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 343, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 401, BY SENATOR ALTES,
SENATE BILL NO. 445, BY SENATOR J. TAYLOR,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:00 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 154
SENATE BILL NO. 359
SENATE BILL NO. 120
SENATE BILL NO. 256
SENATE BILL NO. 343
SENATE BILL NO. 401
SENATE BILL NO. 445

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 9th day of March 2009, at 10:00 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Pamela Hayes
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 681, BY SENATOR WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 765, BY SENATOR SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 771, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 782, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 800, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

SENATE BILL NO. 826, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 831, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL N0. 38, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 3.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 309, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1455, BY REPRESENTATIVE MOORE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1602, BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1009,
BY REPRESENTATIVE SMITH,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 170, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 191, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 227, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENTOR GENE JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

* * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * *

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE JOINT RULES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO ESTABLISH DEADLINES FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS DURING A FISCAL SESSION; AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE PREFILING OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS BEFORE A FISCAL SESSION.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

* * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * *

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 was adopted was expunged, on March 19, 2009.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 396 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 396

Amend Senate Bill No. 396 as originally introduced:

Add Senators G. Baker, Bookout, Crumbly, D. Johnson, J. Key, T. Smith, H. Wilkins as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Add Representatives Allen, J. Edwards, Hall, Ingram, L. Smith, Webb as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 5, delete line 5 and substitute the following:

"(3) The members of the advisory committee shall be entitled to expense reimbursement under § 25-16-902 from amounts deposited into the housing trust fund.

(4) Each member of the advisory committee should have a"

AND

Page 7, delete lines 8 through 18 and substitute the following:

(1) New construction, reconstruction, or rehabilitation of rental housing or housing designed for owner occupancy;

(2) Rental assistance;

(3) Land acquisition;

(4) Predevelopment costs;

(5) Infrastructure;

(6) Transitional housing;

(7) Down payment assistance;

(8) Housing and foreclosure counseling; and

(9) Technical assistance."

AND

Page 8, delete line 3 and substitute the following:

"(4) Housing to be funded must meet all building and maintenance standards set forth in the rules of the authority.

(5) No more than ten percent (10%) of the project budget may be"

AND

Page 9, delete lines 6 through 16 and substitute the following:

"(I) The extent to which housing produced will be part of a mixed income development or neighborhood;

(J) The extent to which the activity serves households with special needs, including persons who are elderly, disabled, mentally ill, homeless, or victims of domestic violence;

(K) The extent to which the activity adheres to energy efficiency and other environmental and sustainability standards;

(L) The extent to which housing will be located near transit, shopping, community services, and other amenities;

(M) The extent to which financial and home ownership counseling is provided to households served by the activity; and

(N) The amount of the activity budget spent on administrative costs."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 396 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 454 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 454

Amend Senate Bill No. 454 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 2, delete "~~one~~" and substitute "one"

AND

Page 2, delete line 3 and substitute the following:
"hundred eighty (180) days from the date the payment was mailed."

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 454 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1403 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1403

Amend House Bill No. 1403 as engrossed, H2/17/09:
Add Senator D. Johnson as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Add Representatives Shelby, Ingram as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1403 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1629 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1629

Amend House Bill No. 1629 as originally introduced:
Page 2, delete lines 6 through 8

AND

Page 2, line 9, delete "(4)" and substitute "(3)"

AND
Page 2, delete lines 12 through 15

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID WYATT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1629 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 311 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 311

Amend Senate Bill No. 311 as engrossed, S2/11/09:
Page 1, delete everything following the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 17-26-201, as amended by Section 3 of Act 4 of 2009, is amended to read as follows:

17-26-201. Creation — Members.

(a) There is created the Cosmetology Technical Advisory Committee.

(b)(1) The committee shall consist of ~~five (5)~~ seven (7) members appointed by the State Board of Health to two-year terms.

(2) A member may be removed from the committee by the board for cause.

(3) A member shall not serve more than ten (10) years on the committee.

(c) The committee shall be composed of the following representatives from within the cosmetology industry who are of good moral character and who are at least twenty-five (25) years of age:

(1) One (1) member shall be a licensed cosmetologist actively engaged in practicing the art of cosmetology for at least five (5) years at the time of appointment;

(2) One (1) member shall be a licensed nail technician;

(3) One (1) member shall be an owner of a licensed school of cosmetology or shall be a director of cosmetology at a state-supported school; ~~and~~

(4) One (1) member shall be a licensed aesthetician~~.~~; and

(5) Three (3) members shall represent the cosmetology industry at large or a related field.

~~(d) One (1) member of the committee shall be a consumer representative who is not actively engaged in or retired from the cosmetology industry.~~

~~(e)~~(d)(1) A member of the committee shall not be directly or indirectly connected with the wholesale business of the manufacture, rental, sale, or distribution of cosmetological appliances or supplies.

(2) A member of the committee shall not have a contract or a pending bid for a contract with the Department of Health concerning cosmetology.

~~(f)~~(e) Only two (2) members of the committee may be appointed from any one (1) congressional district.

~~(g)~~(f) Vacancies occurring during a term shall be filled for the unexpired term.

~~(h)~~(g) Before entering upon the discharge of his or her duties, each member shall make and file with the Secretary of State the oath of office prescribed by Arkansas Constitution, Article 19, § 20.

~~(i)~~(h) Each member of the committee may receive expense reimbursement and stipends in accordance with § 25-16-901 et seq.

~~(j)~~(i) The State Board of Health shall promulgate by rule the duties and powers of the committee."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 311, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Faris, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 311 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 311

As Engrossed: S2/11/09 H3/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MAKEUP OF THE COSMETOLOGY TECHNICAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 311 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 311 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 126 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 126
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A CREDIT FOR SALES OR USE TAXES PAID TO ANOTHER STATE FOR THE PURCHASE OF A MOTOR VEHICLE, A TRAILER, OR A SEMITRAILER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 126 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 126, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 126 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 582 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 582

As Engrossed: S3/5/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS TEAGUE, *G. BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, GLOVER, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, J. KEY, LUKER, MADISON, MILLER, SALMON, T. SMITH, J. TAYLOR, R. THOMPSON, TRUSTY & D. WYATT*

BY: REPRESENTATIVES REEP, PENNARTZ, BETTS, M. BURRIS, CASH, CHEATHAM, COLE, COOPER, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, HALL, HOUSE, INGRAM, KIDD, MAXWELL. MOORE, OVERBEY, PIERCE, POWERS, RAINEY, REYNOLDS, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, STEWART, TYLER, WEBB, WELLS & B. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO LEVY AN ASSESSMENT FEE ON HOSPITALS TO IMPROVE HEALTH CARE ACCESS FOR THE CITIZENS OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 582 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, T. Smith, Steele, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, D. Wyatt.

Total 29

NEGATIVE: Hendren.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Salmon, J. Taylor, Wilkinson.

Total 5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 30
Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 582, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, T. Smith, Steele, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, D. Wyatt.

Total 29

NEGATIVE: Hendren.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Salmon, J. Taylor, Wilkinson.

Total 5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 30
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 582 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 239 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 239

As Engrossed: S2/9/09 S3/5/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS BLEDSOE AND *HORN*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE *PHYSICIANS AND PODIATRISTS* TO DELEGATE THE PERFORMANCE OF SOME SIMPLE PROCEDURES TO EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 239 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Hendren, Horn, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, P. Malone, B. Pritchard, Steele, R. Thompson, H. Wilkins, D. Wyatt.

Total 22

NEGATIVE: Glover, Miller, Teague, Trusty.

Total 4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Altes, G. Jeffress, Madison, Salmon, T. Smith, J. Taylor, Wilkinson.

Total 9

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....26

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 239 held in Senate Chamber. Motion carried.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 192 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 317 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 317

As Engrossed: S2/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE RELATING TO ETHICS; AMENDING PORTIONS OF ARKANSAS LAW RESULTING FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1988, INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1990, AND INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 317 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 317 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 441 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 441
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT A CANDIDATE FOR ELECTED OFFICE INCLUDE IN HIS OR HER REPORT OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS A SEPARATE STATEMENT REGARDING LOANS RECEIVED BY THE CAMPAIGN; TO REQUIRE THAT A CANDIDATE FOR ELECTED OFFICE REPORT ALL PERSONAL LOANS MADE BY THE CANDIDATE TO HIS OR HER CAMPAIGN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 441 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 441 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 312 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 312

As Engrossed: S3/5/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS STEELE, BROADWAY, CRUMBLY & LAVERTY

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ABERNATHY, ALLEN, GASKILL, GEORGE, HARRELSON, REEP, SAUNDERS, WILLIAMS, WORD, FLOWERS, CARROLL & T. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE "THE ANTONY HOBBS III ACT"; TO CREATE SCHOOL-BASED AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATOR AND CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 312 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 312 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 775 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 775
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE POSTING OF RETURN RECORDS FOR VOTING MACHINES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 775 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 775 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 2 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 2

As Engrossed: S1/29/09 S3/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE GROSS RECEIPTS TAX ON MINI-WAREHOUSE AND SELF-STORAGE RENTAL SERVICES UPON CERTAIN CONDITIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 2 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 30

NEGATIVE: D. Johnson, Luker, Teague.

Total 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 2 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 450 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 450
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE UNIFORM MONEY SERVICES ACT, § 23-55-101 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 450 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 450 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bookout, Senate Bill No. 318 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 318
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING LICENSE FEES FOR BURIAL ASSOCIATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 318 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 318 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1459 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1459

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE NIX

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE "LOOK BACK" PERIOD FOR REPEAT DWI OFFENDERS FROM FIVE YEARS TO *SEVEN* YEARS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

On motion of Senator Broadway House Bill No. 1459 pulled down at this time.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1480 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1480

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO THE ARKANSAS INCOME TAX LAWS BY ADOPTING RECENT CHANGES TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1480 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1480 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Smith, House Bill No. 1359 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1359

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF THE SURETY BOND REQUIRED TO BE POSTED WITH THE STATE PLANT BOARD BY AN APPLICANT FOR A TERMITE AND OTHER STRUCTURAL PESTS LICENSE; TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF INSURANCE REQUIRED TO BE HELD BY AN APPLICANT FOR A TERMITE AND OTHER STRUCTURAL PESTS LICENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1359 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1359, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1359 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1477 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1477
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE CERTAIN FEES OF THE COMMISSION ON WATER WELL CONSTRUCTION; TO PROVIDE FOR NEW CATEGORIES OF LICENSE AND REGISTRATION FEES TO BE COLLECTED BY THE COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1477 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 28

NEGATIVE: Altes, Bledsoe, Hendren, J. Key, B. Pritchard.

Total 5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1477 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Bill No. 1350 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1350

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE AND GARNER

BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE TRANSPORT OF INMATES REQUIRED FOR LEGAL PROCEEDINGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1350 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1350 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Bill No. 1351 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1351

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE AND GARNER

BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE AWARD OF THE PISTOL CARRIED BY A DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION PAROLE OR PROBATION OFFICER UPON RETIREMENT OR DEATH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1351 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1351 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Bill No. 1352 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1352
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE AND GARNER
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE PRESCRIPTION OF RULES REGARDING THE DISCIPLINE OF INMATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1352 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1352 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, House Bill No. 1422 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1422
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE ADDITIONAL DEDUCTIONS FROM THE PAYROLLS OF STATE EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1422 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1422 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Glover, House Bill No. 1424 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1424
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WEBB AND REYNOLDS
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 8-4-203 TO REQUIRE FINANCIAL ASSURANCE FOR THE CLOSURE OR RESTORATION OF PERMITTED SITES IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS THAT LAND APPLY OR STORE FLUIDS GENERATED OR UTILIZED DURING EXPLORATION OR PRODUCTION PHASES OF OIL OR GAS OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1424 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1424, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1424 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1549 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1549
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MOORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY TIME LIMITATIONS ON AN ASSESSMENT OR A REFUND OF INCOME TAX AFTER A TAXPAYER RECEIVES A CORRECTION OR CHANGE IN THE AMOUNT OF TAXABLE INCOME FROM THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE; TO CLARIFY WHAT ISSUES MAY BE INCLUDED IN AN ASSESSMENT OR REFUND MADE AFTER A CORRECTION OF INCOME BY THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1549 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1549 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, House Bill No. 1470 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1470
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SLINKARD, LINDSEY & L. SMITH
BY: SENATORS B. PRITCHRD AND HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ELECTIONS OF BOARDS OF DIRECTORS OF REGIONAL WATER DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1470 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1470 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 396, BY SENATORS ELLIOTT AND BRYLES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 454, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1403, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1403 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1629, BY REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No. 56 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 68 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 238 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 258 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 259 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 300 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 305 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 315 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 320 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 321 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 322 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 335 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 403 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 495 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 6 was returned from the House as concurred in and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill 218 returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 218 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

On motion of Senator Smith, House Bill No. 1551 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1551
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MAXWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS BLUE RIBBON COMMITTEE ON HIGHWAY FINANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1551 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1551, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1551 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS 72201

March 9, 2009

The Honorable Bob Johnson
Senate President Pro Tempore
State Chambers, State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Senator Johnson:

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Constitution of Arkansas, I am submitting the following appointments to be confirmed.

I respectfully submit these appointments to your honorable body and request that they be Confirmed.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
GOVERNOR

SENATOR DENNY ALTES
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Charles Smith Sebastian County	December 31, 2013	State Banking Board
Gary Campbell Sebastian County	January 14, 2013	Arkansas Science and Technology Authority
Charles Wohlford Sebastian County	February 20, 2015	Oil and Gas Commission

SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Alex Lieblong Faulkner County	January 14, 2014	Arkansas Racing Commission
Martha Deaver Faulkner County	October 15, 2009	Long Term Care Facility Advisory

SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Pat Moran Benton County	January 16, 2014	Arkansas State Claims Commission

SENATOR PAUL BOOKOUT
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Rusty Guinn Craighead County	January 1, 2012	State Board of Collection Agencies
Dr. Ruth Hawkins Craighead County	January 14, 2016	Arkansas History Commission

SENATOR SHANE BROADWAY
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Olan "Butch" Reeves Saline County	January 14, 2015	Public Service Commission
Charles Steuart Saline County	October 1, 2013	State Board of Registration for Professional Geologists
Broadway Continued		
Kenneth Gill Pulaski County	December 31, 2011	Arkansas Real Estate Commission
Rosalyn Watts Pulaski County	December 31, 2012	Arkansas Psychology Board
Dr. Harold Betton Pulaski County	December 31, 2014	Arkansas State Medical Board

SENATOR STEVE BRYLES
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Mike McDermott Poinsett County	January 14, 2014	Waterwell Construction Commission
Jerry Sims Mississippi County	December 31, 2014	Arkansas Northeastern College Board of Trustees
Dr. Anes Abraham Mississippi County	December 31, 2014	Arkansas Northeastern College Board of Trustees

SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Watson Bell, Sr. White County	December 5, 2014	Workers' Compensation Commission
John Robert Reynolds White County	January 14, 2016	University of Central Arkansas Board of Trustees

SENATOR JACK CRUMBLY
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
John Stipe St. Francis County	December 31, 2014	East Arkansas Community College Board of Trustees
Buddy Billingsley St. Francis County	December 31, 2014	East Arkansas Community College Board of Trustees
Gazzola Vaccaro St. Francis County	December 31, 2014	East Arkansas Community College Board of Trustees

SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Leroy Brownlee Pulaski County	January 14, 2016	Chairman of the Parole Board
Khayyam Eddings Pulaski County	January 14, 2014	Arkansas School for the Blind and Arkansas School for the Deaf Board of Trustees

SENATOR STEVE FARIS
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Quin Baber III Saline County	January 14, 2016	Arkansas Geological Commission
Bill Lancaster Grant County	January 26, 2014	Arkansas State Claims Commission
Johnette Parham Hot Spring County	October 15, 2011	Long Term Care Facility Advisory Board

SENATOR BOBBY GLOVER
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
David Feilke Arkansas County	January 14, 2016	Arkansas Natural Resources Commission

SENATOR BARBARA HORN
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Mike Cranford Little River County	January 14, 2019	Arkansas Spinal Cord Commission

SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Dr. Marc Parnell Union County	December 31, 2014	South Arkansas Community College Board of Trustees
Vicki de Yampert Union County	December 31, 2014	South Arkansas Community College Board of Trustees
Steven Cousins Union County	December 31, 2014	South Arkansas Community College Board of Trustees
Aubra Anthony Union County	January 14, 2018	State Forestry Commission

SENATOR DAVID JOHNSON
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Cecil Malone Pulaski County	December 31, 2013	Contractors Licensing Board
Marylea Gazette Pulaski County	October 1, 2013	Arkansas Fire Protection Licensing Board
Steve Ronnel Pulaski County	January 14, 2013	Arkansas Economic Development Commission
John Shields Pulaski County	December 31, 2011	Burial Association Board
Linda Barnes Pulaski County	December 1, 2011	Arkansas Board of Examiners in Counseling
Rodney Parks Pulaski County	December 31, 2013	State Banking Board

Travis Justice Pulaski County	January 14, 2016	Arkansas Waterways Commission
Henrietta Williams Pulaski County	January 14, 2014	Arkansas School for the Blind and School for the Deaf Board of Trustees
Ron Fuller Pulaski County	January 14, 2015	Alcoholic Beverage Control Board
Dr. Laura Hutchins Pulaski County	January 1, 2012	Breast Cancer Control Advisory Board
Dr. Beverly Lyn-Cook Pulaski County	January 14, 2013	Arkansas Science and Technology Authority
Greg Hale Pulaski County	January 14, 2016	Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission

SENATOR JOHNNY KEY
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Sandy Stroope Boone County	January 14, 2016	Arkansas Motor Vehicle Commission

SENATOR PERCY MALONE
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Dr. Linda Selman Columbia County	January 15, 2016	Board of Developmental Disabilities
Chris Weiser Columbia County	February 20, 2015	Oil and Gas Commission

SENATOR BILL PRITCHARD
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Dr. Collis Geren Washington County	January 14, 2013	Arkansas Science and Technology Authority

SENATOR MARY ANNE SALMON
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Scott Copas Pulaski County	December 31, 2013	Contractors Licensing Board
Kel Nicholson Pulaski County	January 14, 2016	Arkansas Commission on Law Enforcement Standards and Training

Steve Walden Pulaski County	January 14, 2014	Waterwell Construction Commission
Janice Vaughn Pulaski County	January 14, 2014	Arkansas School for the Blind and School for the Deaf Board of Trustees

SENATOR TERRY SMITH
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Carol Jo Atkinson Garland County	January 14, 2016	Henderson State University Board of Trustees

SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Randy Bobo Hempstead County	January 14, 2016	Red River Commission
Jim Hill Howard County	January 14, 2016	War Memorial Stadium Commission
Ben Brazzel Hempstead County	December 31, 2011	Burial Association Board

SENATOR SHARON TRUSTY
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Charles Blanchard Pope County	January 14, 2014	Arkansas Tech University Board of Trustees

SENATOR HENRY "HANK" WILKINS IV
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Gary Hudson Arkansas County	December 31, 2013	State Banking Board

March 9, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Denny Altes, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Charles Smith Sebastian County	December 31, 2013	State Banking Board
Gary Campbell Sebastian County	January 14, 2013	Arkansas Science and Technology Authority
Charles Wohlford Sebastian County	February 20, 2015	Oil and Gas Commission

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

AC/as

Cc: The Honorable Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State
Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

March 9, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Gilbert Baker, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Alex Lieblong Faulkner County	January 14, 2014	Arkansas Racing Commission
Martha Deaver Faulkner County	October 15, 2009	Long Term Care Facility Advisory

Respectfully submitted,

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March 9, 2009

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Cecile Bledsoe, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Pat Moran Benton County	January 16, 2014	Arkansas State Claims Commission

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Paul Bookout, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Rusty Guinn Craighead County	January 1, 2012	State Board of Collection Agencies
Dr. Ruth Hawkins Craighead County	January 14, 2016	Arkansas History Commission

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Shane Broadway, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Olan "Butch" Reeves Saline County	January 14, 2015	Public Service Commission
Charles Steuart Saline County	October 1, 2013	State Board of Registration for Professional Geologists
Kenneth Gill Pulaski County	December 31, 2011	Arkansas Real Estate Commission
Rosalyn Watts Pulaski County	December 31, 2012	Arkansas Psychology Board

Senator Shane Broadway

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Dr. Harold Betton Pulaski County	December 31, 2014	Arkansas State Medical Board

Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Steve Bryles, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Mike McDermott Poinsett County	January 14, 2014	Waterwell Construction Commission
Jerry Sims Mississippi County	December 31, 2014	Arkansas Northeastern College Board of Trustees
Dr. Anes Abraham Mississippi County	December 31, 2014	Arkansas Northeastern College Board of Trustees

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator John Paul Capps, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Watson Bell, Sr. White County	December 5, 2014	Workers' Compensation Commission
John Robert Reynolds White County	January 14, 2016	University of Central Arkansas Board of Trustees

Respectfully submitted,

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March 9, 2009

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Jack Crumbly, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
John Stipe St. Francis County	December 31, 2014	East Arkansas Community College Board of Trustees
Buddy Billingsley St. Francis County	December 31, 2014	East Arkansas Community College Board of Trustees
Gazzola Vaccaro St. Francis County	December 31, 2014	East Arkansas Community College Board of Trustees

Respectfully submitted,

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March 9, 2009

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Joyce Elliott, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Leroy Brownlee Pulaski County	January 14, 2016	Chairman of the Parole Board
Khayyam Eddings Pulaski County	January 14, 2014	Arkansas School for the Blind and Arkansas School for the Deaf Board of Trustees

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March 9, 2009

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Steve Faris, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Quin Baber III Saline County	January 14, 2016	Arkansas Geological Commission
Bill Lancaster Grant County	January 26, 2014	Arkansas State Claims Commission
Johnette Parham Hot Spring County	October 15, 2011	Long Term Care Facility Advisory Board

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March 9, 2009

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Bobby Glover, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
David Feilke Arkansas County	January 14, 2016	Arkansas Natural Resources Commission

Respectfully submitted,

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March 9, 2009

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Barbara Horn, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Mike Cranford Little River County	January 14, 2019	Arkansas Spinal Cord Commission

Respectfully submitted,

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March 9, 2009

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Gene Jeffress, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Dr. Marc Parnell Union County	December 31, 2014	South Arkansas Community College Board of Trustees
Vicki de Yampert Union County	December 31, 2014	South Arkansas Community College Board of Trustees
Steven Cousins Union County	December 31, 2014	South Arkansas Community College Board of Trustees
Aubra Anthony Union County	January 14, 2018	State Forestry Commission

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March 9, 2009

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator David Johnson, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Cecil Malone Pulaski County	December 31, 2013	Contractors Licensing Board
Marylea Gazette Pulaski County	October 1, 2013	Arkansas Fire Protection Licensing Board
Steve Ronnel Pulaski County	January 14, 2013	Arkansas Economic Development Commission
John Shields Pulaski County	December 31, 2011	Burial Association Board
Linda Barnes Pulaski County	December 1, 2011	Arkansas Board of Examiners in Counseling
Rodney Parks Pulaski County Senator David Johnson	December 31, 2013	State Banking Board

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Travis Justice Pulaski County	January 14, 2016	Arkansas Waterways Commission
Henrietta Williams Pulaski County	January 14, 2014	Arkansas School for the Blind and School for the Deaf Board of Trustees
Ron Fuller Pulaski County	January 14, 2015	Alcoholic Beverage Control Board
Dr. Laura Hutchins Pulaski County	January 1, 2012	Breast Cancer Control Advisory Board
Dr. Beverly Lyn-Cook Pulaski County	January 14, 2013	Arkansas Science and Technology Authority

Greg Hale Pulaski County	January 14, 2016	Arkansas Livestock and Poultry Commission

Respectfully submitted,

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March 9, 2009

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Johnny Key, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Sandy Stroope Boone County	January 14, 2016	Arkansas Motor Vehicle Commission

Respectfully submitted,

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March 9, 2009

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Governor of Arkansas
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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Percy Malone, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Dr. Linda Selman Columbia County	January 15, 2016	Board of Developmental Disabilities
Chris Weiser Columbia County	February 20, 2015	Oil and Gas Commission

Respectfully submitted,

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Secretary of the Senate

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2012

March 9, 2009

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Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Bill Pritchard, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Dr. Collis Geren Washington County	January 14, 2013	Arkansas Science and Technology Authority

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March 9, 2009

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Mary Anne Salmon, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Scott Copas Pulaski County	December 31, 2013	Contractors Licensing Board
Kel Nicholson Pulaski County	January 14, 2016	Arkansas Commission on Law Enforcement Standards and Training
Steve Walden Pulaski County	January 14, 2014	Waterwell Construction Commission
Janice Vaughn Pulaski County	January 14, 2014	Arkansas School for the Blind and School for the Deaf Board of Trustees

Respectfully submitted,

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Secretary of the Senate

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2014

March 9, 2009

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Terry Smith, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Carol Jo Atkinson Garland County	January 14, 2016	Henderson State University Board of Trustees

Respectfully submitted,

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March 9, 2009

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Larry Teague, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Randy Bobo Hempstead County	January 14, 2016	Red River Commission
Jim Hill Howard County	January 14, 2016	War Memorial Stadium Commission
Ben Brazzel Hempstead County	December 31, 2011	Burial Association Board

Respectfully submitted,

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March 9, 2009

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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Sharon Trusty, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Charles Blanchard Pope County	January 14, 2014	Arkansas Tech University Board of Trustees

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March 9, 2009

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Governor of Arkansas
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Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Henry "Hank" Wilkins IV, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Gary Hudson Arkansas County	December 31, 2013	State Banking Board

Respectfully submitted,

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Secretary of the Senate

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Cc: The Honorable Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State
Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WAGNER AND T. BAKER

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION A RESOLUTION REGARDING TRANSITIONAL CLIMATE CHANGE POLICY.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 15
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

SENATE RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING ADVISORY, MOCK LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS CONCERNING DISABILITY ISSUES AND AUTHORIZING ASSISTANCE TO CONDUCT THE MOCK LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS.

Senate Resolution No. 15 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 840
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS OF THE ARKANSAS COMMISSION FOR COORDINATION OF EDUCATIONAL EFFORTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 840 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 841
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT AMENDING THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE STATE SURVEYOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 841 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 842
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND HOME SCHOOL LAW IN TITLE 6; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 842 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 843
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WILLS, HAWKINS & TYLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW PRIVATE BORROWING BY STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 843 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 844
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES TYLER, CASH, CHEATHAM, L. COWLING, GASKILL, HAWKINS, KIDD, SAUNDERS & B. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS REVISIONS TO THE ARKANSAS PHYSICAL THERAPY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 844 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 845
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR AN INTERIM STUDY OF GENDER-BASED PAY DISPARITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 845 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 846
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE SIZE OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF A PUBLIC CORPORATION FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT; TO CLARIFY THE POWERS OF A PUBLIC CORPORATION FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT; TO CHANGE THE CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH A JOB TRAINING EXPENDITURE MAY BE MADE BY A PUBLIC CORPORATION FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 846 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 847
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A STUDENT TO CONTINUE ATTENDANCE AT A NONRESIDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT IN SOME CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 847 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 848
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOL CHOICE LAWS IN TITLE 6; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 848 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 849
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 6 PERTAINING TO EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 849 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 850

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY & M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO BROADEN THE HIGHER EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES GRANT PROGRAM; TO PROVIDE NEED-BASED FINANCIAL AID FOR ALL COLLEGE-GOING INDIVIDUALS FROM LOW INCOME FAMILIES TO BE USED AT INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 850 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 851

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY & M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 6 PROVISIONS CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS WORKFORCE IMPROVEMENT GRANT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 851 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 852

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY & M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE TEACHER OPPORTUNITY PROGRAM; TO PROVIDE SCHOLARSHIPS TO TEACHERS RETURNING TO COLLEGE TO RECEIVE AN ADDITIONAL CERTIFICATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 852 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 853

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY & M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CONSOLIDATE THE TEACHER EDUCATION RECRUITMENT PROGRAMS BY REPEALING THE MINORITY TEACHERS SCHOLARS PROGRAM, MINORITY MASTERS FELLOWS PROGRAM, AND THE STATE TEACHER ASSISTANCE RESOURCE PROGRAM: TO CREATE THE STATE TEACHER EDUCATION PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 853 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 854

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY & M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MILITARY DEPENDENTS SCHOLARSHIP; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 854 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 855

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY & M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE CONTINUING ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR THE CHILDREN AND SPOUSES OF CERTAIN PUBLIC SERVICE EMPLOYEES IF THE PUBLIC SERVICE RESULTS IN DEATH OR PERMANENT AND TOTAL DISABILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 855 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 856
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ABERNTAHY & M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FLEXIBILITY FOR THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN GOVERNOR'S SCHOLARS PROGRAM AWARDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 856 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 857
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY & M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE FACULTY/ADMINISTRATOR DEVELOPMENT FELLOWS PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 857 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 858
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY & M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS GOVERNMENT WORKER LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 858 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 859
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE NIX

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE LEGAL REMEDIES TO AID THE ABILITY OF A PERSON TO RECOVER STOLEN PROPERTY FROM A PAWNBROKER; TO SET FORTH COURT PROCEDURES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 859 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 860
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COOK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE COMMISSION FOR ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIC FACILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION TO DEVELOP RULES GOVERNING PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 860 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 861
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COOK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 6 CONCERNING ACADEMIC FACILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 861 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 862
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING AMOUNTS; TO PROVIDE RESOURCES FOR EDUCATIONAL ADEQUACY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 862 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 863
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COOK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE A PROCESS FOR ROUTINE INSPECTIONS AND REPORTING OF INSPECTIONS OF PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIC FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 863 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 864
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE OWNERS OF MULTIPLE DOGS OR CATS TO OBTAIN LICENSES ANNUALLY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 864 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 865
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE THE ADMINISTRATION AND USE OF STATE INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO STUDENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 865 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 866
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CORRECT THE SPELLING OF HYDROMORPHONE HYDROCHLORIDE IN THE CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 866 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 867
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS FARIS, G. BAKER, GLOVER, D. JOHNSON, P. MALONE, R. THOMPSON & WILKINSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCLEAN, NICKELS & J. ROEBUCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ETHICS REQUIREMENTS FOR LOBBYISTS AND PUBLIC OFFICIALS; AMENDING PORTIONS OF ARKANSAS LAW RESULTING FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1988, INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1990, AND INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 867 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 868
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SIMPLIFY AND CLARIFY THE METHOD OF DISTRIBUTION OF MONEYS RECEIVED BY THE TREASURER OF STATE FROM THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT FOR A SALE, LEASE, ROYALTY, BONUS, OR RENTAL OF OIL, GAS, OR MINERAL LANDS BELONGING TO THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AND LOCATED IN THIS STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 868 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 869
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE THE LICENSING, EDUCATION, AND LICENSE TRANSFERS OF BAIL BONDSMAN, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 869 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 870
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PERMIT SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT FACILITIES TO COLLECT AND CONVERT METHANE GAS FROM LANDFILLS TO ELECTRICITY OR OTHER ALTERNATIVE SOURCES OF ENERGY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 870 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 871
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS ELECTRONIC RECORDS STUDY COMMISSION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY ON AMENDING THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; TO SPECIFICALLY ADDRESS THE ISSUE OF BULK COMMERCIAL ACCESS TO ELECTRONIC OR COMPUTERIZED RECORDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 871 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 872
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE CERTIFICATION STANDARDS OF FIREFIGHTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 872 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 873
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE THE TERM OF OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR COINCIDE WITH THE GOVERNOR'S TERM OF OFFICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 873 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 874
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE SPORTSMAN STIMULUS BILL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 874 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 875
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REDUCE THE SALES AND USE TAX RATE ON UTILITIES USED BY A MANUFACTURER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 875 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 876
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SAFETY COMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1985; TO INCREASE RATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 876 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 877
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 6 CONCERNING STUDENT RECORDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 877 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 878
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADD A LAY MEMBER TO THE PROFESSIONAL BAIL BONDSMAN LICENSING BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 878 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 879
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT MINERAL DEVELOPMENT; TO PROTECT A SURFACE OWNER; TO PROVIDE A JUDICIAL REMEDY FOR A DISPUTE BETWEEN A MINERAL DEVELOPER AND A SURFACE OWNER; TO PROVIDE A REMEDY FOR DAMAGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 879 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 880
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE DEFINITIONS REGARDING PRIVATE RESIDENT AND CORRESPONDENCE SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 880 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 881
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO DEFINE THE PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN THE ARRAY OF COMMUNITY-BASED SERVICES FOR AT-RISK, DELINQUENT AND FAMILIES IN NEED OF SERVICES YOUTH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 881 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 882
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES
BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE STATUTE REGARDING VICTIM RESTITUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 882 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 883
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS G. BAKER, R. THOMPSON, GLOVER, JOHNSON, P. MALONE & WILKINSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCLEAN, NICKELS & J. ROEBUCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT AMENDING ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING RESTRICTIONS ON REGISTERING AS A LOBBYIST; AMENDING A PORTION OF ARKANSAS LAW RESULTING FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1988 AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 883 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 884
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE TIME FOR THE DIRECTOR OF THE ARKANSAS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION TO RESPOND TO AN ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT; TO REQUIRE THE DIRECTOR TO SEND PROPOSED RULES TO THE REGULATORY REVIEW COMMITTEE; TO CREATE THE REGULATORY REVIEW COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 884 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 885
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE AN INTERIM STUDY OF THE AFFORDABILITY OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN THIS STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 885 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 886
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PURPOSES FOR WHICH A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT MAY USE THE ANNUAL SAVINGS PRODUCED BY PARTICIPATING IN THE STATE'S BONDED DEBT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 886 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 887
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE RENEWAL OF A TEACHING LICENSE FOR RETIRED TEACHERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 887 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 888
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE MAXIMUM NUMBER OF STUDENTS ASSIGNED TO ONE (1) LICENSED ART TEACHER AT A PUBLIC ELEMENTARY SCHOOL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 888 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 889

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BRYLES

BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO PROVIDE A DETAILED REPORT OF NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH STUDENT CATEGORICAL FUND EXPENDITURES AND RESULTS FROM PROGRAMS FUNDED BY NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH STUDENT CATEGORICAL FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 889 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 890

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 6 CONCERNING SCHOOL ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 890 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 891
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF TITLE 6 RELATED TO PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 891 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 892
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS CONCERNING PRIVATE CLUB ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE LICENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 892 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 893
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE EFFICIENT ADMINISTRATION OF ALL PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS WITHIN THE SAME COUNTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 893 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 894
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS LAWS CONCERNNG THE ADMINISTRATION OF ELECTIONS AND SPECIAL ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 894 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 895
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING SPECIAL ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 895 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 896
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 6 RELATED TO PUBLIC SCHOOL FINANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 896 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 897
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE A PROCEDURE FOR COUNTIES THAT DO NOT HAVE ROAD MAINTENANCE AGREEMENTS TO USE SO THAT THEY ARE COMPENSATED FOR ANTICIPATED DAMAGE CAUSED BY THE TRANSPORTATION OF HEAVY LOADS OF MATERIALS AND PRODUCTION FLUIDS FROM OIL AND GAS EXPLORATION TO LOCAL PUBLIC ROADS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 897 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 898
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS MILLER, LAVERTY & BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVES ABERNATHY, CHEATHAM, COOK, COOPER, EVERETT, HOYT, PERRY & STEWART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE RELATING TO FUNDING FOR ISOLATED SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 898 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 899

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON, SALMON & ELLIOTT

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARRELSON, GREENBERG, M. BURRIS, J. ROEBUCK, HYDE & RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF CERTAIN CUSTOMIZED TEXTBOOKS AND COURSE MATERIALS FOR UNDERGRADUATE COURSES AT STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; TO MINIMIZE THE COST OF TEXTBOOKS AND COURSE MATERIALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 899 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 900

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS MADISON, SALMON & ELLIOTT

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARRELSON, GREENBERG, M. BURRIS, J. ROEBUCK, HYDE & RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF CERTAIN SINGLE-USE TEXTBOOKS AND COURSE MATERIALS FOR UNDERGRADUATE COURSES AT STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; TO MINIMIZE THE COST OF TEXTBOOKS AND COURSE MATERIALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 900 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 901
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING UNOPPOSED CANDIDATES IN CERTAIN ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 901 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 902
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING UNOPPOSED PRIMARY ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 902 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 903
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: TO ENACT THE INTERNATIONAL STUDENT EXCHANGE VISITOR PLACEMENT ORGANIZATION REGISTRATION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 903 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 904
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE REVIEW OF LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE FINDINGS BY THE PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE STANDARDS BOARD FOR TEACHERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 904 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 905
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENHANCE THE EDUCATION OF ARKANSAS STUDENTS IN THE AREAS OF SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING, AND MATHEMATICS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 905 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 906
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE, TITLE 8, CONCERNING THE RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE ARKANSAS POLLUTION CONTROL AND ECOLOGY COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 906 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 907
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE OIL AND GAS COMMISSION; TO CLARIFY THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE OIL AND GAS COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 907 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 908
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS IN CERTAIN FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 908 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 909
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT A PUBLIC OR A PRIVATE SCHOOL FROM THE SALES AND USE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 909 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 910
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE RATE OF PAYMENT FOR TEACHERS FOR PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SCHEDULED OUTSIDE OF THE NORMAL BASE CONTRACT PERIOD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 910 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 911
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS KINSHIP CARE SUBSIDY ACT OF 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 911 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 912
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HYDE AND NICKELS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE INTERLOCAL COOPERATION ACT TO AUTHORIZE PUBLIC AGENCIES TO CREATE CONSOLIDATED WASTEWATER SYSTEMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 912 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 913
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 913 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 914
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: TO CLARIFY THE RIGHTS OF A PROPERTY OWNER AND A MINERAL INTEREST OWNER IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 914 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 915
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE DUTIES, COMPOSITION, AND AUTHORITY OF THE ARKANSAS TOWING AND RECOVERY BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 915 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 916
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW FOR THE CRYOGENIC TREATMENT OF THE HYPOGYCGOUDOLEBOISM SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 916 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 917
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW RELATED TO THE TOWING, RECOVERY, AND STORAGE OF MOTOR VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 917 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 918
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT PARTICIPATION IN THE ARKANSAS SMART CORE CURRICULUM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 918 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 919
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS SPEED TRAP LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 919 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 920
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE TECHNOLOGY ACCELERATION FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 920 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 921
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE SUSTAINABLE BUILDING DESIGN PROGRAM FOR STATE AGENCIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 921 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 922
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING TOBACCO TREATMENT, PREVENTION, AND CESSATION; TO AMEND THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT PROCEEDS ACT; AMENDING A PORTION OF ARKANSAS LAW RESULTING FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 2000; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 922 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 923
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS LAWS CONCERNING ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 923 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 924
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REGARDING EX PARTE ORDERS IN DOMESTIC RELATIONS PROCEEDINGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 924 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 925
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT SUBPOENAS FOR PERSONAL HEALTH INFORMATION OF A MINOR OR FOR THE COMPELLING OF TESTIMONY REGARDING THE PERSONAL HEALTH INFORMATION OF A MINOR BE ACCOMPANIED BY A COURT ORDER DIRECTING A MEDICAL CARE PROVIDER TO RELEASE THE PERSONAL HEALTH INFORMATION OR TO TESTIFY REGARDING THE PERSONAL HEALTH INFORMATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 925 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 926
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BOOKOUT, CAPPS, HORN, D. JOHNSON & R. THOMPSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES R. GREEN, CASH, INGRAM, KIDD & B. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE AWARD PROCEDURE FOR PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS BY INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 926 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 927
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO DEVELOP THE ALTERNATIVE FUELS INDUSTRY IN ARKANSAS BY ESTABLISHING STANDARDS FOR THE PERCENTAGE OF ALTERNATIVE FUELS USED IN MOTOR VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 927 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 928
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENHANCE THIS STATE'S INCENTIVES FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF ALTERNATIVE FUELS; TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT, PRODUCTION, DISTRIBUTION, AND OTHER INCENTIVES THAT PROMOTE THE DEVELOPMENT OF ALTERNATIVE FUELS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 928 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 929
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROMOTE PROMPT NOTICE OF TEXTBOOKS AND COURSE MATERIALS SELECTED FOR UNDERGRADUATE COURSES AT STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 929 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 930
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE REPORTING AND PUBLICATION OF HIGHER EDUCATION COSTS FOR TEXTBOOKS AND COURSE MATERIALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 930 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 931
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS MADISON, SALMON & ELLIOTT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARRELSON, GREENBERG, M. BURRIS, J. ROEBUCK, HYDE & RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH POLICIES FOR THE SELECTION AND USE OF TEXTBOOKS AND COURSE MATERIALS AT STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; TO DISCOURAGE ABUSES IN THE USE OF “BUNDLED PACKAGE” TEXTBOOKS AND COURSE MATERIALS; TO MINIMIZE THE COST OF TEXTBOOKS AND COURSE MATERIALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 931 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 932
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REVISE THE CAP ON REIMBURSEMENT TO VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENTS FOR SERVICES PROVIDED INVOLVING FIRES AND PERSONAL PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 932 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 933
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE MEDICAID FAIRNESS ACT; TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING PROVIDER PARTICIPATION AND ADMINISTRATIVE APPEALS UNDER THE MEDICAID FAIRNESS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 933 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 934
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO THE PROVIDE FOR GRANTS AND INCENTIVES TO ASSIST ARKANSAS DAIRY FARMERS IN CONTINUING TO PRODUCE MILK IN THIS STATE; TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT DAIRY STABILIZATION PROGRAM FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 934 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 935
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE SCHOOL DISTRICTS TO ESTABLISH RANDOM DRUG TESTING POLICIES FOR ALL PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 935 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 936
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE GUIDANCE TO COUNTY LIBRARIES CONCERNING ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENT 38; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 936 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 937
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ASSESSMENT PROCEDURE FOR CERTAIN FIRE IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 937 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 938
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS D. JOHNSON AND SALMON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LINDSEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE ON AUTISM; TO PROVIDE FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF ITS MEMBERS; TO DESCRIBE ITS MISSION AND RESPONSIBILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 938 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 939
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES TO SEEK A MEDICAID WAIVER FOR INTENSIVE EARLY INTERVENTION BEHAVIOR THERAPY SERVICES FOR CHILDREN SUFFERING FROM AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 939 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 940
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR CRANIOFACIAL RECONSTRUCTION UNDER CERTAIN CONDITIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 940 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 941
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE SMART CORE CURRICULUM AS THE REQUIRED CURRICULUM FOR PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 941 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 942
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE ON CRIMINAL JUSTICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 942 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 943
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE PARENTS' ACCESS TO PUBLIC SCHOOL DATA ON ACHIEVEMENT GAPS AND ON PUBLIC SCHOOL PLANS TO CLOSE ACHIEVEMENT GAPS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 943 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 944
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT CERTAIN DRUGS BE MADE AVAILABLE TO ARKANSANS WITHOUT RESTRICTION WHEN THE DRUGS HAVE BEEN APPROVED AND RECOMMENDED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 944 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 945
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW WITHHOLDING OF UNION DUES FOR COUNTY EMPLOYEES; TO REQUIRE COUNTY GOVERNMENTS TO COMPLY WITH AN EMPLOYEE'S REQUEST FOR WITHHOLDING OF UNION DUES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 945 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 946
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENCOURAGE ENERGY EFFICIENCY BY ALLOWING AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR THE PURCHASE AND INSTALLATION OF ENERGY EFFICIENCY IMPROVEMENTS TO RESIDENCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 946 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 947
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT, ALTES, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, D. JOHNSON, MADISON, MILLER, TEAGUE, TRUSTY, WHITAKER & H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: THE COLORECTAL CANCER PREVENTION, EARLY DETECTION, AND TREATMENT ACT OF 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 947 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 948
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE DEFERMENT OF A SENTENCE FOR A PERSON WITH A COMMERCIAL DRIVERS LICENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 948 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 949
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE CONSUMER-PATIENT RADIATION HEALTH AND SAFETY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 949 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 950
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE OFFICE OF MOTOR VEHICLE TO IMPOSE A FEE IF A PERSON ALLOWS HIS OR HER REQUIRED MOTOR VEHICLE INSURANCE TO LAPSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 950 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 951
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE FEWER DISTRACTIONS MEAN SAFER DRIVING ACT TO PROHIBIT DRIVERS WHO ARE EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER FROM USING HANDHELD WIRELESS TELEPHONES; TO ALLOW DRIVERS WHO ARE EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER TO USE HANDS-FREE WIRELESS TELEPHONES OR DEVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 951 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 952
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT EACH HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT IS PROVIDED ADEQUATE INFORMATION ABOUT THE AVAILABILITY OF SCHOLARSHIPS AND VOCATIONAL PROGRAMS AT INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN THE STATE; TO REQUIRE REPORTING TO THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION ON THIS ISSUE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 952 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 953
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT COURT SECURITY VIDEOS FROM THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 953 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 954
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING DISTRICTS WITHIN COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES FOR DEVELOPMENT AND REDEVELOPMENT PROJECTS; CONCERNING THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 954 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 955
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO STRENGTHEN VOCATIONAL AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION IN PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 955 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 956
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW STUDENTS IN GRADE TEN (10) OR ABOVE TO PARTICIPATE IN COSMETOLOGY COURSES OFFERED IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 956 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 957
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A TASK FORCE TO STUDY THE LONG-TERM ECONOMIC IMPACT AND OTHER PROBLEMS AND COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH BLACK-ON-BLACK CRIME; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 957 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 958
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE MEDICAL BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 958 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 959
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ABOLISH DORMANT BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS AND TO CLARIFY THE LAW CONCERNING ONGOING BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 959 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 960
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS TOURISM DEVELOPMENT ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 960 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 961
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT PERSONS SUSCEPTIBLE TO SEVERE ALLERGIC REACTIONS; TO PROVIDE FOR CERTIFICATION OF PERSONS TRAINED TO ADMINISTER EMERGENCY TREATMENT FOR SEVERE ALLERGIC REACTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 961 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 962
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 6 CONCERNING STATE FINANCIAL AID TO STUDENTS ATTENDING INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 962 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 963
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE CHILD CARE SERVICES FOR TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE TO NEEDY FAMILY RECIPIENTS ENROLLED IN DAY OR EVENING CLASSES IN A TWO-YEAR COLLEGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 963 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 964
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A PERSON WITH AN ILLNESS TO WEAR A HAT OR OTHER COVERING ON HIS OR HER HEAD FOR A DRIVER'S LICENSE PHOTOGRAPH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 964 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 965
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO TRANSFER THE ARKANSAS WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD TO THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 965 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 966
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE SPECULATIVE OFFERING OF EVENT TICKET SALES VIA THE INTERNET; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 966 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 967
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE FULL PARTICIPATION FOR ARKANSAS IN THE FEDERAL SICKLE CELL DISEASE EDUCATION AND TREATMENT INITIATIVE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 967 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 968
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT A NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION PROVIDING SERVICES TO INDIVIDUALS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES INCLUDE AN INDIVIDUAL WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES AS A MEMBER OF THE NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION'S BOARD OF DIRECTORS OR OTHER GOVERNING BODY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 968 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 969
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A SMOKING CESSATION PROGRAM IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 969 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 970
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 6 CONCERNING THE HEALTH OF PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 970 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 971
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE REQUIREMENTS FOR CALCULATING AVERAGE DAILY MEMBERSHIP FOR THE PURPOSES OF ADMINISTRATIVE REORGANIZATION OF SMALL SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 971 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 972
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO CERTAIN BUSINESS ENTITY STATUTES AND THE MODEL REGISTERED AGENTS ACT, § 4-20-101 ET SEQ., CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF DESIGNATED OFFICES AND SERVICE UPON A FOREIGN ENTITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 972 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 973
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE TAX PROVISIONS IN TITLE 26 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE TO PROVIDE FOR THE TAX TREATMENT OF WIND POWER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 973 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 974
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE AN INTERIM STUDY OF WAYS TO ENHANCE AND EXPAND THE ARKANSAS EDUCATIONAL TELEVISION NETWORK'S SERVICE TO EDUCATION AND TO ARKANSANS THROUGHOUT THE STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 974 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 975
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE PURCHASE OF THERMAL IMAGING EQUIPMENT TO BE USED BY LAW ENFORCEMENT AIRCRAFT WHEN PURCHASED BY A COUNTY GOVERNMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 975 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1249
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HYDE, STEWART, PIERCE, HOUSE, PENNARTZ & LINDSEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ELECTED OFFICIALS WHO ARE CALLED TO ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY; TO ENSURE THAT THE ELECTED OFFICIAL RETAINS HIS OR HER OFFICE UPON RETURN FROM ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1249 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1326
As Engrossed: H2/13/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. SMITH AND
J. EDWARDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING CLAIMS FOR ATTORNEY'S FEES AND LITIGATION EXPENSES AGAINST THE STATE OF ARKANSAS UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1326 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1392
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SUMMERS AND LINDSEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PRIORITY OF LIENS IN MUNICIPAL PROPERTY OWNERS' IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1392 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1408
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO RESTRICT THE ENROLLMENT OF CHILDREN SIXTEEN (16) YEARS OF AGE AND SEVENTEEN (17) YEARS OF AGE IN ADULT EDUCATION PROGRAMS TO ALLOW A PERSON OTHER THAN A PARENT TO AGREE ON STUDENT PLACEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1408 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1518
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP
BY: SENATORS STEELE, LAVERTY & G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE OPTOMETRISTS OR OPHTHALMOLOGISTS TO SELL OR DISPENSE PRESCRIPTION CONTACT LENSES THAT ARE MEDICATED WITH LEGEND DRUGS THAT ARE AUTHORIZED BY THE FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1518 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1554
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BETTS, COOK, T. BRADFORD, DALE, J. DICKINSON, HOPPER, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, NICKELS, POWERS & G. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENT FOR PUBLICATION OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT'S ANNUAL PERFORMANCE REPORT; TO INCLUDE AN OPTION FOR PUBLICATION BY WEBSITE POSTING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1554 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1700
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MOORE, T. BAKER, ALLEN, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CASH, CHEATHAM, COOK, COOPER, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOUSE, HOYT, LINDSEY, LOVELL, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, RAINEY, REEP, J. ROEBUCK, SAUNDERS, G. SMITH, STEWART, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB & WILLIAMS
BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT, BRYLES, GLOVER, J. JEFFRESS, D. JOHNSON, P. MALONE, SALMON & H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKIDS FIRST IMPROVEMENT ACT; TO EXPAND COVERAGE UNDER THE ARKIDS FIRST PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1700 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1785
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 17, CHAPTER 22 CONCERNING THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE ATHLETIC COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1785 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1834
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LINDSEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CONTINUE THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT PROVISIONS AFFECTING THE RECORDS AND MEETINGS OF PUBLIC WATER SYSTEMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1834 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1837
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROGERS, COOK, CARROLL, J. DICKINSON, MOORE & PIERCE
BY: SENATORS R. THOMPSON AND D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO DESIGNATE A PORTION OF HIGHWAY 67 AS ROCK 'N' ROLL HIGHWAY 67; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1837 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1877
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS SECURITIES ACT, § 23-42-101 ET SEQ.; TO REGULATE SECURITIES LAW ADMINISTRATION, REGISTRATION, SANCTIONS, BOND REQUIREMENTS, AND EXAMINATION FEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1877 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1880
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE SECURITIES COMMISSIONER TO SET BOND REQUIREMENTS FOR THE COMMISSIONER'S LICENSEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1880 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1882
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL ARKANSAS CODE § 23-37-511 CONCERNING THE ASSIGNMENT OF SAVINGS ACCOUNTS IN LIEU OF POSTING BOND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1882 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1883
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO UPDATE AND MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO THE ARKANSAS SECURITIES ACT, 23-42-101 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1883 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1898
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HAWKINS, J. BURRIS, CASH, COOK, COOPER, DALE, J. DICKINSON, EVERETT, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, HARDY, HOYT, HYDE, KIDD, KING, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, RAGLAND, RICE, J. ROGERS, SLINKARD, L. SMITH, WELLS & B. WILKINS
BY: SENATORS HORN, ALTES, G. BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, GLOVER, HENDREN, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, J. KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, P. MALONE, MILLER, SALMON, T. SMITH, STEELE, TEAGUE, R. THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINSON & D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION TO PERMIT STORM COST RESERVE ACCOUNTING FOR ELECTRIC PUBLIC UTILITIES WHEN REQUESTED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1898 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1899
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SLINKARD, INGRAM & LINDSEY
BY: SENATORS B. PRITCHARD AND MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PER DIEM REIMBURSEMENT FOR COUNTY PERSONNEL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1899 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1386
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW DELINQUENT PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES AND PENALTY TO BE DEDUCTED FROM THE PROCEEDS OF DELINQUENT LAND SALES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1386 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1414
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE AND GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE DOMESTIC ABUSE ACT OF 1991; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1414 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1612
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BARNETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 27, CHAPTERS 16 AND 23, TO COMPLY WITH FEDERAL LAW IN ORDER TO QUALIFY FOR RECEIPT OF FEDERAL HIGHWAY FUNDS; TO DELETE OBSOLETE LANGUAGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1612 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1623
As Engrossed: H3/4/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES STEWART, WOODS, *M. BURRIS,* ADCOCK, BARNETT, *CHEATHAM, COLE,* FLOWERS, HOUSE, KERR, *M. MARTIN,* NIX, PERRY, SAMPLE, *G. SMITH*, WELLS, *ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BREEDLOVE, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CLEMMER, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, ENGLISH, GARNER, GEORGE, R. GREEN, HALL, HAWKINS, HOBBS, D. HUTCHINSON, KING, LEA, S. MALONE, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MOORE, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PIERCE, PYLE, REEP, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, SAUNDERS, SLINKARD, TYLER & B. WILKINS*
BY: SENATORS J. TAYLOR AND BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT PROHIBITING THE RELEASE OF THE IDENTITIES OR OTHER INFORMATION CONCERNING CONCEALED HANDGUN LICENSEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1623 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1644
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE ADDITIONAL FORMS OF SUBSIDIZATION WITH MONEYS IN THE DRINKING WATER STATE REVOLVING LOAN FUND ACCOUNT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1644 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1645
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE ADDITIONAL FORMS OF SUBSIDIZATION WITH MONEYS IN THE CONSTRUCTION ASSISTANCE REVOLVING LOAN FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1645 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1807
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT ARKANSAS CONSUMERS; TO ENSURE CONSISTENT MANUFACTURER'S PRICING OF BEER, ALE, AND MALT BEVERAGES ACROSS THE STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1807 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1839
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES REYNOLDS, M. BURRIS & HOYT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO LIMIT REQUIREMENTS FOR THE INSTALLATION OF FIRE SPRINKLERS IN HOME CONSTRUCTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1839 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1841
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT A NONPRODUCING MINERAL INTEREST HAS NO DISCERNABLE VALUE APART FROM THE VALUE OF THE FEE SIMPLE IN THE LAND FOR THE PURPOSE OF ASSESSMENT; AND OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1841 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1876
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE INVESTOR PROTECTION TAKEOVER ACT, § 23-43-101 et seq.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1876 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1420

As Engrossed: H3/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO ALLOW EMPLOYEES OF SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND PUBLIC AGENCIES TO PURCHASE GOODS PRODUCED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1420 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 976

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THE FAIR TREATMENT OF LITIGANTS IN ARKANSAS COURTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 976 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 977
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 6 CONCERNING POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIPS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 977 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 978
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ETHICS REQUIREMENTS FOR ELECTED AND APPOINTED OFFICIALS, PUBLIC EMPLOYEES, AND LOBBYISTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 978 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 979
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE RESULTING OR RECEING DISTRICT IN AN ADMINISTRATIVE REORGANIZATION OF HIGH-PRIORITY SCHOOL DISTRICTS TO CONTINUE TO RECEIVE HIGH-PRIORITY DISTRICT FINANCIAL INCENTIVES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 979 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 980
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL INCENTIVES FOR TEACHER RECRUITMENT AND RETENTION IN HIGH-PRIORITY SCHOOL DISTRICTS; TO EQUALIZE TEACHER SALARIES BETWEEN HIGH-PRIORITY SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND HIGHER PAYING SURROUNDING SCHOOL DISTRICTS IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 980 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 981
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL VANS FOR STUDENT TRANSPORTATION OF CHILDREN ENROLLED IN ARKANSAS BETTER CHANCE PRESCHOOL AND PREKINDERGARTEN PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 981 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 982

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE HEALTH CLINICS FOR PUBLIC SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 982 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 983

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A TASK FORCE TO IDENTIFY ALL CEMETERIES IN THE STATE, REPORT ON THE CONDITION OF CEMETERIES, AND PROVIDE EDUCATION ON DOCUMENTATION AND PRESERVATION OF CEMETERIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 983 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 984
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE EACH STATE AGENCY TO PROVIDE TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY DATA REGARDING MINORITY REPRESENTATION AMONG THE INDIVIDUALS, ENTITIES, OR BOTH THAT ARE LICENSED OR OTHERWISE REGULATED BY THE AGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 984 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 985
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT EACH STATE BOARD AND COMMISSION THAT LICENSES OR OTHERWISE REGULATES A PROFESSION SHALL HAVE A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OR COMMISSION WHO REPRESENTS AN APPROPRIATE MINORITY PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 985 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 986
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF THE RETIREMENT OR DISABILITY BENEFITS INCOME TAX EXEMPTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 986 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 987
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PLACE LIMITS ON THE AMOUNT AND DURATION OF CARRYOVER CATEGORICAL FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 987 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 988
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MAKEUP OF THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF CORRECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 988 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 989
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MAKEUP OF THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF CORRECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 989 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 990
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCLUDE HIGH EFFICIENCY ELECTRIC POWER GENERATORS IN THE DEFINITION OF MANUFACTURER FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE REDUCED EXCISE TAX RATE ON NATURAL GAS USED IN MANUFACTURING, SUBJECT TO A PHASE-IN OF THE REDUCED RATE OF TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 990 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 991
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING MEMBERS OF A COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 991 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 992
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE THE ARBITRATION OR OTHER RESOLUTION OF CREDIT CARD DISPUTES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 992 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 993
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ORAL LEASES OF FARMLANDS; TO PROVIDE AN EMERGENCY EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 993 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 16
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS WILKINSON, BOOKOUT & B. JOHNSON

SENATE RESOLUTION COMMENDING SENATOR STEVE FARIS FOR HIS TENURE AS NATIONAL CHAIRMAN OF THE AMERICAN LEGISLATIVE EXCHANGE COUNCIL.

Senate Resolution No. 16 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE BILL NO. 994
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAW REGARDING PAYMENTS BY PHARMACY BENEFITS MANAGERS FOR PHARMACISTS' SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 994 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 995
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING EXPUNGEMENT; TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING POSSSESION OF FIREARMS BY CERTAIN PERSONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 995 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 996
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR EDUCATION ABOUT MINERAL RIGHTS OWNERSHIP AND FOR THE EVALUATION OF THE IMPACT OF THE EXPLORATION AND DEVELOPMENT ACTIVITIES OF THE FAYETTEVILLE SHALE ON THE STATE'S WATER RESOURCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 996 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 997
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE CIVIL JUSTICE REFORM ACT OF 2003; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 997 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

SENATE BILL NO. 998
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING CLASSIFIED PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEE PERSONNEL POLICIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 998 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 999
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING LICENSED PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEE PERSONNEL POLICIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 999 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 1000
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE HEALTH SERVICES AGENCY ACT CONCERNING THE DEFINITIONS OF A HEALTH FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1000 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 1001
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A RACIAL PROFILING HOTLINE; TO ESTABLISH CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL IN REPORTING RACIAL PROFILING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1001 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILL NO. 1002
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE ARKANSAS MINORITY HEALTH COMMISSION AND TO EXPAND AND CLARIFY THE DUTIES OF THE COMMISSION.

Senate Bill No. 1002 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE BILL NO. 1003
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ELIMINATE INTANGIBLES FROM THE AD VALOREM TAX ASSESSMENTS OF TELECOMMUNICATIONS PROVIDERS AND PROVIDERS OF COMMERCIAL MOBILE SERVICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1003 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 1004
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS FOR FUNERAL DIRECTORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1004 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

SENATE BILL NO. 1005
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR MINORITY BUSINESSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1005 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 1006
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A WAIVER OF CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF THE CONDITIONS FOR EMPLOYMENT OF NONLICENSED PERSONNEL AT A PUBLIC SCHOOL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1006 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 1007
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING GRANTS AND FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE TO RURAL ENTERPRISE COMMUNITIES OR OTHER LOCAL ENTITIES FORMED UNDER THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1007 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILL NO. 1008
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND § 6-13-1601 ET SEQ., TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL OPTIONS FOR SCHOOL DISTRICTS UNDER THE PUBLIC EDUCATION REORGANIZATION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1008 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 1009
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 6 PERTAINING TO ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOL CHOICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1009 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

SENATE BILL NO. 1010
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PORTIONS OF ARKANSAS CODE, TITLE 8, TO STREAMLINE ENVIRONMENTAL LAWS AND REGULATIONS IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS TO ELIMINATE DUPLICATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1010 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 17
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

SENATE RESOLUTION TO RESCIND THE PREVIOUS APPLICATION BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES THAT IT CALL A CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION TO PROPOSE AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION TO BALANCE THE PUBLIC DEBT.

Senate Resolution No. 17 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 18
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ALTES

SENATE RESOLUTION TO AFFIRM THE RIGHTS OF ALL STATES INCLUDING ARKANSAS BASED ON THE PROVISIONS OF THE NINTH AND TENTH AMENDMENTS TO THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION.

Senate Resolution No. 18 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 2
SENATE BILL NO. 126
SENATE BILL NO. 312
SENATE BILL NO. 317
SENATE BILL NO. 318
SENATE BILL NO. 441
SENATE BILL NO. 450
SENATE BILL NO. 582
SENATE BILL NO. 775

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1350
HOUSE BILL NO. 1351
HOUSE BILL NO. 1352
HOUSE BILL NO. 1359
HOUSE BILL NO. 1422
HOUSE BILL NO. 1424
HOUSE BILL NO. 1470
HOUSE BILL NO. 1477
HOUSE BILL NO. 1480
HOUSE BILL NO. 1549
HOUSE BILL NO. 1551

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 56
SENATE BILL NO. 68
SENATE BILL NO. 238
SENATE BILL NO. 258
SENATE BILL NO. 259
SENATE BILL NO. 300
SENATE BILL NO. 305
SENATE BILL NO. 315
SENATE BILL NO. 320
SENATE BILL NO. 321
SENATE BILL NO. 322
SENATE BILL NO. 335
SENATE BILL NO. 403
SENATE BILL NO. 495

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS CONCURRED IN AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 218 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1249
HOUSE BILL NO. 1326
HOUSE BILL NO. 1386
HOUSE BILL NO. 1392
HOUSE BILL NO. 1408
HOUSE BILL NO. 1414

HOUSE BILL NO. 1420
HOUSE BILL NO. 1518
HOUSE BILL NO. 1554
HOUSE BILL NO. 1612
HOUSE BILL NO. 1623
HOUSE BILL NO. 1644
HOUSE BILL NO. 1645
HOUSE BILL NO. 1700
HOUSE BILL NO. 1785
HOUSE BILL NO. 1807
HOUSE BILL NO. 1834
HOUSE BILL NO. 1837
HOUSE BILL NO. 1839
HOUSE BILL NO. 1841
HOUSE BILL NO. 1876
HOUSE BILL NO. 1877
HOUSE BILL NO. 1880
HOUSE BILL NO. 1882
HOUSE BILL NO. 1883
HOUSE BILL NO. 1898
HOUSE BILL NO. 1899

On motion of Senator Wyatt, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 10, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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FIFTY-NINTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

March 10, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Dr. William D. Harris, Central Baptist Church, Hot Springs, Arkansas.

Senator Broadway requested leave for Senators Laverty and Whitaker.

Leave granted.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Luker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 65 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 65

Amend Senate Bill No. 65 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 26 and substitute the following language:

"~~authorities~~ management boards as defined by ~~§ 8-6-707~~ § 8-6-702."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 27 through 36, and substitute the following language:

"cooperation of state agencies with appropriate expertise, ~~a cost/benefit~~ an economic impact and environmental benefit analysis justifying more stringent or restrictive operating conditions.

(2) The economic impact and environmental benefit analysis ~~will~~ shall include~~, but not be limited to,~~ without limitation:

(A) ~~the~~ The benefit to the public health; ~~and~~

(B) ~~the~~ The preservation of environmental quality; and

(C) ~~the~~ The cost to the regulated community and the department.

(3) The conclusions of ~~this~~ an economic impact and environmental benefit analysis shall be"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 65 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 243 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 243

Amend Senate Bill No. 243 as originally introduced:

Page 1, lines 9 and 10, delete the Title in its entirety and substitute the following:

"AN ACT TO ALLOW THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO ADOPT RULES AND REGULATIONS TO REMAIN IN COMPLIANCE WITH FEDERAL LAWS AND REGULATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Page 1, lines 13 and 14, delete the Subtitle in its entirety and substitute the following:

"TO ALLOW THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO ADOPT RULES AND REGULATIONS TO REMAIN IN COMPLIANCE WITH FEDERAL LAWS AND REGULATIONS."

AND

Page 1, delete all the language after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 24-7-305(b), concerning the duties and responsibilities Arkansas Teacher Retirement System board of trustees, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) The board shall promulgate rules as it deems necessary from time to time in the transaction of its business and in administering the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System.

(2) In order to fully comply with federal requirements that may affect the members or the members' benefits under this subchapter, the board may promulgate rules to:

(A) Establish the regular retirement age for members consistent with the provisions of Section 411 of the Internal Revenue Code; and

(B) Maintain the system's retirement plan tax qualification status by the federal government to remain tax exempt and tax qualified under Section 401(a) of the Internal Revenue Code."

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 243 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 240 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 240

Amend Senate Bill No. 240 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete all the language after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-17-413(c), concerning incentive bonuses for certification by the National Board of Professional Teaching Standards, is amended to read as follows:

(c)(1) Provisions of this section and § 6-17-412 shall apply only to the extent that funds are appropriated to the department to pay for these provisions.

(2)(A) For a member of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, the department shall withhold any employee contributions where necessary from the incentive bonus and shall send the employee contributions to the system for credit as a part of the member's salary.

(B) The employer contributions shall be provided from funds that are appropriated to the department to pay for the bonuses and shall be sent to the system for credit as employer contributions to match the member's salary.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 24-7-202(27)(A)(i), concerning the definition of salary under the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, is amended to read as follows:

(27)(A)(i)(a) "Salary" means the remuneration paid an employee in a position covered by the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System and on which the employer withholds federal income tax.

(b) "Salary" includes an incentive bonus paid to an employee for the employee's certification by the National Board of Professional Teaching Standards under § 6-17-413."

(SIGNED) SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 240 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 333 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 333

Amend Senate Bill No. 333 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 12 and substitute:
"CATASTROPHIC LEAVE BANK PROGRAM OR THE FEDERAL EMPLOYEE LEAVE TRANSFER PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER"

AND

Page 1, delete line 18 and substitute:
"TO THE CATASTROPHIC LEAVE BANK PROGRAM OR THE FEDERAL EMPLOYEE LEAVE TRANSFER PROGRAM."

AND

Page 1, delete line 25 through 35 and substitute:
"26-51-513. Donation to catastrophic leave bank program or federal employee leave transfer program tax credit.
(a) As used in this section:
(1) "Catastrophic leave bank program" means the state program established under § 21-4-214; and
(2) "Federal employee leave transfer program" means the program established under 5 U.S.C. §§ 6331-6340 as it existed on January 1, 2009.
(b) A taxpayer is eligible for a tax credit against the income tax imposed by the Income Tax Act of 1929, § 26-51-101 et seq., with the tax credit being calculated in accordance with subsection (c) of this section if the taxpayer:
(1) Donates accrued annual leave or sick leave to the catastrophic leave bank; or
(2) Donates annual leave under the federal employee leave transfer program.
(c) A tax credit of ten dollars ($10.00) is allowed under this section for each eight (8) hours of accrued annual leave or sick leave donated during a tax year to the catastrophic leave program or as provided in the federal employee leave transfer program."

(SIGNED) SENATOR DENNY ALTES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 333 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 781 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 781

Amend Senate Bill No. 781 as originally introduced:

Page 6, delete lines 28 and 29 and substitute:
"prevailing wage rates, exclusive of routine maintenance, that are being ~~paid~~ charged by the ~~dealer~~ dealers in the relevant market area in which the motor vehicle dealer"

AND

Page 7, delete line 9 and substitute:

"(3) The parts mark-up shall not be substituted for a"

AND

Page 9, delete lines 1 through 3 and substitute:

"(b) For motor vehicles other than motor homes, this subdivision (a)(2)(C)(v) applies to both voluntary and involuntary termination or cancellation of the franchise or selling agreement.

(c)(1) For motor homes, this subdivision (a)(2)(C)(v) applies to both the voluntary dealer-initiated termination or cancellation of all motor home franchise or selling agreements and the involuntary manufacturer-initiated termination or cancellation of any one (1) or more motor home franchise or selling agreements.

(2) This subdivision only applies to the voluntary dealer initiated termination of one (1) of two (2) or more line makes of motor homes if the dealer can show due cause to terminate or cancel the motor home franchise or selling agreement;"

AND

Page 9, delete lines 28 and 29 and substitute:

"business by the dealer from another authorized dealer so long as the authorized dealer"

(SIGNED) SENATOR TEAGUE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 781 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 515 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 515

Amend Senate Bill No. 515 as originally introduced:

Page 7, delete lines 19 and 20 and substitute:

"~~sixteen (16) years of age and older, excluding foster children,~~ shall ~~be checked with~~ have a fingerprint-based criminal background check performed by the Federal Bureau of Investigation in compliance with federal law and regulation for convictions of the"

AND

Page 7, delete lines 33 and 34 and substitute:

"excluding children in foster care, have a fingerprint-based criminal background check performed by the Federal Bureau of Investigation in compliance with federal law and regulation for convictions of the offenses listed in this subchapter."

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 515 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 516 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 516

Amend Senate Bill No. 516 as originally introduced:

Page 3, delete line 6 and substitute:

"criminal background check, if available, and national fingerprint-based"

AND

Page 3, delete line 16 and substitute:

"include a national fingerprint-based criminal background check performed by"

AND

Page 3, delete line 30 and substitute:

"(7) Additional national fingerprint-based criminal background"

AND

Page 4, delete line 12 and substitute:

"all information obtained from the national fingerprint-based criminal"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 17 and 18 and substitute:

"adoption has been or will be filed shall keep a record of the national fingerprint-based criminal background checks performed by the Federal Bureau"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 516 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 570 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 570

Amend Senate Bill No. 570 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 26, insert "fire departments," between "to" and "counties"

And

Page 1, line 29, insert "fire protection" between "centers," and "and"

(SIGNED) SENATOR R. THOMPSON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 570 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 5 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 5

Amend Senate Bill No. 5 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the Emergency Clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 26-52-319(a), concerning natural gas and electricity used by manufacturers, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1)(A) Beginning July 1, 2007, in lieu of the gross receipts or gross proceeds tax levied in §§ 26-52-301 and 26-52-302(a)-(d), there is levied an excise tax on the gross receipts or gross proceeds derived from the sale of natural gas and electricity to a manufacturer for use directly in the actual manufacturing process at the rate of four and three-eighths percent (4.375%).

~~(2)~~(B) Beginning July 1, 2008, and ending June 30, 2009, the tax rate levied in subdivision ~~(a)(1)~~(a)(1)(A) of this section shall be imposed at the rate of three and seven-eights percent (3.875%).

(C) Beginning July 1, 2009, the excise tax rate levied in subdivision (a)(1)(A) of this section shall be imposed at the rate of two and seven-eighths percent (2.875%).

~~(3)~~(2) The taxes levied in this subsection (a) shall be distributed as follows:

(A) Seventy-six and six-tenths percent (76.6%) of the tax, interest, penalties, and costs received by the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration shall be deposited as general revenues;

(B) Eight and five-tenths percent (8.5%) of the tax, interest, penalties, and costs received by the director shall be deposited into the Property Tax Relief Trust Fund; and

(C) Fourteen and nine-tenths percent (14.9%) of the tax, interest, penalties, and costs received by the director shall be deposited into the Educational Adequacy Fund.

~~(4)(A)~~(3)(A) The excise tax levied in this section applies only to natural gas and electricity sold for use directly in the actual manufacturing process.

(B) Natural gas and electricity sold for any other purpose shall be subject to the full gross receipts or gross proceeds tax levied under §§ 26-52-301 and 26-52-302(a)-(d).

~~(5)~~(4) The excise tax levied in this section shall be collected, reported, and paid in the same manner and at the same time as is prescribed by law for the collection, reporting, and payment of all other Arkansas gross receipts taxes.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 26-53-148(a), concerning natural gas and electricity used by manufacturers, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1)(A) Beginning July 1, 2007, in lieu of the tax levied in §§ 26-53-106 and 26-53-107(a)-(d), there is levied an excise tax on the sales price of natural gas and electricity purchased by a manufacturer for use directly in the actual manufacturing

process at the rate of four and three-eighths percent (4.375%).

~~(2)~~(B) Beginning July 1, 2008, and ending on June 30, 2009, the tax rate levied in subdivision ~~(a)(1)~~(a)(1)(A) of this section shall be imposed at the rate of three and seven-eights percent (3.875%).

(C) Beginning July 1, 2009, the excise tax rate levied in subdivision (a)(1)(A) of this section shall be imposed at the rate of two and seven-eighths percent (2.875%).

~~(3)~~(2) The taxes levied in subsection (a) of this section shall be distributed as follows:

(A) Seventy-six and six-tenths percent (76.6%) of the tax, interest, penalties, and costs received by the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration shall be deposited as general revenues;

(B) Eight and five-tenths percent (8.5%) of the tax, interest, penalties, and costs received by the director shall be deposited into the Property Tax Relief Trust Fund; and

(C) Fourteen and nine-tenths percent (14.9%) of the tax, interest, penalties, and costs received by the director shall be deposited into the Educational Adequacy Fund.

~~(4)(A)~~(3)(A) The excise tax levied in this section applies only to natural gas and electricity purchased for use directly in the actual manufacturing process.

(B) Natural gas and electricity purchased for any other purpose shall be subject to the full compensating use tax levied under §§ 26-53-106 and 26-53-107(a)-(d).

~~(5)~~(4) The excise tax levied in this section shall be collected, reported, and paid in the same manner and at the same time as is prescribed by law for the collection, reporting, and payment of all other Arkansas compensating use taxes.

SECTION 3. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that manufacturers in this state have suffered losses due to sharp increases in energy costs; that these manufacturers are unable to set the price for the products they produce and are particularly vulnerable to price volatility; that the current sales and use tax on utilities consumed by these manufacturers located within this state creates a competitive disadvantage; that this act is intended to address that problem by providing a reduced tax rate on utilities consumed by manufacturers located in this state; and that this act is necessary to prevent the loss of manufacturing jobs. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act being necessary for the preservation of public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on July 1, 2009."

(SIGNED) SENATOR DENNY ALTES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 5 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 850 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 850

Amend Senate Bill No. 850 as originally introduced:
Page 3, line 27, delete "from high school"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BROADWAY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 850 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 856 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 856

Amend Senate Bill No. 856 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 29 and substitute the following language:

"(C) Graduates from:

(i) A high school in this state, for Arkansas Governor's Scholars; or

(ii) A high school, for Arkansas Governor's Distinguished Scholars;"

AND

Page 2, delete line 14 and substitute the following language:

"(4) Graduates from:

(A) A high school in this state, for Arkansas Governor's Scholars; or

(B) A high school, for Arkansas Governor's Distinguished Scholars;"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BROADWAY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 856 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 393 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 393

Amend Senate Bill No. 393 as engrossed, S3/4/09:
Delete Section 2 in its entirety

(SIGNED) SENATOR ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 393 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hoyt, House Bill No. 1451 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1451

Amend House Bill No. 1451 as engrossed, H2/23/09:

Page 1, delete lines 32 through 36

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 20 and substitute the following:

"(1) "Butter" means the fatty substance obtained from milk by churning;

(2) "Cheese" means solid foods made from pressed curds of milk, including hard, American, processed, shredded, mozzarella, and cream;

(3) "Cultured milk products" means yogurt, cottage cheese, and sour cream;

(4)(A) "Dairy products" means refrigerated or frozen items sold to consumers in Arkansas that are processed directly from raw milk.

(B) "Dairy products" does not include a dairy product that is used as an ingredient for a nondairy finished product;"

(5) "Fluid milk" means whole, reduced fat, skim, flavored, and buttermilk, including cream and half and half;

(6) "Ice cream" means flavored cream or custard made from milk, sweetened and frozen, including full fat, low fat, ice milk, frozen yogurt, and milk sherbet;

(7) "Milk producer" means any person or entity that operates a"

AND

Page 2, line 23, delete "(3)" and substitute "(8)"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 27 and 28 and substitute the following:

"2-10-202. Dairy fee.

(a) A wholesaler shall pay a dairy fee of not more than"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 34 through 36 and substitute the following:

"(2) The director shall deposit the dairy fee into general revenues.

(c) A wholesaler that is subject to the dairy fee under"

AND

Page 3, delete line 6 through 36

AND

Page 4, delete lines 1 through 28 and substitute the following:

"moneys collected under this section.

(e) If an Arkansas retailer purchases milk or dairy products from an unlicensed wholesaler, distributor, or manufacturer for sale in Arkansas, the retailer shall pay the fee when the property is transferred to a retail store for sale to the

ultimate consumers as reflected in the records of the retailer."

AND

Page 4, delete line 30 and substitute the following:
"The Director of the Department of Finance and Administration shall adopt rules"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 1 through 4 and substitute the following:
"Auditor of State, and the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State an Arkansas Agriculture Department Stabilization Program fund.
(b)(1) Moneys from a Dairy Stabilization program appropriation from general revenues shall be deposited into the State Treasury to the credit of the Arkansas Agriculture Department Stabilization Program fund."

AND

Page 5, line 9, delete "payments" and substitute "grants"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BRYLES

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1451 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 5, BY SENATOR DENNY ALTES,
SENATE BILL NO. 333, BY SENATOR DENNY ALTES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 5 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 333 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 65, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 65 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 240, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS
SENATE BILL NO. 243, BY SENATOR FARIS

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 240 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 243 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 393, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 393 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 515, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 516, BY SENATOR MADISON

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 515 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 516 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 570, SENATOR R. THOMPSON

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 570 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

Senate BILL NO. 781, BY SENATOR TEAGUE

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 781 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 850, BY SENATOR BROADWAY ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 856, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 850 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 856 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1451, BY REPRESENTATIVE HOYT ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Bryles, House Bill No. 1451 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 701, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 773, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1435, BY REPRESENTATIVE PYLE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1492, BY REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1600, BY REPRESENTATIVE T. BAKER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1717, BY REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1466, BY REPRESENTATIVE T. BAKER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1705, BY REPRESENTATIVE REEP,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 467, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 815, BY SENATOR P. MALONE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 437, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1426, BY REPRESENTATIVE PERRY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1111, BY REPRESENTATIVE PENNARTZ,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1462 BY REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1500 BY REPRESENTATIVE G. SMITH
HOUSE BILL NO. 1622 BY REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN
CHAIRMAN

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

March 10, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on March 10, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 154, - ACT 329,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6
BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS
SENATE BILL NO. 56, BY SENATOR MILLER, ET AL.
SENATE BILL NO. 68, BY SENATOR MADISON
SENATE BILL NO. 300, BY SENATOR WHITAKER
SENATE BILL NO. 305, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 315, BY SENATOR STEELE
SENATE BILL NO. 320, BY SENATOR BRYLES
SENATE BILL NO. 321, BY SENATOR BRYLES
SENATE BILL NO. 322, BY SENATOR TEAGUE
SENATE BILL NO. 495 BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 311, BY SENATOR FARIS
SENATE BILL NO. 238, BY SENATOR LAVERTY
SENATE BILL NO. 258, BY SENATOR BROADWAY
SENATE BILL NO. 259, BY SENATOR BROADWAY
SENATE BILL NO. 335, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS
SENATE BILL NO. 403, BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:40 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 6
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SENATE BILL NO. 403

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 10th day of March, 2009 at 9:40 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Marc Harrelson
Secretary

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 239 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1009 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1009

As Engrossed, H2/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES G. SMITH, LOWERY, HARDY, *ABERNATHY, MAXWELL, MALOCH, SAUNDERS, RAINEY, FLOWERS, REEP, D. CREEKMORE, M. BURRIS, SAMPLE, HARRELSON, MOORE, CHEATHAM, T. BRADFORD, POWERS, SHELBY, J. ROEBUCK, PIERCE, L. COWLING, STEWART, WORD & COLE*

BY: SENATORS G. JEFFRESS, *P. MALONE, J. JEFFRESS, T. SMITH, H. WILKINS, HORN, FARIS, J. TAYLOR & TEAGUE*

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING THAT THE CONGRESS, THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, AND THE DIRECTOR OF THE FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION ENSURE THAT A SIGNIFICANT PORTION OF FUNDING FOR TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE BE COMMITTED TO COMPLETE CONSTRUCTION OF INTERSTATE 69 (I-69) IN ARKANSAS.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1009 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1009 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 38 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 38

Amend Senate Bill No. 38 as engrossed, S2/23/09:

Page 3, delete lines 31 through 36 and substitute the following:

"(b)(1) The commission is authorized and encouraged to establish, maintain, and operate a program of boater training and boater safety in this state.

(2) Beginning January 1, 2010, ~~The~~ the program shall include, ~~but not be limited to,~~ without limitation:

(A)(i) ~~a~~ A course of instruction designed to teach the safe and proper handling of ~~boats~~ motorboats, personal watercraft, and any other related matters as shall be deemed appropriate by the commission.

(ii) With regard to personal watercraft, the course of instruction shall include electronic simulation of personal watercraft operation and actual hands-on familiarization with the personal watercraft.

(B)(i) A written examination that shows the applicant's ability to have common knowledge to exercise ordinary and reasonable control in the operation of a motorboat and a personal watercraft."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 1 through 7.

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 38 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, House Bill No. 1148 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1148

Amend House Bill No. 1148 as engrossed, H1/30/09:
Page 1, delete line 35 and substitute:

"pounds (84,000 lbs.).
(3) The permit shall apply only to the transportation of agricultural cotton seed from the cotton gin to the first delivery point."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BRYLES

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1148 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 309 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 309

Amend Senate Bill No. 309 as engrossed, S2/11/09 :
Page 4, line 13, delete "5:00 a.m." and substitute "4:00 a.m."

AND

Page 5, line 18, delete "5:00 a.m." and substitute "4:00 a.m."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 309, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 309 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 309
As Engrossed: S2/9/09 S2/11/09 H2/20/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS J. JEFFRESS, ALTES, BLEDSOE, BRYLES, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, GLOVER, HENDREN, G. JEFFRESS, D. JOHNSON, MILLER, R. THOMPSON, TRUSTY, H. WILKINS, WILKINSON & D. WYATT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SHELBY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BLOUNT, CHEATHAM, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, HARRELSON, HOYT, W. LEWELLEN, MAXWELL, NIX, J. ROEBUCK, SAUNDERS, SUMMERS, TYLER, WEBB & WILLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE SAFETY OF ROADS AND HIGHWAYS IN THE STATE BY ADDRESSING ISSUES RELATED TO THE LICENSING OF YOUTHFUL DRIVERS; TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING RESTRICTED DRIVER'S LICENSES, LEARNER'S LICENSES, AND INTERMEDIATE LICENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 309 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 32

NEGATIVE: Teague.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 309 was ordered enrolled.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 631 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 631

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS REGARDING LEGISLATIVE PROCEEDINGS; TO CLARIFY THE SUBPOENA POWER OF THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE COMMITTEES THEREOF; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 631 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 631 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 767 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 767
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE RESOLUTION OF PROTESTED SOLICITATIONS AND AWARDS FOR STATE CONTRACTS TO PROVIDE FOR A DEADLINE TO PROTEST THE SOLICITATION PROCESS BEFORE TO OPENING THE SOLICITATION RESPONSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 767 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 767 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 353 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 353

As Engrossed: S2/24/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING VOTER REGISTRATION; TO AMEND AMENDMENT 51 OF THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION; TO AMEND § 7-5-406 TO ALLOW FOR USE OF THE FEDERAL WRITE-IN ABSENTEE BALLOT WITHOUT PRIOR REGISTRATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 353 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 353 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator T. Smith, Senate Bill No. 765 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 765
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MAXIMUM WEIGHT ALLOWED ON THE FRONT OR STEERING AXLE OF A VEHICLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 765 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 765, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 765 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 800 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 800
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO GIVE COUNTY OFFICIALS ADMINISTRATIVE RIGHTS TO COUNTY ELECTRONIC INFORMATION AND RECORDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 800 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 800, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 800 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 826 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 826

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PLACE REASONABLE RESTRICTIONS ON YOUTHFUL DRIVERS GRANTED A HARDSHIP LICENSE; TO IMPROVE THE SAFETY OF ROADS AND HIGHWAYS IN THE STATE BY ADDRESSING ISSUES RELATED TO THE LICENSING OF BEGINNING OR YOUTHFUL DRIVERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 826 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 826 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 771 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 771
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE STATE HIGHWAY COMMISSION TO ISSUE SPECIAL PERMITS FOR THE MOVEMENT OF SEALED CONTAINERIZED CARGO BETWEEN TWO (2) CONTIGUOUS COUNTIES OF THE STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 771 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 771 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bookout, Senate Bill No. 782 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 782

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS BOOKOUT, ALTES, G. BAKER, BLEDSOE, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CRUMBLY, FARIS, HENDREN, HORN, J. JEFFRESS, D. JOHNSON, J. KEY, LAVERTY, P. MALONE, MILLER, B. PRITCHARD, SALMON, T. SMITH, STEELE, J. TAYLOR, TEAGUE, R. THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINSON & D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A PERSON WHO QUALIFIES TO BE ISSUED A MILITARY SERVICE OR VETERANS SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE TO OBTAIN A REGULAR LICENSE PLATE AT THE SAME FEE REQUIRED FOR ISSUANCE OR RENEWAL OF THE MILITARY SERVICE OR VETERANS SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 782 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 782 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bookout, Senate Bill No. 831 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 831

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

BY: REPRESENTATIVES CASH, KIDD & B. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALTER THE OFFICIAL ROUTE DESIGNATED AS CROWLEY'S RIDGE SCENIC HIGHWAY SO THAT THE ROUTE CAN BE DESIGNATED AS A NATIONAL SCENIC BYWAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 831 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 831 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 396 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 396

As Engrossed: S3/9/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT, BRYLES, *G. BAKER, BOOKOUT, CRUMBLY, D. JOHNSON, J. KEY, T. SMITH & H. WILKINS*

BY: REPRESENTATIVES W. LEWELLEN, RAINEY, *ALLEN, J. EDWARDS, HALL, INGRAM, L. SMITH & WEBB*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS HOUSING TRUST FUND; TO CREATE A HOUSING TRUST FUND ADVISORY COMMITTEE; TO PROVIDE FOR THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE HOUSING TRUST FUND BY THE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 396 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 396 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator R. Johnson, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of recognizing Judge Riley from the Eighth Circuit Court of Appeals in St. Louis.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 454 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 454

As Engrossed: S3/9/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON

BY: REPRESENTATIVE PATTERSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE LAW CONCERNING SECURITY DEPOSITS FOR THE LEASE OF RESIDENTIAL PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 454 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 454 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 681 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 681

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT THE WEIGHT LIMITATIONS FOR VEHICLES UNDER THE ARKANSAS NEW MOTOR VEHICLE QUALITY ASSURANCE ACT DO NOT APPLY TO A VEHICLE THAT HAS BEEN SUBSTANTIALLY ALTERED AFTER ITS INITIAL SALE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 681 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 681 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1452 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1452
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE TYLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADD THE AMUSEMENT RIDE SAFETY ADVISORY BOARD TO THE STATE BOARDS AUTHORIZED TO RECEIVE A STIPEND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1452 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 29

NEGATIVE: Altes, Hendren, J. Key, Trusty.

Total 4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1452 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1453 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1453
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE TYLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR TO SEEK RECOVERY OF UNLAWFULLY COLLECTED FEES UNDER THE ARKANSAS PRIVATE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1453 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 32

NEGATIVE: Altes.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1453 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed, as amended.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 1629 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1629

As Engrossed: S3/9/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DIRECTOR OF THE LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS BOARD TO AUTHORIZE A LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS COMPANY TO FILL OR SERVICE ANOTHER LIQUEFIED PETROLEUM GAS COMPANY'S CONTAINER DURING A DECLARED EMERGENCY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1629 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1629 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed, as amended.

On motion of Senator Glover, House Bill No. 1455 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1455
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MOORE, DUNN, HALL, J. BROWN, INGRAM, T. ROGERS, CASH & T. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT A PERMIT FOR EARTHMOVING EQUIPMENT MAY ALLOW THE TOWING OF TWO DIRT PANS AT ONE TIME; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1455 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1455 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 229 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 229

Amend Senate Bill No. 229 as originally introduced:
Page 1, delete lines 28 and 29, and substitute the following:
"from income tax."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 229, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Retirement Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 229 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 229

As Engrossed: H2/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT LUMP-SUM BENEFITS PAID TO A MEMBER UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM ARE INTENDED TO BE TREATED FOR TAX PURPOSES AS PROCEEDS FROM A LIFE INSURANCE POLICY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 229 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 229, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 229 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 155 at this time.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 155 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 155

As Engrossed S2/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS GLOVER AND FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO CORRECT CALCULATION ERRORS THAT CAUSE MANIFEST INJUSTICE TO ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM MEMBERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 155 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 155, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 155 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 170 at this time.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 170 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 170
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A WAIVER OF PENALTY FOR DELINQUENT EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTIONS TO PREVENT A MANIFEST INJUSTICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 170 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 170 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 191 at this time.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 191 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 191

As Engrossed, S2/24/09, S3/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 24, CHAPTER 7 CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 191 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 191, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 191 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 227 at this time.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 227 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 227

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO RECOUP BENEFITS, INCLUDING INTEREST, PAID TO A MEMBER WHO DOES NOT MEET THE ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS UNDER THE TEACHER DEFERRED RETIREMENT OPTION PLAN; TO ALLOW FOR THE COLLECTION OF INTEREST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 227 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 227, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 227 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 328 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 328

Amend Senate Bill No. 328 as engrossed, S2/26/09:

Insert a new Section immediately following Section 43 to read as follows:

"SECTION 44. APPROPRIATION - LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY - SHOW PREMIUMS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Agriculture Department, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund account, for show premiums, refunds, and reimbursements of the Arkansas Agriculture Department - Livestock and Poultry Commission for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010
(01)	ARSHS RODEO ASSOCIATION	$ 30,000
(02)	REFUNDS/REIMBURSE 4H CLUBS	30,000
(03)	REFUNDS/REIMBURSE FFA CLUBS	30,000
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	$ 90,000"

And

Appropriately renumber the subsequent Sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BROADWAY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 328 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 413 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 413

Amend Senate Bill No. 413 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 31, delete "Accountant I" and substitute "Accountant II"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 3 through 5 in their entirety and substitute the following:

"(034)	Assistant Registrar	1	GRADE C115
(035)	Computer Operator	1	GRADE C114
(036)	Statistician	1	GRADE C114"

AND

Page 3, Line 9, delete "GRADE C111" and substitute "GRADE C110"

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 413 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 414 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 414

Amend Senate Bill No. 414 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 33 in its entirety
AND
Page 3, delete lines 1 through 6 in their entirety and substitute the following:

"(031)	Public Safety Officer	2	GRADE C116
(032)	Bookstore Manager	1	GRADE C115
(033)	Financial Aid Analyst	1	GRADE C115
(034)	Maintenance Supervisor	1	GRADE C115
(035)	Payroll Services Specialist	1	GRADE C115
(036)	Skilled Tradesman	5	GRADE C115
(037)	Network Analyst	1	GRADE C114"

AND
Page 3, line 17, delete "C109" and substitute "C108"
AND
Page 3, line 18, delete "C109" and substitute "C108"
AND
Page 3, line 19, delete "C109" and substitute "C108"
AND
Appropriately renumber the Item Numbers in Section 1
AND
Page 5, line 15, delete " 5,878,499" and substitute "12,000,000"
AND
Page 5, line 16, delete "316,412" and substitute "500,000"
AND
Page 5, line 20, delete "$ 17,566,500" and substitute "$ 23,871,589".

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 414 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 416 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 416

Amend Senate Bill No. 416 as originally introduced:

Page 26, delete lines 14 through 22 and insert therefore:

"(01) REGULAR SALARIES	$ 695,000
(02) PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	208,500
(03) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	1,700,000
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	51,000
(C) PROF. FEES	1,000,000
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	1,000,000
(E) DATA PROC.	0
(04) CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS	7,000,000
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	$ 11,654,500"

AND

Delete Section 24

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent sections

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 416 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 418 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 418

Amend Senate Bill No. 418 as engrossed, S2/23/09:

Page 6, delete line 32 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(161)	Administrative Support Supv	2	GRADE C115
(162)	Assistant Registrar	5	GRADE C115"

AND

Page 7, delete line 10 in its entirety

AND

Page 8, line 5, delete "C108" and substitute "C107"

AND

Page 8, line 6, delete "C108" and substitute "C107"

AND

Appropriately renumber Item Numbers in Section 1.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 418 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 421 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 421

Amend Senate Bill No. 421 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 36 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(030)	Information Technology Manager	1	GRADE C120
(031)	Public Information Coordinator	1	GRADE C120"

AND

Page 3, delete line 2 in its entirety

AND

Page 3, delete lines 14 through 21 in their entirety and substitute the following:

"(044)	Student Accounts Officer	1	GRADE C115
(045)	Institutional Printer	1	GRADE C114
(046)	Financial Aid Specialist	3	GRADE C113
(047)	Human Resources Specialist	1	GRADE C113
(048)	Landscape Supervisor	1	GRADE C113
(049)	Multi-Media Specialist	1	GRADE C113
(050)	Records Management Analyst	1	GRADE C113
(051)	Student Recruitment Specialist	1	GRADE C113"

AND

Page 3, delete line 26 in its entirety

AND

Page 3, delete line 32 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(062)	Laboratory Technician	1	GRADE C110
(063)	Student Accounts Specialist	3	GRADE C110"

AND

page 4, line 30, delete "C111" and substitute "C109"

AND

Page 5, line 36, delete "Maintenance Specialist" and substitute "Maintenance Assistant"

AND

Page 7, line 2, delete "C106" and substitute "C103"

AND

Appropriately renumber the Item Numbers in Section 1.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 421 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 423 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 423

Amend Senate Bill No. 423 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete Line 23 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(017)	Assistant Registrar	1	GRADE C115
(018)	Computer Support Technician	1	GRADE C115"

AND

Page 2, delete line 28 in its entirety

AND

Appropriately renumber the Item Numbers in Section 1.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 423 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 424 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 424

Amend Senate Bill No. 424 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 29 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(23)	Skilled Trades Supervisor	1	GRADE C116
(24)	Assistant Registrar	1	GRADE C115"

AND

Page 2, delete line 35 in its entirety

AND

Appropriately renumber the Item Numbers in Section 1.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 424 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 438 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 438

Amend Senate Bill No. 438 as engrossed, S2/24/09:

Insert an additional SECTION immediately following SECTION 10 to read as follows:

" SECTION 11. APPROPRIATION - STRATEGIC PLAN IMPLEMENTATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Economic Development Commission, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, the following:

(A) For the allocation by the Executive Director of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission, for activities associated with the implementation of Governor Mike Beebe's Strategic Plan for Economic Development, the sum of.....$500,000."

And appropriately renumber the subsequent sections of the bill"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 438 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 567 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 567

Amend Senate Bill No. 567 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 33, delete "$ 308,000" and substitute "$ 40,000"

AND

Page 2, line 3, delete "$308,000" and substitute "$40,000"

(SIGNED) SENATOR LUKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 567 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 524 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 524
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1240 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 524 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 524 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 524, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 524 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1052
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GREENBERG AND LEA

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PREVENT RETALIATION AGAINST PUBLIC EMPLOYEES FOR REQUESTING RECORDS UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1052 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1177
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR BENEFITS RELATING TO THE HEALTH CARE OFFSET FOR MEMBERS OF THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1177 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1559

As Engrossed, H2/27/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES REEP *SHELBY, EVERETT, RAGLAND, OVERBEY, COOPER, ADCOCK, GEORGE, WELLS, ALLEN, GASKILL, HAWKINS, HOYT, REYNOLDS, HALL, WEBB, MAXWELL, PIERCE, ENGLISH, D. CREEKMORE, LOVELL & J. EDWARDS*

BY: SENATORS P. MALONE, STEELE, HORN, LAVERTY, CRUMBLY & BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE OPERATION OF MOBILE DENTAL FACILITIES UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1559 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1580

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS PERTAINING TO THE OIL AND GAS COMMISSION'S MEETINGS; THE DIRECTOR OF PRODUCTION AND CONSERVATION; HEARINGS; ASSESSMENTS; RULES, PERMITS, PLUGGING A DRY AND ABANDONED WELL; THE ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION OF ROYALTY MONEY; AND PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1580 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1832
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CARTER
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING DESIGN PROFESSIONAL CONTRACTS UNDER ARKANSAS BUILDING AUTHORITY GUIDELINES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1832 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 38, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1148, BY REPRESENTATIVE HALL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Bryles, House Bill No. 1148 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 393, BY SENATE ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 797, BY SENATE TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 824, BY SENATE WYATT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 449, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 413, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 414, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 416, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 418, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 413 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 414 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 416 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 418 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 421, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 423, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 424, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 438, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 567, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 421 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 423 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 424 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 438 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 567 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 10, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

Senate BILL NO. 328, BY JOINT BUDGET

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 328 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS 72201

March 10, 2009

The Honorable Bob Johnson
Senate President Pro Tempore
State Chambers, State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Senator Johnson:

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Constitution of Arkansas, I am submitting the following appointments to be confirmed.

I respectfully submit these appointments to your honorable body and request that they be
Confirmed.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
GOVERNOR

SENATOR JERRY TAYLOR
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Jack McNulty Jefferson County	January 14, 2013	Arkansas Economic Development Commission
Robert Dill Jefferson County	January 14, 2016	University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff Board of Trustees

March 10, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Jerry Taylor, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Jack McNulty Jefferson County	January 14, 2013	Arkansas Economic Development Commission
Robert Dill Jefferson County	January 14, 2016	University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff Board of Trustees

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

AC/as

Cc: The Honorable Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State
Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 155
SENATE BILL NO. 170
SENATE BILL NO. 191
SENATE BILL NO. 227
SENATE BILL NO. 239
SENATE BILL NO. 353
SENATE BILL NO. 396
SENATE BILL NO. 454
SENATE BILL NO. 524
SENATE BILL NO. 631
SENATE BILL NO. 681
SENATE BILL NO. 765
SENATE BILL NO. 767
SENATE BILL NO. 771
SENATE BILL NO. 782
SENATE BILL NO. 800
SENATE BILL NO. 826
SENATE BILL NO. 831

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1452
HOUSE BILL NO. 1453
HOUSE BILL NO. 1455

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1629 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1009

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1052
HOUSE BILL NO. 1177
HOUSE BILL NO. 1559
HOUSE BILL NO. 1580
HOUSE BILL NO. 1832

On motion of Senator Luker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Wednesday, March 11, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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SIXTIETH-DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

March 11, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

Senator Miller requested leave for Senator Laverty. Leave granted.

The Senate was led in prayer by Reverend Duaine Blackmore, Conway, Arkansas.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Luker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 253 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 253

Amend Senate Bill No. 253 as engrossed, S3/2/09:

Page 1, delete lines 10 through 14 and substitute the following:

"AN ACT TO REPEAL THE PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENTIAL PRIMARY; TO MOVE THE DATE OF THE PREFERENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION TO THE FIRST TUESDAY IN JUNE; TO MOVE THE DATE OF THE GENERAL PRIMARY ELECTION TO THE TUESDAY THREE WEEKS AFTER THE PREFERENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Page 7, delete lines 15 through 18 and substitute the following:

"(a) The ~~general~~ preferential primary election shall be held on the ~~second~~ first Tuesday in June preceding the general election.

(b) The ~~preferential~~ general primary election shall be held on the Tuesday three (3) weeks ~~prior to~~ after the ~~general~~ preferential primary election."

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 253 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 966 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 966

Amend Senate Bill No. 966 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 34 and 35

(SIGNED) SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 966 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 682 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 682

Amend Senate Bill No. 682 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 29 delete "grants" and substitute "operating expenses and personal services for outreach programs to promote awareness of scholarships and grants".

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRACY STEELE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 682 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 897 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 897

Amend Senate Bill No. 897 as originally introduced:

Page 3, line 3, delete "in the state" and substitute "on or off of a local public road in the state"

(SIGNED) SENATOR GLOVER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 897 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 825 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 825

Amend Senate Bill No. 825 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 10 and substitute the following:
"~~Department of Health and Human Services~~ the Department of Health and"

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. KEY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 825 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 867 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 867

Amend Senate Bill No. 867 as originally introduced:
Remove Senator D. Johnson as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 867 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 896 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 896

Amend Senate Bill No. 896 as originally introduced:

Delete everything following the enacting clause and substitute the following language:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-20-2305(a)(4), concerning the foundation aid calculation, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(C)(i) Data to verify the timely receipt of revenues applicable to the required ninety-eight percent (98%) of the uniform rate of tax multiplied by the property assessment of the school district shall be collected annually by the Department of Education in cooperation with the Assessment Coordination Department and shall be verified by the Division of Legislative Audit.

(ii) Data may be appropriately adjusted by the Department of Education if it is determined that irregular distributions by a county treasurer resulted in aberrations that distort orderly and regular revenue levels.

(iii) Evidence of irregular distributions shall be in the form required by the Department of Education and the Division of Legislative Audit."

(SIGNED) SENATOR DENNY ALTES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 896 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 253, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 867, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 253 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 867 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 682, BY SENATOR STEELE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 682 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 825, BY SENATOR J. KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 966, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 825 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 966 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 896, BY SENATOR ALTES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 896 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 897, BY SENATOR GLOVER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 897 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 229, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 309, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 11:15 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 229
SENATE BILL NO. 309

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 11th day of March, 2009 at 11:15 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J. D. Lowery
Secretary

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

March 10, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on March 10, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Concurrent Resolution 006

Senate Bill No. 110, - ACT 354,	Senate Bill No. 068, - ACT 376,
Senate Bill No. 120, - ACT 355,	Senate Bill No. 238, - ACT 377,
Senate Bill No. 256, - ACT 356,	Senate Bill No. 258, - ACT 378,
Senate Bill No. 307, - ACT 357,	Senate Bill No. 259, - ACT 379,
Senate Bill No. 343, - ACT 358,	Senate Bill No. 300, - ACT 380,
Senate Bill No. 346, - ACT 359,	Senate Bill No. 311, - ACT 381,
Senate Bill No. 364, - ACT 360,	Senate Bill No. 320, - ACT 382,
Senate Bill No. 401, - ACT 361,	Senate Bill No. 321, - ACT 383,
Senate Bill No. 432, - ACT 362,	Senate Bill No. 322, - ACT 384,
Senate Bill No. 444, - ACT 363,	Senate Bill No. 335, - ACT 385,
Senate Bill No. 056, - ACT 375,	Senate Bill No. 403, - ACT 386,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

March 11, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on March 11, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 305, - ACT 387,
Senate Bill No. 495, - ACT 388,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 7 was returned from the House as concurred in and ordered enrolled.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 468, BY SENATOR J. KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 778, BY SENATOR J. KEY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 882, BY SENATOR ALTES,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 34, BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass concur in House Amendments No. 1 & No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1496 , BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 15, BY SENATOR STEELE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 143, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 792, BY SENATOR B. PRITCHARD,
SENATE BILL NO. 1002, BY SENATOR STEELE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1403, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1463, BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1559, BY REPRESENTATIVE REEP,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1579, BY REPRESENTATIVE WEBB,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1587, BY REPRESENTATIVE TYLER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 12, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 843, BY SENATOR G. BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 847, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1557, BY REPRESENTATIVE REEP,

HOUSE BILL NO. 1589, BY REPRESENTATIVE ROEBUCK,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 73, BY SENATOR MADISON,

SENATE BILL NO. 333, BY SENATOR ALTES,

SENATE BILL NO. 442, BY SENATOR KEY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 875, BY SENATOR HORN,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1386, BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT,

HOUSE BILL NO. 1841, BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 198, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 438, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 19
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

SENATE RESOLUTION TO ENCOURAGE THE CONSIDERATION AND IMPLEMENTATION OF A FOUR-DAY WORK WEEK FOR STATE EMPLOYEES IF COMPATIBLE WITH THE MISSION OF A STATE AGENCY, BOARD, OR COMMISSION AND NO INTERRUPTION OF GOVERNMENT SERVICES WILL RESULT.

Senate Resolution No. 19 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 437 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 437

Amend Senate Bill No. 437 as engrossed, S3/5/09:

Page 3, line 17, delete "80" and substitute "100"

AND

Page 3, line 21, delete "70" and substitute "105"

AND

Page 3, line 27, delete "50" and substitute "70"

AND

Page 3, line 35, delete "40" and substitute "50"

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 437 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 449 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 449

Amend Senate Bill No. 449 as originally introduced:

Immediately following SECTION 4 of the bill, add additional sections to read as follows:

"SECTION 5. Arkansas Code § 26-36-209(b), concerning the return of the collections of delinquent personal property taxes by the county collector, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) The county collector shall pay over to the county treasurer on the first day of each month or within five (5) working days after the first day of each month all amounts collected for his or her county under this section.

(2) However, upon a certificate of distribution of the amounts collected under this section being prepared by the county clerk ~~or~~, county collector, or other county officer designated pursuant to § 26-28-102(a), which certificate shall be issued on or before the thirtieth day of each month, the county treasurer ~~will~~ shall transfer to the various funds the amount due each fund.

SECTION 6. Arkansas Code § 26-39-403 is amended to read as follows:

26-39-403. Approval or rejection.

(a) If the ~~settlements~~ tax settlement shall be found to be correct, the county court shall order the tax settlement spread in full upon the records of the county ~~courts~~ court.

(b)(1) The county ~~clerks~~ clerk or other county officer designated pursuant to § 26-28-102(a) shall certify to the Auditor of State, without delay, the action of the county ~~courts~~ court on the ~~settlements~~ tax settlement, whether approved or rejected.

(2) If rejected, the ~~clerks~~ county clerk or other county officer designated pursuant to § 26-28-102(a) shall ~~at once~~ immediately proceed to restate the tax settlement and again submit it to the county ~~courts~~ court.

SECTION 7. Arkansas Code § 26-39-404 is amended to read as follows:

26-39-404. Settlement with state and subdivisions.

After the tax settlement made with the county collector by the county clerk or other county officer designated pursuant to § 26-28-102(a) has been examined and acted upon by the county court, as provided in § 26-39-402, the county collector shall make settlement with the county and its various subdivisions on or before December 30 of each year."

(SIGNED) SENATOR D. JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 449 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 1466 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1466

Amend House Bill No. 1466 as originally introduced:

Add Senator Wyatt as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Delete SECTION 1 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 14-54-902 is amended to read as follows:

14-54-902. Notice to unknown or nonresident owners.

(a)(1) In case the owner of any lot or other real property is unknown or his or her whereabouts is not known or he or she is a nonresident of this state, then a copy of the written notice ~~referred to in~~ under § 14-54-903 shall be posted upon the premises.

(2) Before any action to enforce the lien ~~shall be had~~, the municipal recorder ~~of the town~~ or the city clerk shall make an affidavit setting out the facts as to unknown address or whereabouts of nonresidents.

(b)(1) Thereupon, service of the publication~~,~~ as provided for by law against nonresident defendants~~,~~ may be had.

(2) An attorney ad litem shall be appointed to notify the defendant by ~~registered~~ certified letter addressed to his or her last known place of residence if it can be found.

(c) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, notices required by this subchapter shall be published, mailed, or delivered by the municipal recorder or the city clerk or ~~such~~ other person as designated by the governing body of the municipality.

(d) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, after a notice has been issued for a specific violation of an order under § 14-54-901 directing an owner to eliminate a condition on the owner's property, an additional notice for a subsequent violation of that specific violation within the same calendar year shall not be required before the issuance of a citation."

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID WYATT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1466 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, House Bill No. 1111 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1111

Amend House Bill No. 1111 as engrossed, H2/19/09:

Page 2, delete line 20-21 and substitute:

"~~(E)~~(3) "Bingo face" means a disposable flat piece of paper that may be used one (1) time and that cannot be";

AND

Page 5, delete lines 23-35;

AND

Page 8, delete lines 28-36;

AND

Page 9, delete lines 1-36;

AND

Page 10, delete lines 1-14 and substitute:

"SECTION 11. Arkansas Code §§ 23-114-601 through 23-114-604 are amended to read as follows:

23-114-601. Tax levied.

(a)~~(1)~~ There is levied an excise tax of ~~one cent (1¢)~~ three tenths of one cent (.003¢) upon the sale of each bingo face sold by a licensed distributor to a licensed authorized organization in this state.

~~(2) There is levied an excise tax of ten percent (10%) of the gross receipts derived from the sale of all bingo equipment other than bingo faces by a licensed distributor to a licensed authorized organization in this state.~~

(b) Items taxed under subsection (a) of this section shall be exempt from the Arkansas Gross Receipts Act of 1941, § 26-52-101 et seq., and the Arkansas Compensating Tax Act of 1949, § 26-53-101 et seq.

23-114-602. Payment and reporting of tax.

(a) The excise tax levied under this subchapter is due and payable by distributors that sold bingo faces ~~and other bingo equipment~~ to licensed authorized organizations in this state. The tax shall be reported and paid to the Department of Finance and Administration monthly on or before the fifteenth day of the month following the month of sale.

(b) The report shall be filed under oath on forms prescribed by the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration.

(c) The director shall adopt any rules necessary for the proper reporting and payment of the tax.

23-114-603. Information to be reported.

(a) The excise tax report required under § 23-114-602 shall include the following information:

(1) The total number of bingo faces ~~and the gross receipts derived from the sale of other bingo equipment~~ sold to all licensed authorized organizations in this state; and

(2) Any other information that the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration determines is necessary to properly administer the excise tax levied by this subchapter.

(b) A taxpayer shall maintain records to substantiate the contents of each report.

~~23-114-604. Record of prize winners.~~

~~The Director of the Department of Finance and Administration may require a licensed authorized organization to maintain records relating to prizes awarded at a raffle or bingo session.~~;

AND

Page 11, line 8, delete "~~repealed~~" and substitute "reduced";

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1111 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1705 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1705

Amend House Bill No. 1705 as originally introduced:
Page 2, line 13 delete "shall" and substitute "may"

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1705 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wilkinson, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Resolution No. 16 at this time.

On motion of Senator Wilkinson, Senate Resolution No. 16 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 16
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS WILKINSON, BOOKOUT & B. JOHNSON

SENATE RESOLUTION COMMENDING SENATOR STEVE FARIS FOR HIS

TENURE AS NATIONAL CHAIRMAN OF THE AMERICAN LEGISLATIVE EXCHANGE COUNCIL.

Senate Resolution No. 16 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 551 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 551 was withdrawn by the author, Senator G. Jeffress.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 879 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 879 was withdrawn by the author, Senator G. Jeffress.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Bill No. 701 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 701
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SEPARATE THE OFFICES OF SHERIFF AND TAX COLLECTOR IN MONROE COUNTY; TO CONSOLIDATE THE OFFICES OF TAX COLLECTOR AND COUNTY TREASURER IN MONROE COUNTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 701 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 701 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 467 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 467
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ACT 1366 OF 2003, CONCERNING HOMELAND SECURITY AND THREAT ASSESSMENT PLANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 467 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 467, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 467 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Malone, Senate Bill No. 815 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 815
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CONTINUE THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE ON ABUSED AND NEGLECTED CHILDREN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 815 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 815 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 773 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 773
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT THE COUNTY JUDGE MAY INSTITUTE CIVIL ACTIONS ON BEHALF OF THE COUNTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 773 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 773 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 38 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 38

As Engrossed: S2/12/09 S2/23/09 S3/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MINIMUM AGE FOR OPERATION OF A PERSONAL WATERCRAFT; TO APPLY THE ALCOHOL AND DRUG TESTING REQUIREMENTS USED FOR MOTOR VEHICLES TO OPERATION OF BOATS AND PERSONAL WATERCRAFT; TO REQUIRE PARENTAL CONSENT FOR RECEIPT OF A BOATER EDUCATION CERTIFICATE; TO AMEND THE EXAMINATION REQUIREMENTS FOR A BOATER EDUCATION CERTIFICATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 38 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: Altes.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 38 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 824 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 824
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION COSTS FOR COUNTY LIBRARIES INCLUDE RENTAL COSTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 824 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 824 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 797 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 797
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW ONE MEMBER OF A MUNICIPAL AIRPORT COMMISSION TO HAVE FINANCIAL DEALINGS OR INTERESTS IN AN AERONAUTICAL ENTERPRISE WHILE HE OR SHE IS A MEMBER OF THE COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 797 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: Altes.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 797 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 393 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 393

As Engrossed: S3/4/09 S3/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS TO MAIL CITATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 393 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 393 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Bill No. 1457 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1457
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SELECTION OF MEMBERS OF PUBLIC FACILITIES BOARDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1457 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1457 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Key, House Bill No. 1435 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1435
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PYLE, T. BAKER & OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE FILLING OF VACANCIES IN CERTAIN MUNICIPAL OFFICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1435 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1435 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Key, House Bill No. 1492 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1492
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND COUNTY SALE, LEASE, AND PROCUREMENT PROCEDURES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1492 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1492 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1462 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1462

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS

BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT, § 4-26-101 ET SEQ., THE ARKANSAS BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT, § 4-27-101 ET SEQ., THE SMALL BUSINESS ENTITY TAX PASS THROUGH ACT, § 4-32-101 ET SEQ., AND § 4-46-101 ET SEQ. ENACTING THE UNIFORM PARTNERSHIP ACT (1996) TO ALLOW ANY BUSINESS ENTITY TO CONVERT TO OR MERGE WITH ANY OTHER BUSINESS ENTITY; TO MAKE RELATED TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1462 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1462 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1717 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1717
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. EDWARDS, INGRAM & SLINKARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING CONFLICTING ANNEXATION ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1717 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1717 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1622 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1622

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY, WILLS, T. BAKER, CARROLL, CASH, DAVIS, GASKILL, HAWKINS, HYDE, INGRAM, KIDD, NIX, PATTERSON, POWERS, J. ROEBUCK, TYLER, WAGNER, WELLS & B. WILKINS

BY: SENATORS G. BAKER, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, LUKER, SALMON, TEAGUE, R. THOMPSON & D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 18-15-301 AND TO MODIFY THE PROCEDURES CONCERNING A CERTIFICATE OF CONVENIENCE AND NECESSITY FOR MUNICIPALLY OWNED ELECTRIC UTILITIES FROM THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1622 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: Altes.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1622 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 1600 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1600

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE T. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND WHOM MAY SERVE AS TRUSTEE UNDER THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT JOINT INVESTMENT TRUST ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1600 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1600 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Bill No. 1387 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1387
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT PROVIDING FOR THE JOINDER OF THIS STATE IN THE INTERSTATE PEST CONTROL COMPACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1387 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1387 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 415 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 415

Amend Senate Bill No. 415 as originally introduced:

Page 4, line 21, delete in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(083)	Software Support Specialist	4	GRADE C116
(084)	Asst Registrar	2	GRADE C115"

Page 4, line 29, delete "C115" and substitute "C114"

AND

Page 4, line 30, delete "C115" and substitute "C114"

AND

Page 4, line 31, delete "C115" and substitute "C113"

AND

Page 4, delete line 32 in its entirety

AND

Appropriately renumber the Item Numbers in Section 1.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 415 was ordered engrossed.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1327

As Engrossed: H2/17/09 H2/23/09 H3/9/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ALLEN, WILLIAMS, HARDY, R. GREEN, T. BAKER, W. LEWELLEN, WORD, EVERETT, PENNARTZ & BLOUNT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO PROTECT CONSUMERS OF MOTOR VEHICLES FROM EXPOSURE TO TOXIC CHEMICALS; TO AUTHORIZE PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS TO DESTROY OR SELL FOR SCRAP METAL A MOTOR VEHICLE IN WHICH METHAMPHETAMINE HAS BEEN MANUFACTURED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1327 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1634

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE STEWART

BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE USE OF AN ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLE BY A PERSON WITH A SERIOUS WALKING HANDICAP; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1634 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1901
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SLINKARD, CARTER, HARRELSON & HOBBS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO STOP CHILD SUPPORT PAYMENT REQUIREMENTS FOR PERSONS WHO HAVE HAD THEIR PARENTAL RIGHTS TERMINATED BY THE MINOR CHILD'S ADOPTION BY ANOTHER PERSON; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1901 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1917
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HAWKINS AND HARDY
BY: SENATORS H. WILKINS, ALTES, G. BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, HORN, B. JOHNSON, P. MALONE, T. SMITH & TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT UNFAIR METHODS OF COMPETITION AND UNFAIR OR DECEPTIVE TRADE PRACTICES BY SELLERS OF PREPAID FUNERAL BENEFITS CONTRACTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1917 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1932
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, BLOUNT, BREEDLOVE, CASH, CLEMMER, COOK, DUNN, GREENBERG, LOVELL, MALOCH, MOORE, PENNARTZ, NIX, PIERCE, POWERS & STEWART
BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS & MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SYSTEM OF EDUCATION WITHIN THE DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1932 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1934
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HYDE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 5-60-201 TO PROHIBIT THE SALE OR DISTRIBUTION OF HUMAN OR SYNTHETIC URINE USED TO DEFRAUD A DRUG OR ALCOHOL SCREENING TEST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1934 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1967
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WAGNER, REEP & SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE AN INTERIM STUDY OF WAYS TO ENCOURAGE PHYSICIANS TO PRACTICE MEDICINE IN RURAL AREAS OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1967 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1983
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE NUMBER OF HEALTH CARE WORKERS FROM GROUPS THAT ARE UNDERREPRESENTED INCLUDING NATIVE AMERICANS, AFRICAN-AMERICANS, ALASKAN NATIVES, PACIFIC AMERICANS, HISPANIC AMERICANS, NATIVE HAWAIIANS, AND PACIFIC ISLANDERS IN HEALTH PROFESSION FIELDS IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1983 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1706
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PIERCE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE EXISTING PROCEDURES FOR CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BY LETHAL INJECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1706 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1711
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES TYLER, NIX, WILLIAMS, B. WILKINS, D. CREEKMORE, T. BRADFORD, PENNARTZ, LEA, RICE & DALE
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE PERSONS WHO REPEATEDLY VIOLATE ORDERS OF PROTECTION TO PAY FOR AND WEAR GLOBAL POSITIONING DEVICES AT ALL TIMES SO AS TO PROTECT THE VICTIM AND ENABLE LAW ENFORCEMENT TO EASILY LOCATE THE OFFENDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1711 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1744
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE KILLING OR INJURING ANIMALS USED BY LAW ENFORCEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1744 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1800
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE PAYMENT OF COURT FINES AND COSTS WITH A CREDIT CARD THROUGH A THIRD-PARTY ENTITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1800 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1833
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE POWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE FOURTH DEGREE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1833 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1848
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE NICKELS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ENHANCED PENALTIES FOR OFFENSES COMMITTED IN THE PRESENCE OF A CHILD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1848 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2017
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HYDE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW MONEYS DEPOSITED INTO THE DISTRICT COURT AUTOMATION FUND TO BE USED FOR TECHNOLOGY RELATED TO LAW ENFORCEMENT MANAGEMENT AND OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2017 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2025
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADD AGGRAVATED RESIDENTIAL BURGLARY TO THE LIST OF SERIOUS FELONIES INVOLVING VIOLENCE IN THE HABITUAL OFFENDER STATUTE AND AS AN UNDERLYING FELONY IN THE CAPITAL MURDER STATUTE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2025 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1090
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE CONTRACTORS LICENSING BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1090 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1130
As Engrossed: H1/28/09 H2/17/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL OR THE JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE TO RECEIVE A MONTHLY REPORT FOR COMMODITIES CONTRACTS *INCLUDING SERVICES* THAT HAVE A *PROJECTED TOTAL COST OF TWO HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS ($250,000) OR MORE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1130 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1630
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR MISCELLANEOUS FEDERAL PROGRAM FUNDS AND PROVIDING STATE AGENCIES WITH APPROPRIATIONS FOR CASH FUNDS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1290 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1630 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 113 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 217 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 226 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 252 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 284 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 354 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 381 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 451 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 524 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 543 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

March 11, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on March 11, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 359, - ACT 391,
Senate Bill No. 445, - ACT 392,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 437, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 449, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1466, BY REPRESENTATIVE T. BAKER ET AL,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1705, BY REPRESENTATIVE REEP,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1111, BY REPRESENTATIVE PENNARTZ ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 415, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 415 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 447, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 804, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 825, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 866, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 966, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 776, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1326, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1594, BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1668, BY REPRESENTATIVE WELLS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1716, BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 11, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1010,

BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 38
SENATE BILL NO. 393
SENATE BILL NO. 467
SENATE BILL NO. 701
SENATE BILL NO. 773
SENATE BILL NO. 797
SENATE BILL NO. 815
SENATE BILL NO. 824

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1387

HOUSE BILL NO. 1435

HOUSE BILL NO. 1457

HOUSE BILL NO. 1462

HOUSE BILL NO. 1492

HOUSE BILL NO. 1600

HOUSE BILL NO. 1622

HOUSE BILL NO. 1717

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE

AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 113

SENATE BILL NO. 217

SENATE BILL NO. 226

SENATE BILL NO. 252

SENATE BILL NO. 284

SENATE BILL NO. 354

SENATE BILL NO. 381

SENATE BILL NO. 451

SENATE BILL NO. 524

SENATE BILL NO. 543

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE

AS CONCURRED IN ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1090

HOUSE BILL NO. 1130

HOUSE BILL NO. 1327

HOUSE BILL NO. 1630

HOUSE BILL NO. 1634

HOUSE BILL NO. 1706

HOUSE BILL NO. 1711

HOUSE BILL NO. 1744

HOUSE BILL NO. 1800

HOUSE BILL NO. 1833

HOUSE BILL NO. 1848

HOUSE BILL NO. 1901

HOUSE BILL NO. 1917

HOUSE BILL NO. 1932

HOUSE BILL NO. 1934

HOUSE BILL NO. 1967

HOUSE BILL NO. 1983

HOUSE BILL NO. 2017

HOUSE BILL NO. 2025

On motion of Senator Smith, the Senate adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Thursday, March 12, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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SIXTY-FIRST DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

March 12, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 11:00 o'clock a.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Wilkins.

Senator Miller requested leave for Senator Laverty.

Leave granted.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Luker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, Senate Bill No. 304 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 304

Amend Senate Bill No. 304 as engrossed, S2/23/09:

Page 2, line 4, delete “research-based information” and substitute “information that is based on evidence from the program”

AND

Page 2, line 27, delete "using" and substitute "in the 2010-2011 school year using:"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 8 through 11, and substitute the following:

"(j)(1) A participating school shall not advance to grade (4) a student who entered kindergarten in the 2010-2011 school year and does not score at the proficient level or above on the state-mandated grade three (3) benchmark assessment if:

(A) The department has developed multiple administrations of the grade three (3) state-mandated benchmark assessment; and

(B) The student does not score proficient or above on the grade (3) state-mandated benchmark assessment after taking a subsequent administration of the assessment.

(2) If the department has not developed multiple administrations of the grade three (3) state-mandated benchmark assessment, the parent may elect to authorize the participating school to:

(A) Retain the student in grade (3); or

(B) Advance the student to grade (4) if the student scored below proficient on the grade three (3) benchmark assessment but passed grade three (3).

(3) A student who is subject to this subdivision (j), whether or not the student is advanced to grade four (4), shall remain in the intensive learning program through grade six (6)."

AND

Page 4, line 12, delete "(2)" and substitute "(4)"

AND

Page 4, line 16, delete "(3)" and substitute "(5)"

AND
Page 4, delete line 20 and substitute the following:
"(k)(1) Upon a student entering kindergarten in the 2010-2011 school year, a participating school district shall provide to the parent of the student an outline that includes:
(A)(i) That a student who does not test proficient at grade level may not be advanced to grade four (4) under the provisions of subsection (j) of this section.
(ii) The outline shall advise the parent of the options for retaining or advancing the student;
(B)(i) That a student who is subject to the provisions of subsection (j) of this section will be placed in the intensive learning program where the student will be tested annually and shall remain in the intensive learning program through grade six (6).
(ii) The outline shall describe the intervention strategies and services the participating school will use in the intensive learning program; and
(C) That a student identified as not testing proficient at grade level shall attend:
(i) The twenty-four week tutoring sessions under subdivision (g)(1)(C)(iii) of this section; and
(ii) The six-week summer institute under subdivision (g)(1)(C)(iv).
(l)(1) The department shall use the state's student longitudinal data"

AND

Page 4, Line 26, delete "(l)" and substitute "(m)"

AND

Page 4, line 29, delete "(m)(1)" and substitute "(n)(1)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JACK CRUMBLY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 304 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 877 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 877

Amend Senate Bill No. 877 as originally introduced:

Delete all the language after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 60, Subchapter 2 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

6-60-214. Release of a student record.

(a)(1) A student attending a state-supported institution of higher education shall sign a release form allowing the state-supported institution of higher education to release copies of the student's grade reports sent to his or her parent or guardian if the student used the income information of his or her parent or guardian for the Free Application for Federal Student Aid.

(2) The student release form shall be:

(A) Signed before the distribution of any financial aid; and

(B) Kept on file with the state-supported institution of higher education he or she is attending.

(3) A student who used the income information of his or her parent or guardian for the Free Application for Federal Student Aid may opt out of signing the release form if the student can provide evidence, as determined by the Department of Higher Education, that his or her parent or guardian does not contribute financially to the student's educational expenses while the student is attending the state-supported institution of higher education.

(b) The department shall prepare the release form to be used at all state-supported institutions of higher education."

(SIGNED) SENATOR D. WYATT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 877 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 as engrossed, S2/12/09:

Add Senators Altes, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Horn, G. Jeffress, Key, T. Smith, Taylor, Teague, Thompson, Trusty, and Wyatt

AND

Add Representatives Woods, Wells, Barnett, Betts, Breedlove, Carnine, D. Cook, Creekmore, Edwards, English, Everett, Garner, George, R. Green, C. Hall, Kerr, Lea, M. Martin, Pyle, Sample, Summers, Tyler, and Williams as cosponsors of the resolution

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 192 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 192

Amend Senate Bill No. 192 as engrossed, S3/4/09:
Page 4, line 18, delete "four (4)" and substitute "six (6)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 192 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 72 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 72

Amend Senate Bill No. 72 as originally introduced:
Page 16, delete line 24 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 7. The Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System shall promulgate by rule the provisions repealed by Acts 2007, No. 177, § 1, that are subject to the savings provision under § 24-4-750(c)(2).

SECTION 8. The enactment and adoption of this act shall not repeal,"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 72 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 780 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 780

Amend Senate Bill No. 780 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 30, delete "(a)(1)" and substitute "(a)"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 32 through 36

AND

Page 2, line 1, delete "official" and substitute "servant"

AND

Page 2, delete line 13 and substitute the following:

"municipality, county, school district, institution of higher education, improvement district, or any political"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 23 through 27 and substitute the following:

"25-16-1103. Forfeiture of office.
(a) Except as provided in subsection (b) of this section, a public servant holding any office, position, or employment in a governmental body shall forfeit the office, position, or employment if he or she pleads guilty or nolo contendere to or is found guilty of a felony offense relating to the public servant's office, position, or employment.
(b) This section shall not apply to a member of the General Assembly subject to removal from office under Article 5 of the Arkansas Constitution."

AND

Page 3, delete line 4 and substitute the following:

"(2) If the issue of forfeiture is raised, following sentencing a circuit court shall"

AND

Page 3, delete line 24 and substitute the following:

"servant for an offense other than a felony.

25-16-1107. Effect of expungement.
An expunged record shall not serve as the basis for forfeiture of office or disqualification from office under this subchapter."

(SIGNED) SENATOR PRITCHARD

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 780 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12

Amend Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12 as originally introduced:

Add the following Senators as cosponsors of the bill: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, J. Jeffress, G. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt

AND

Add the following Representatives as cosponsors of the bill: Betts, M. Burris, Cash, L. Cowling, Davenport, Dunn, George, Ingram, Kidd, Lovell, Patterson, Pennartz, Pierce, Ragland, Reynolds, Webb, B. Wilkins

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE BRYLES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 26 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendments Nos. 1 and 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 26

Amend Senate Bill No. 26 as originally introduced:

Add as a cosponsor of the bill:
Senators: Salmon, Broadway, Trusty, Bookout, B. Johnson, Steele, G. Baker, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, J. Jeffress, G. Jeffress, Laverty, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, J. Taylor, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt

Representatives: Wills, J. Roebuck, M. Burris, Abernathy, Reep, Maloch, Allen, T. Baker, Barnett, Blount, J. Brown, Carnine, Carroll, Cash, Cheatham, Cook, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dunn, J. Edwards, English, Everett, Gaskill, George, R. Green, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, House, Hoyt, Hyde, Kidd, W. Lewellen, Lindsey, Lovell, Lowery, Maxwell, McCrary, Moore, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Ragland, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Wagner, Webb, Wells, B. Wilkins, Williams, Woods, Word

AND

Page 1, delete lines 9-11 and substitute the following:

"AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS SCHOLARSHIP LOTTERY ACT; TO ESTABLISH, OPERATE, AND REGULATE STATE LOTTERIES AS AUTHORIZED BY THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION; TO SUPPLEMENT HIGHER EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIPS WITH NET PROCEEDS FROM THE STATE LOTTERY; TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXCHANGE OF DATA NEEDED TO EVALUATE STATE-SUPPORTED STUDENT FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"THE ARKANSAS SCHOLARSHIP LOTTERY ACT."

AND

Delete Section 1 of the bill in its entirety and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 23 is amended to add an additional chapter to read as follows:

CHAPTER 115
ARKANSAS SCHOLARSHIP LOTTERY ACT

SUBCHAPTER 1
GENERAL PROVISIONS

23-115-101. Short title.

This chapter shall be known and may be cited as the "Arkansas Scholarship Lottery Act".

23-115-102. Legislative intent.

It is found and declared by the General Assembly that:

(1) Net proceeds of lotteries conducted under this chapter shall be used to:

(A) Fund and provide for scholarships and grants to citizens of the State of Arkansas enrolled in public and private nonprofit two-year and four-year colleges and universities located within the state; and

(B) Supplement, not supplant, nonlottery educational resources;

(2) Lotteries shall be operated and managed in a manner that:

(A) Provides continuing entertainment to the public;

(B) Maximizes revenues; and

(C) Ensures that the lotteries are operated with integrity, dignity, adequate internal controls, and free of political influence; and

(3) The Arkansas Lottery Commission shall be accountable to the General Assembly and to the public through a system of audits and reports.

23-115-103. Definitions.

As used in this chapter:

(1) “Adjudication” means agency process for the formulation of an order;

(2) "Administrative expenses" means operating expenses, excluding amounts set aside for prizes, regardless of whether the prizes are claimed and excluding amounts held as a fidelity fund under § 23-115-603;

(3)(A) “Casino gambling” means a location or business for the purposes of conducting illegal gambling activities, including without limitation activities under § 5-66-101 et seq. that are not authorized under this chapter.

(B) “Casino gambling” does not include the sale and purchase of tickets or shares;

(4) “Female-owned business” means a business:

(A) Which is at least fifty-one percent (51%) owned and controlled by one (1) or more females; and

(B) Whose management and daily business operations are under the control of one (1) or more females;

(5) “Gift” means any payment, entertainment, advance, services, or anything of value, unless consideration of equal or greater value has been given therefore;

(6) “Immediate family” means the father, mother, sister, brother, husband, wife, child, grandmother, grandfather, grandchild, father-in-law, mother-in-law, sister-in-law, brother-in-law, stepchild, grandmother-in-law, grandfather-in-law, stepgrandchild, or any individual acting as parent or guardian;

(7) “Incompetency” means:

(A) Gross ignorance of official duties;

(B) Gross carelessness in the discharge of official duties; or

(C) Inability or unfitness to discharge promptly and properly official duties because of a serious physical or mental defect that did not exist at the time of the person’s appointment;

(8) "License" means authorization granted by the commission to an individual to operate as a retailer, including without limitation the execution of a contract between the commission and the individual relating to obligations and terms for operating as a retailer;

(9) "Lobbying" means communicating directly or soliciting others to communicate with any member of the Arkansas Lottery Commission, the Director of the Arkansas Lottery Commission, any employee of the Arkansas Lottery Commission, or a member of the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee with the purpose of influencing the actions of the Arkansas Lottery Commission or the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee;

(10) "Local government" means:

(A) A county;

(B) A city of the first class or a city of the second class;

(C) An incorporated town; or

(D) Any other district or political subdivision or any board, commission, or agency of these political subdivisions;

(11)(A) "Lottery" means a game of chance approved by the Arkansas Lottery Commission and operated under this chapter.

(B) "Lottery" includes without limitation:

(i) An instant ticket;

(ii) A draw game; and

(iii) Participation in a multistate or multisovereign game.

(C) "Lottery" does not include:

(i) Casino gambling;

(ii) A video lottery;

(iii) Pari-mutuel wagering on horse racing or greyhound racing governed by the Arkansas Horse Racing Law, § 23-110-101 et seq., or the Arkansas Greyhound Racing Law, § 23-111-101 et seq., whether pari-mutuel wagering on live racing, simulcast racing, or races conducted in the past and rebroadcast by electronic means;

(iv) Wagering on electronic games of skill under the Local Option Horse Racing and Greyhound Racing Electronic Games of Skill Act, 23-113-101 et seq.; or

(v) Conducting or participating in charitable bingo and raffles under the Charitable Bingo and Raffles Enabling Act, 23-114-101 et seq.;

(12) "Lottery proceeds" means all revenue derived from the sale of tickets or shares and all other moneys derived from a lottery, including without limitation fees collected by the commission under this chapter;

(13)(A) "Major procurement contract" means a gaming product or service costing more than seventy-five thousand dollars ($75,000), including without limitation:

(i) A major advertising contract;

(ii) An annuity contract;

(iii) A prize payment agreement;

(iv) A consulting service;

(v) Equipment;

(vi) Tickets; and

(vii) Any other product and service unique to lotteries.

(B) "Major procurement contract" does not include a material, supply, equipment, or service common to the ordinary operations of the Arkansas Lottery Commission;

(14) "Member of a minority" means an individual who is a member of a race that comprises less than fifty percent (50%) of the total population of the state;

(15) "Minority business" means a business that is owned by:

(A) An individual who is a member of a minority who reports as his or her personal income for Arkansas income tax purposes the income of the business;

(B) A partnership in which a majority of the ownership interest is owned by one (1) or more members of a minority who report as their personal income for Arkansas income tax purposes more than fifty percent (50%) of the income of the partnership; or

(C) A corporation organized under the laws of this state in which a majority of the common stock is owned by one (1) or more members of a minority who report as their personal income for Arkansas income tax purposes more than fifty percent (50%) of the distributed earnings of the corporation;

(16) "Net proceeds" means lottery proceeds less operating expenses;

(17) “Nonlottery state educational resources” means the same as defined in § 6-85-204;

(18) “Order” means the final disposition of the Arkansas Lottery Commission in any matter other than rule making, including without limitation licensing, in which the Arkansas Lottery Commission is required by law to make its determination after notice and hearing;

(19) "Operating expenses" means all costs of doing business, including without limitation:

(A) Prizes, commissions, and other compensation paid to retailers;

(B) Contracts for products or services necessary for the operation of the lottery, including without limitation the execution of major procurement contracts;

(C) Advertising and marketing costs;

(D) Personnel costs;

(E) Capital costs or depreciation of property and equipment;

(F) Funds for compulsive gambling education and treatment;

(G) The payment of sums to the Arkansas State Claims Commission for the reconciliation of valid claims against the Arkansas Lottery Commission;

(H) Payments for the cost of a state and federal criminal background check;

(I) Payments to the Department of Higher Education to:

(i) Reimburse the Department of Higher Education for the costs of administering scholarship awards funded with net proceeds; and

(ii) Replenish nonlottery state educational resources expended by the Department of Higher Education on scholarship awards otherwise funded with net proceeds;

(J) Amounts annually transferred to a fidelity fund under § 23-115-603; and

(K) Amounts paid to governmental entities for goods or services provided to the Arkansas Lottery Commission, including without limitation services provided by the Division of Legislative Audit;

(20) "Person" means any individual, corporation, partnership, unincorporated association, or other legal entity;

(21)(A) “Public official” means a member of the General Assembly or an elected constitutional officer.

(B) “Public official” includes an individual during the time between the date he or she is elected and the date he or she takes office;

(22) "Retailer" means a person who sells tickets or shares on behalf of the Arkansas Lottery Commission under a license;

(23) "Share" means any intangible evidence of participation in a lottery;

(24) "Ticket" means any tangible evidence issued by a lottery to provide participation in a lottery;

(25)(A) "Vendor" means a person who provides or proposes to provide goods or services to the Arkansas Lottery Commission under a major procurement contract.

(B) "Vendor" does not include:

(i) An employee of the Arkansas Lottery Commission;

(ii) A retailer; or

(iii) A state agency or instrumentality.

(C) "Vendor" includes a corporation whose stock is publicly traded and that is the parent company of the contracting party in a major procurement contract; and

(26) "Video lottery" means a lottery game that allows a game to be played using an electronic computer and an interactive computer terminal device:

(A) That is equipped with a video screen and keys and a keyboard or other equipment allowing input by an individual player;

(B) Into which the player inserts coins, currency, vouchers, or tokens as consideration in order for play to be available; and

(C) Through which the player may receive free games, coins, tokens, or credits that may be redeemed for cash, annuitized payments over time, a noncash prize, or nothing, as may be determined wholly or predominantly by chance.

SUBCHAPTER 2
ARKANSAS LOTTERY COMMISSION

23-115-201. Arkansas Lottery Commission – Creation – Venue.

(a) There is created the Arkansas Lottery Commission to establish and oversee the operation of one (1) or more lotteries under this chapter.

(b) The commission is a self-supporting and revenue-raising agency of the state.

(c) The commission shall reimburse other governmental entities that provide goods or services to the commission.

23-115-202. Members – Duties.

(a)(1) The Arkansas Lottery Commission consists of nine (9) members as follows:

(A) Three (3) members appointed by the Governor;

(B) Three (3) members appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives; and

(C) Three (3) members appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate.

(2) The members of the commission shall elect annually:

(A) A chair; and

(B) Other officers necessary to carry on its business.

(b)(1) Of the initial appointees to the commission by the Governor:

(A) One (1) member shall serve a term of two (2) years;

(B) One (1) member shall serve a term of four (4) years; and

(C) One (1) member shall serve a term of six (6) years.

(2) Of the initial appointees to the commission by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate:

(A) One (1) member shall serve a term of two (2) years;

(B) One (1) member shall serve a term of four (4) years; and

(C) One (1) member shall serve a term of six (6) years.

(3) Of the initial appointees to the commission by the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

(A) One (1) member shall serve a term of two (2) years;
(B) One (1) member shall serve a term of four (4) years; and
(C) One (1) member shall serve a term of six (6) years.
(4) All succeeding appointments to the commission shall be for terms of six (6) years.
(5) The appointing authorities shall determine the length of terms of the initial members of the commission.
(6) A member of the commission shall not serve more than two (2) terms.
(c) A vacancy on the commission shall be filled by the appointing authority for the unexpired portion of the term in which it occurs.
(d)(1) The commission shall meet as necessary upon the call of the chair.
(2) A majority of the total membership of the commission constitutes a quorum.
(e) The following shall not be appointed as a member of the commission:
(1) A member of the General Assembly; or
(2) A member of the immediate family of a member of the General Assembly.
(f) Members of the commission may receive expense reimbursement under § 25-16-901 et seq.

23-115-203. Qualifications of commission members.
(a)(1) In making appointments to the Arkansas Lottery Commission, the appointing authorities under § 23-115-202 shall consider racial, gender, and geographical diversity among the membership as well as legal, financial, or marketing experience.
(2) Individuals appointed to the commission shall be residents of the State of Arkansas.
(b)(1) An individual considered for appointment to the commission shall apply to the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police for a state and federal criminal background check, to be conducted by the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police and the Federal Bureau of Investigation.
(2) The state and federal criminal background check shall conform to the applicable federal standards and shall include the taking of fingerprints.
(3) The applicant shall sign a release of information.
(4) The commission shall be responsible for the payment of any fee associated with the state and federal criminal background check.
(5) Upon completion of the state and federal criminal background check, the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police shall forward to the appointing authority all releasable information obtained concerning the applicant.
(c) An individual shall not be appointed as a commission member if the individual has:
(1) Been convicted of a felony or a gambling offense in a state or federal court of the United States;
(2) Been convicted of a crime involving moral turpitude; or
(3) Entered into a plea agreement to avoid felony prosecution.
(d) Each member of the commission, before entering upon the discharge of the duties of a commissioner, shall file with the Secretary of State the constitutional oath of office.
(e) Upon the end of his or her term, a former member of the commission shall not:
(1) Represent a vendor or retailer before the commission for a period of two (2) years; or
(2) Engage in lobbying on any matter related to the operation or conduct of lotteries under this chapter for a period of two (2) years.

23-115-204. Lottery Retailer Advisory Board.

(a)(1) The Chair of the Arkansas Lottery Commission, subject to the approval of a majority of a quorum of the commission, shall appoint a Lottery Retailer Advisory Board to be composed of ten (10) retailers.

(2) In making appointments to the commission, the Chair may consider a broad spectrum of geographical, racial, gender, and business characteristics of retailers.

(3) The board shall advise the commission on retail aspects of lotteries and present the concerns of retailers throughout the state.

(b)(1) Except as provided in subdivision (b)(2) of this section, each member appointed to the board shall serve a term of two (2) years.

(2)(A) Five (5) of the initial appointees shall serve initial terms of one (1) year.

(B) The initial appointees shall draw lots to determine which five (5) members shall serve a one-year term.

(3) No member of the board shall serve more than six (6) terms.

(c)(1) The board shall provide by rule for its operating procedures.

(2) Members shall serve without compensation or reimbursement of expenses.

(3) The board may report to the commission and the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee in writing at any time.

(4) The commission may invite the board to make an oral presentation to the commission at any meeting of the commission.

(d) The following shall not be appointed as a member of the board:

(1) A member of the immediate family of a member of the commission;

(2) A member of the immediate family of the director of the commission; or

(3) A member of the immediate family of an employee of the commission.

23-115-205. Powers of Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(a) The Arkansas Lottery Commission has all powers necessary or convenient to its usefulness in carrying out this chapter that are not in conflict with the Arkansas Constitution or the United States Constitution, including without limitation the following powers:

(1) To adopt and alter a seal;

(2) To adopt, amend, and repeal rules for the regulation of its affairs and the conduct of its business, to prescribe the duties of officers and employees of the commission, and to perform other matters as the commission determines;

(3) To bring suits to enforce demands of the state under this chapter;

(4) To procure or to provide insurance;

(5) To hold copyrights, trademarks, and service marks and enforce the commission's rights with respect to those copyrights, trademarks, and service marks;

(6) To initiate, supervise, and administer the operation of lotteries in accordance with this chapter and rules adopted under this chapter;

(7) To enter into written agreements with one (1) or more other states or sovereigns for the operation, participation in marketing, and promotion of multistate or multisovereign games;

(8) To conduct market research as necessary or appropriate;

(9) To acquire or lease real property and make improvements to the real property and acquire by lease or by purchase personal property, including without limitation:

(A) Computers;

(B) Mechanical, electronic, and online equipment and terminals;

(C) Intangible property, including without limitation computer programs, computer systems, and computer software; and

(D) Broadcast equipment;

(10) To administer oaths, take depositions, issue subpoenas, and compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of books, papers, documents, and other evidence relative to any investigation or proceeding conducted by the commission;

(11) To employ:

(A) The Director of the Arkansas Lottery Commission; and

(B) An internal auditor;

(12) To select and contract with vendors;

(13) To select and license retailers;

(14) To enter into contracts or agreements with state or local law enforcement agencies for the performance of law enforcement, background investigations, and security checks;

(15) Conduct background investigations and, if considered necessary by the commission, credit investigations on each potential vendor and retailer;

(16) Supervise ticket or share validation and lottery drawings;

(17) Inspect at times determined solely by the commission the facilities of a vendor or a retailer to determine:

(A) The integrity of the vendor's product or the operations of the retailer; and

(B) Whether the vendor or the retailer is in compliance with its contract or license;

(18) Report any suspected violation of this chapter to the appropriate prosecuting attorney or the Attorney General and to any law enforcement agencies having jurisdiction over the violation;

(19) Upon request, provide assistance to the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, the Legislative Auditor, the appropriate prosecuting attorney, the Attorney General, or a law enforcement agency investigating a violation of this chapter;

(20) To enter into contracts of terms and conditions that the commission determines;

(21) To establish and maintain banking relationships associated with the maintenance and investment of lottery proceeds, including without limitation the establishment of checking and savings accounts and trust funds;

(22)(A) To advertise and promote lotteries and scholarships and grants funded by net proceeds.

(B) The commission shall seek the advice of the Department of Higher Education when advertising to promote scholarships and grants funded by net proceeds;

(23) To approve, disapprove, amend, or modify the budget recommended by the director for the operation of the commission;

(24) To act as a retailer and to establish and operate a sales facility to conduct promotions that involve the sale of tickets or shares and any related merchandise;

(25)(A) To contract with one (1) or more independent testing laboratories to scientifically test and technically evaluate lottery games, lottery terminals, and lottery operating systems.

(B) An independent testing laboratory shall:

(i) Have a national reputation that is demonstrably competent; and

(ii) Be qualified to scientifically test and evaluate all components of a lottery game, lottery terminal, or lottery operating system.

(C) An independent testing laboratory shall not be owned or controlled by a vendor or a retailer; and

(26) To adopt and amend rules necessary to carry out and implement its powers and duties, organize and operate the commission, regulate the conduct of lotteries in general, and any other matters necessary or desirable for the efficient and effective operation of lotteries for the convenience of the public.

(b) The powers enumerated in subsection (a) of this section:

(1) Are in addition to those powers of the commission enumerated elsewhere in this chapter; and

(2) Do not limit or restrict any other powers of the commission.

(c) The commission may delegate to one (1) or more of its members, to the Director of the Arkansas Lottery Commission, or to any agent or employee of the commission powers and duties as it deems proper.

23-115-206. Internal controls – Annual audit.

(a) To ensure the financial integrity of lotteries, the Arkansas Lottery Commission shall:

(1) Establish and maintain effective internal controls over financial reporting, including the monitoring of ongoing activities, and comply with the Arkansas Constitution and applicable laws, rules, contracts, agreements, and grants;

(2) Establish and maintain effective internal controls to prevent and detect fraud, including without limitation a system of internal audits;

(3) Include in any contract or license with a vendor or retailer for data processing services or other computer services a provision permitting the Division of Legislative Audit to have access and authority to audit the computer systems of the vendor or retailer;

(4) Notify the division of all known fraud or suspected fraud or all known or suspected illegal acts involving management or other employees of the commission or others with whom the commission contracts;

(5) Inform the division and the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State of any known material violations of the Arkansas Constitution, applicable statutes, rules, contracts, agreements, or grants;

(6) Prepare the financial statements, including the related notes to the financial statements, of the commission in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and in accordance with guidelines and timelines established by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State to permit incorporation into the state's financial statements and to permit the audit of the state's financial statements and the commission's financial statements in a timely manner;

(7) Make all financial records and related information available to the division, including the identification of significant vendor relationships in which the vendor has the responsibility for program compliance, in accordance with §§ 10-4-416 and 10-4-424;

(8)(A) Submit monthly and annual reports to the Governor and the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee disclosing the total lottery revenues, prize disbursements, operating expenses, net assets, and administrative expenses of the commission during the reporting period.

(B)(i) The initial annual report shall describe the organizational structure of the commission and summarize the functions performed by each organizational division within the commission.

(ii) Future annual reports shall describe any revisions to the organizational structure since the filing of the previous annual report;

(9) Maintain weekly or more frequent records of lottery transactions, including without limitation:

(A) The distribution of tickets or shares to retailers;

(B) Revenues received;

(C) Claims for lottery prizes;

(D) Lottery prizes paid;

(E) Lottery prizes forfeited; and

(F) Other financial transactions of the commission;

(10)(A) Submit to the Cochairs of the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee by April 30 of each year a copy of the annual operating budget for the commission for the next fiscal year.

(B) The proposed operating budget shall be accompanied by an estimate of the net proceeds to be available for scholarships and grants during the succeeding fiscal year; and

(11) Adopt the same fiscal year as that used by state government.

(b)(1)(A) The division shall annually audit the commission.

(B) The division may conduct an investigation or audit or prepare special reports regarding the commission or related entities, scholarships, grants, vendors, retailers, or any other transactions or relationships connected or associated with the commission or its operations, duties, or functions upon the approval of the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee.

(2) The commission shall reimburse the division at an hourly rate set by the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee for work performed by the division relating to any audit, investigation, or special report regarding the commission and related entities, scholarships, grants, vendors, retailers, or other related matters.

(3)(A) If the commission, the General Assembly, the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee, or the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee requests additional audits or performance reviews of the fiscal affairs or operations of the commission to be conducted by a private certified public accountant or other consultant, the division shall select and contract with appropriate certified public accountants or consultants to provide the services.

(B) The division shall contract for the services which shall be paid directly to the contractor by the commission.

(C) A copy of any report or management correspondence prepared by the certified public accountants or consultants shall be forwarded to the commission, the division, and the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee.

(4) This chapter does not limit the statutory authority of the Division of Legislative Audit or the responsibilities of the commission or related entities, board members, employees, vendors, retailers, or any other individuals or entities to cooperate with the division or provide information or records requested by the division.

23-115-207. Rulemaking.

(a) The Arkansas Lottery Commission may adopt rules regulating the conduct of lotteries in general, including without limitation rules specifying:

(1) The types of lotteries to be conducted;

(2)(A) The sale price of tickets or shares and the manner and method of sale.

(B)(i) All sales of tickets or shares are for cash only.

(ii) Payment by checks, credit cards, charge cards, or any form of deferred payment is prohibited;

(3) The number and amount of prizes;

(4) The method and location of selecting or validating winning tickets or shares;

(5) The manner and time of payment of prizes, including without limitation lump-sum payments or installments over a period of years;

(6)(A) The manner of payment of prizes to the holders of winning tickets or shares.

(B) Winners of five hundred dollars ($500) or less may claim prizes from any of the following:

(i) A retailer; or

(ii) The commission.

(C)(i) Winners of more than five hundred dollars ($500) shall claim prizes from the commission.

(ii) The commission may establish claim centers throughout the state as it deems necessary;

(7) The frequency of lotteries and drawings or selection of winning tickets or shares;

(8) The means of conducting drawings;

(9)(A) The method to be used in selling tickets or shares.

(B) The selling of tickets or shares may include the use of electronic or mechanical devices.

(C) The commission shall provide by rule:

(i) Specifications and required features for electronic or mechanical devices which may be used to sell tickets or shares; and

(ii) Procedures and requirements to prevent the use of electronic or mechanical devices by an individual under eighteen (18) years of age.

(D) A retailer who knowingly allows a person under eighteen (18) years of age to purchase a lottery ticket from an electronic or mechanical device is subject to § 23-115-901;

(10) The manner and amount of compensation to retailers; and

(11) Any other matters necessary, desirable, or convenient toward ensuring the efficient and effective operation of lotteries, the continued entertainment and convenience of the public, and the integrity of the lotteries.

(b) The commission may adopt rules requiring the publication of the odds of winning a particular lottery game on a ticket or share.

(c)(1)(A) Except as provided in subdivision (c)(1)(B) of this section, the promulgation of rules under this chapter shall comply with the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, § 25-15-201 et seq.

(B) The commission shall not be required to file rules under § 10-3-309.

(2)(A) The promulgation of rules by the commission shall be exempt from § 10-3-309.

(B) The commission shall file its rules with the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee for review at least thirty (30) days before the expiration of the public comment period.

23-115-208. Sovereign immunity.

(a) This subchapter does not waive the sovereign immunity of the State of Arkansas.

(b)(1) A claim in contract or in tort against the Arkansas Lottery Commission or its employees shall be presented to the Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(2) The Arkansas Lottery Commission shall promulgate rules concerning the consideration of claims in contract or in tort presented to the Arkansas Lottery Commission, including without limitation rules concerning the conduct of hearings on claims in contract or in tort.

(c)(1) A claimant may appeal the decision of the commission under subsection (b) of this section to the Arkansas State Claims Commission.

(2) The claimant may:

(A) Within forty (40) days after the decision is rendered, file with the Arkansas State Claims Commission a notice of appeal of the decision of the Arkansas Lottery Commission;

(B) Within forty (40) days after the decision is rendered, file with the Arkansas Lottery Commission a motion for reconsideration requesting the Arkansas Lottery Commission to reconsider its decision; and

(C) Within twenty (20) days after Arkansas Lottery Commission reconsideration or denial of the motion for reconsideration, file with the Arkansas State Claims Commission a notice of appeal of the decision of the Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(3) When the Arkansas Lottery Commission notifies parties of a decision of the Arkansas Lottery Commission, it shall advise the parties of the right of appeal.

(d)(1)(A) Except as provided in subdivisions (d)(2) through (4) of this section, appeals of claims in contract or in tort against the Arkansas Lottery Commission or its employees shall be conducted by the Arkansas State Claims Commission in the same manner as a claim under § 19-10-201 et seq.

(B) The Arkansas State Claims Commission shall consider an appeal de novo.

(2) A decision of the Arkansas State Claims Commission relating to a claim in contract or in tort against the Arkansas Lottery Commission or its employees shall not be appealed to the General Assembly.

(3)(A) An valid claim in any amount against the Arkansas Lottery Commission shall not be referred to the General Assembly for an appropriation.

(B) The Clerk of the State Claims Commission shall notify the Arkansas Lottery Commission of the amount of the valid claim.

(C) Upon receipt of notification from the Clerk of the State Claims Commission, the Arkansas Lottery Commission shall deliver a check to the Clerk of the State Claims Commission, who shall deposit the sum as a nonrevenue receipt into the Miscellaneous Revolving Fund from which he or she shall disburse the amount of the claim to the claimant.

(4) Written reports under § 19-10-212 shall be filed with the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee.

23-115-209. Appealing final adjudications of the Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(a) A retailer, vendor, or applicant for a vendor contract or retailer license aggrieved by an adjudication of the Arkansas Lottery Commission may appeal that decision to Pulaski County Circuit Court.

(b) The court shall hear appeals from decisions of the commission, and based upon the record of the proceedings before the commission, may reverse the decision of the commission only if the appellant proves the decision to be:

(1) Clearly erroneous;

(2) Arbitrary and capricious;

(3) Procured by fraud;

(4) A result of substantial misconduct by the commission; or

(5) Contrary to the United States Constitution, the Arkansas Constitution, or this chapter.

(c) The court may remand an appeal to the commission to conduct further hearings.

(d)(1) A person who appeals the award of a major procurement contract is liable for all costs of appeal and defense if the appeal is denied or the contract award upheld.

(2) If upon the motion of the commission the court finds the appeal to have been frivolous, the cost of appeal and defense shall include without limitation the following expenses of the commission resulting from institution of the appeal:

(A) Court costs;

(B) Bond;

(C) Legal fees; and

(D) Loss of income.

23-115-210. Removal of Arkansas Lottery Commission member.

(a)(1) A member of the Arkansas Lottery Commission may be removed by the appointing authority for:

(A) Misconduct;

(B) Incompetency; or

(C) Any malfeasance in office.

(2) The appointing authority shall appoint a qualified individual to replace the removed member of the commission to serve the remainder of his or her term.

(b) All orders of removal by the appointing authority shall:

(1) Be in writing;

(2) Be delivered to the removed commission member or counsel for the removed commission member; and

(3) Specifically set out the grounds relied upon for removal.

(c)(1) A removed commission member may institute proceedings for review by filing a petition in Pulaski County Circuit Court within thirty (30) days after delivery to him or her or his or her attorney of the appointing authority's order of removal.

(2) This petition shall not supersede or stay the order of removal, nor shall any court enter an order to this effect or one that would impair the authority of the appointing authority to appoint a commission member whose service begins immediately upon fulfillment of the normal requirements for assuming office.

(d)(1) When the matter is heard by the circuit court, it shall be tried de novo without a jury.

(2) The appointing authority shall have the burden of proof to show by clear and convincing evidence that cause under subdivision (a)(1) of this section existed for removal of the commission member.

(3)(A) If the circuit court determines that cause has been shown, it shall enter an order removing the commission member in question from office.

(B) If the circuit court determines that cause under subdivision (a)(1) of this section has not been shown by clear and convincing evidence, the circuit court shall order the removed commission member reinstated to his or her position and upon request shall award a reasonable attorney's fee and court costs to the reinstated party.

(e)(1) Subject to the restrictions of subsection (c) of this section on supersedeas or stay orders, a removed commission member may appeal the decision of the circuit court to the Supreme Court.

(2) The appointing authority may appeal the decision of the circuit court to the Supreme Court, but the appeal shall not preclude the circuit court, in its discretion, from entering an order reinstating the removed member.

(f) A commission action in which the appointed replacement commission member participates is not void, voidable, or in any way subject to invalidation on grounds of participation of the appointed replacement or lack of participation by the removed commission member if the circuit court or the Supreme Court orders the removed commission member reinstated.

SUBCHAPTER 3
EMPLOYEES OF ARKANSAS LOTTERY COMMISSION

23-115-301. Director – Appointment – Duties.

(a)(1)(A) The Arkansas Lottery Commission shall appoint the Director of the Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(B) The director is an employee of the commission and shall direct the day-to-day operations and management of the commission.

(2) The director is vested with powers and duties as specified by the commission and by law.

(3) The director serves at the pleasure of the commission.

(b)(1) An individual considered for appointment as director shall apply to the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police for a state and federal criminal background check, to be conducted by the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police and the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

(2) The state and federal criminal background check shall conform to the applicable federal standards and shall include the taking of fingerprints.

(3) The applicant shall sign a release of information.

(4) The commission shall be responsible for the payment of any fee associated with the state and federal criminal background check.

(5) Upon completion of the state and federal criminal background check, the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police shall forward to the commission all releasable information obtained concerning the applicant.

(c) The commission shall not employ as director an individual who has:

(1) Been convicted of a felony or a gambling offense in a state or federal court of the United States;

(2) Been convicted of a crime involving moral turpitude; or

(3) Entered into a plea agreement to avoid felony prosecution.

23-115-302. Duties of director.

(a) The Director of the Arkansas Lottery Commission shall direct and supervise all administrative and technical activities related to the operation of a lottery in accordance with this chapter and with rules adopted by the Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(b) The Director of the Arkansas Lottery Commission shall:

(1) Facilitate the initiation and supervise and administer the operation of the lotteries;

(2) Direct personnel as deemed necessary;

(3) Employ and compensate persons and firms as deemed necessary;

(4) Appoint, select, and employ officers, agents, and employees, including professional and administrative staff and personnel and hearing officers, and fix their compensation and pay their expenses as authorized by Arkansas law;

(5) Promote or provide for promotion of lotteries and any functions related to the operation of a lottery;

(6) Prepare a budget for the approval of the commission;

(7) Require bond from retailers and vendors in amounts as required by the commission;

(8) Report monthly to the commission and the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee a complete statement of lottery revenues and expenses for the preceding month and an accompanying statement of net assets; and

(9) Perform other duties generally associated with a director of a commission of an entrepreneurial nature.

(c) The Director of the Arkansas Lottery Commission may for good cause suspend, revoke, or refuse to renew any contract or license entered into in accordance with this chapter and the rules of the commission.

(d) The Director of the Arkansas Lottery Commission or his or her designee may conduct hearings and administer oaths to persons to assure the security and integrity of lottery operations or to determine the qualifications of or compliance by vendors and retailers.

23-115-303. Employees – Background investigation.

(a) As required by Article 16, Section 4 of the Arkansas Constitution, the General Assembly shall fix the salaries of all employees of the Arkansas Lottery Commission, including without limitation the Director of the Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(b) A commission employee shall not have a financial interest in a vendor doing business or proposing to do business with the commission.

(c) A commission employee with decision-making authority shall not participate in a decision involving a retailer with whom the commission employee has a financial interest.

(d)(1) A commission employee who leaves the employment of the commission shall not:

(A) Represent a vendor or retailer before the commission for a period of two (2) years; or

(B) Engage in lobbying on any matter related to the operation or conduct of a lottery for a period of two (2) years.

(2)(A) Subdivision (d)(1) of this section shall be supplemental to § 19-11-701 et seq.

(B) If any provision of § 19-11-701 et seq. would impose a restriction on a specific employee greater than the restrictions under subdivision (d)(1) of this section, the provision of § 19-11-701 et seq. shall apply.

(e)(1) Each person considered for employment by the commission shall apply to the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police for a state and federal criminal background check, to be conducted by the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police and the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

(2) The state and federal criminal background check shall conform to the applicable federal standards and shall include the taking of fingerprints.

(3) The applicant shall sign a release of information.

(4) The commission shall be responsible for the payment of any fee associated with the state and federal criminal background check.

(5) Upon completion of the state and federal criminal background check, the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police shall forward to the commission all releasable information obtained concerning the applicant.

(f) The commission shall not employ an individual who has:

(1) Been convicted of a felony or a gambling offense in a state or federal court of the United States;

(2) Been convicted of a crime involving moral turpitude; or

(3) Entered into a plea agreement to avoid felony prosecution.

(g)(1) The commission shall bond a commission employee with access to commission funds or lottery revenue in an amount as provided by the commission and may bond other commission employees as deemed necessary.

(2) Bonds under subdivision (g)(1) of this section shall be fidelity bonds in excess of the amount provided by the Governmental Bonding Board.

23-115-304. Commission employees – Participation in Arkansas Public Employees Retirement System.

(a) Employees of the Arkansas Lottery Commission shall be members of the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System.

(b) An employee's salary for retirement purposes shall be the amount determined by the commission as authorized by the General Assembly and shall not include any multipliers used to increase a person's salary as authorized by the General Assembly.

SUBCHAPTER 4
OPERATION OF LOTTERY

23-115-401. Minority businesses.

(a) It is the intent of the General Assembly that the Arkansas Lottery Commission encourage participation by minority and female-owned businesses.

(b) The commission shall adopt a plan that encourages to the greatest extent

possible a level of participation by minority and female-owned businesses taking into account the total number of all retailers and vendors, including any subcontractors.

(c) The commission shall provide training programs and other educational activities to encourage minority and female-owned businesses to compete for contracts on an equal basis.

(d) The commission shall employ procurement officials to assist prospective vendors and retailers with entering into and competing for contracts, including without limitation the development and implementation of the plans and programs under subsections (b) and (c) of this section.

(e) The commission shall monitor the results of minority and female-owned business participation and shall report the results of minority and female-owned business participation to the Governor and the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee on at least an annual basis.

23-115-402. Restriction on sales.

(a)(1) Unless authorized to do so in writing by the Director of the Arkansas Lottery Commission, a person shall not sell a ticket or share at a price other than established by the Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(2)(A) Only a retailer holding a valid certificate of authority from the commission shall sell a ticket.

(B) This subsection does not prevent an individual who may lawfully purchase tickets or shares from making a gift of tickets or shares to another individual.

(b) This chapter does not prohibit the commission from designating certain of its agents and employees to sell or give tickets or shares directly to the public.

(c) Subject to prior approval by the commission, retailers may give away tickets or shares as a means of promoting goods or services to customers or prospective customers.

(d) A retailer shall not sell a ticket or share except from the locations evidenced by the retailer's license issued by the commission unless the commission authorizes in writing any temporary location not listed in the retailer's license.

(e)(1) Tickets or shares shall not be sold or given to individuals under eighteen (18) years of age.

(2) An individual under eighteen (18) years of age is not eligible to win a lottery prize.

(f) A person shall not be eligible to win a lottery prize while incarcerated in:

(1) The Department of Correction;

(2) The Department of Community Correction; or

(3) A county or municipal jail or detention facility.

23-115-403. Attachments, garnishments, or executions withheld from lottery prizes – Validity of tickets or shares – Lottery prize restrictions – Unclaimed lottery prizes.

(a) Proceeds of a lottery prize are subject to Arkansas state income tax.

(b)(1) Except as otherwise provided in this chapter, attachments, garnishments, or executions authorized and issued under Arkansas law shall be withheld if timely served upon the Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(2) Subdivision (b)(1) of this section does not apply to a retailer.

(c) The commission shall adopt rules to establish a system of verifying the validity of tickets or shares claimed to win lottery prizes and to effect payment of lottery prizes, except that:

(1)(A) A lottery prize, any portion of a lottery prize, or any right of any individual to a lottery prize is not assignable.

(B) A lottery prize or any portion of a lottery prize remaining unpaid at the death of a lottery prize winner shall be paid to the estate of the deceased lottery prize winner or to the trustee of a trust established by the deceased lottery prize winner as settlor if:

(i) A copy of the trust document or instrument has been filed with the commission along with a notarized letter of direction from the settler; and

(ii) No written notice of revocation has been received by the commission before the settlor's death.

(C) Following a settlor's death and before any payment to a successor trustee, the commission shall obtain from the trustee a written agreement to indemnify and hold the commission harmless with respect to any claims that may be asserted against the commission arising from payment to or through the trust.

(D) Under an appropriate judicial order, an individual shall be paid the lottery prize to which a winner is entitled;

(2) A lottery prize shall not be paid arising from claimed tickets that are:

(A) Stolen, counterfeit, altered, fraudulent, unissued, produced or issued in error, unreadable, not received, or not recorded by the commission within applicable deadlines;

(B) Lacking in captions that conform and agree with the play symbols as appropriate to the particular lottery involved; or

(C) Not in compliance with rules and public or confidential validation and security tests of the commission appropriate to the particular lottery involved;

(3)(A) A particular lottery prize in any lottery shall not be paid more than one (1) time.

(B) If there is a determination that more than one (1) claimant is entitled to a particular lottery prize, the sole remedy of the claimants is the award to each of them of an equal share in the lottery prize;

(4)(A) Within one hundred eighty (180) days after the drawing in which a cash lottery prize has been won, a holder of a winning cash ticket or share from an Arkansas lottery or from a multistate or multisovereign lottery shall claim the cash lottery prize.

(B)(i) In an Arkansas lottery in which a player may determine instantly if he or she has won or lost, a player who has won shall claim a cash lottery prize within ninety (90) days after the playing of the instant game.

(ii) In any multistate or multisovereign lottery in which a player may determine instantly if he or she has won or lost, a player who has won shall claim a cash lottery prize within one hundred eighty (180) days after the playing of the instant game.

(C) If a valid claim is not made for a cash lottery prize within the applicable period, the cash lottery prize constitutes an unclaimed lottery prize for purposes of this section.

(D) The commission at any time may alter the time periods under subdivisions (4)(A) and (B) of this section by rule; and

(5)(A) If practicable, an auditor chosen by the commission shall be present at a draw to determine the winners of a draw game to verify the accuracy of the results.

(B) The commission may select an auditor employed by the Division of Legislative Audit for the purposes of subdivision (c)(5) of this section.

(d)(1) A lottery prize shall not be paid upon a ticket or share purchased or sold in violation of this chapter.

(2) A lottery prize described in subdivision (d)(1) of this section is an unclaimed lottery prize for purposes of this section.

(e) The commission is discharged of all liability upon payment of a lottery prize.

(f)(1) A ticket or share shall not be purchased by and a lottery prize shall not be paid to any:

(A) Member of the commission;

(B) Employee of the commission; or

(C) Member of the immediate family of a member of the commission or an employee of the commission.

(2) If an officer, employee, agent, or subcontractor of a vendor has access to confidential information that may compromise the integrity of a lottery, a ticket or share shall not be purchased by and a lottery prize shall not be paid to the:

(A) Officer, employee, agent, or subcontractor of the vendor; or

(B) Immediate family of the officer, employee, agent, or subcontractor of the vendor.

(g)(1) Unclaimed prize money is not net lottery proceeds.

(2)(A) An annual amount of at least two hundred thousand dollars ($200,000) shall be directed to the Department of Health for the treatment of compulsive gambling disorder and educational programs related to compulsive gambling disorder.

(B) As part of its regulation of public health, the State Board of Health may promulgate rules to implement subdivision (g)(2)(A) of this section, including without limitation the creation of:

(i) Programs for the treatment of compulsive gambling disorder; and

(ii) Educational programs related to compulsive gambling disorder.

(3) Unclaimed lottery prize money remaining after the payment under subdivision (g)(2) of this section shall be:

(A) Added to the pool from which future lottery prizes are to be awarded; or

(B) Used for special lottery prize promotions.

23-115-404. Confidential information.

(a)(1) Except as provided in subsection (a)(2) of this section, the Arkansas Lottery Commission shall comply with the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq.

(2) The following records or information in the possession of the commission shall be treated as confidential and are exempt from public disclosure:

(A) Security measures, systems, or procedures;

(B) Security reports; and

(C) Any records exempt from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq.

(b) The Division of Legislative Audit shall have full access to the records of the commission.

23-115-405. Intelligence sharing, reciprocal use, or restricted use agreements.

(a) The Arkansas Lottery Commission may enter into an intelligence sharing, reciprocal use, or restricted use agreement with the United States Government, law enforcement agencies, lottery regulation agencies, and gaming enforcement agencies of other jurisdictions that provide for and regulate the use of information provided and received under the agreement.

(b) Records, documents, and information in the possession of the commission received under subsection (a) of this section are not subject to the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq., and shall not be released without the permission of the person or agency providing the records, documents, and information.

23-115-406. Authority of local government.

(a)(1) The authority of local government concerning all matters relating to the operation of lotteries is preempted by this chapter.

(2) Local government may not take any action, including without limitation the adoption of an ordinance, relating to the operation of lotteries.

(b) This section does not prohibit local government from requiring a retailer to obtain an occupational license for any business unrelated to the sale of tickets or shares.

23-115-407. Video lotteries prohibited.
Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to permit the use of a video lottery as part of a lottery under this chapter.

23-115-408. Video lotteries prohibited.
Nothing in this chapter shall be construed to permit the use of a video lottery for any purposes by any institution or facility governed by the:
(1) Arkansas Horse Racing Law, § 23-110-101 et seq.;
(2) Arkansas Greyhound Racing Law, § 23-111-101 et seq.; or
(3) Local Option Horse Racing and Greyhound Racing Electronic Games of Skill Act, 23-113-101 et seq.

SUBCHAPTER 5
VENDORS

23-115-501. Vendors – Requirements when submitting a bid, proposal, or offer – Major procurement contract.
(a) The Arkansas Lottery Commission shall investigate the financial responsibility, security, and integrity of a vendor who is a finalist in submitting a bid, proposal, or offer as part of a major procurement contract.
(b) At the time of submitting a bid, proposal, or offer to the Arkansas Lottery Commission, the commission shall require the following items:
(1) A disclosure of the vendor's name and address and, as applicable, the names and addresses of the following:
(A)(i) If the vendor is a corporation, the officers, directors, and each stockholder in the corporation.
(ii) However, in the case of owners of equity securities of a publicly traded corporation, only the names and addresses of those known to the corporation to own beneficially five percent (5%) or more of the securities need be disclosed;
(B) If the vendor is a trust, the trustee and all persons entitled to receive income or benefits from the trust;
(C) If the vendor is an association, the members, officers, and directors; and
(D) If the vendor is a partnership or joint venture, all of the general partners, limited partners, or joint venturers;
(2) A disclosure of all the states and jurisdictions in which the vendor does business and the nature of the business for each state or jurisdiction;
(3) A disclosure of all the states and jurisdictions in which the vendor has contracts to supply gaming goods or services, including without limitation lottery goods and services, and the nature of the goods or services involved for each state or jurisdiction;
(4)(A) A disclosure of all the states and jurisdictions in which the vendor has applied for, has sought renewal of, has received, has been denied, has pending, or has had revoked a lottery or gaming license of any kind or had fines or penalties assessed to the vendor’s license, contract, or operation and the disposition of each instance in each state or jurisdiction.
(B) If any lottery or gaming license or contract has been revoked or has not been renewed or any lottery or gaming license or application has been either denied or is pending and has remained pending for more than six (6) months, all of the facts and circumstances underlying the failure to receive a license shall be disclosed;

(5) A disclosure of the details of any finding or plea, conviction, or adjudication of guilt in a state or federal court of the vendor for any felony or any other criminal offense other than a traffic violation committed by the persons identified under subdivision (b)(1) of this section;

(6) A disclosure of the details of any bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, or corporate or individual purchase or takeover of another corporation, including without limitation bonded indebtedness, and any pending litigation of the vendor;

(7) A disclosure of the vendor's most recent financial report, including any reports on internal control over financial reporting, and the most recent audit report of the vendor's operation as a service organization; and

(8) Additional disclosures and information that the commission may determine to be appropriate for the procurement involved.

(c) If any portion of a vendor's contract is subcontracted, the vendor shall disclose all of the information required by this section for the subcontractor as if the subcontractor were itself a vendor.

(d)(1) The commission shall not enter into a major procurement contract with a vendor that:

(A)(i) Has not complied with the disclosure requirements described in subsection (b) of this section;

(B) Has been found guilty of a felony related to the security or integrity of a lottery in this or any other jurisdiction; or

(C) Has an ownership interest in an entity that has supplied lottery goods or services under contract to the commission regarding the request for proposals pertaining to those particular goods or services.

(2) At the option of the commission, the commission may void any major procurement contract with a vendor.

(3) The commission may terminate a major procurement contract with a vendor that does not comply with requirements for periodically updating disclosures during the tenure of the major procurement contract as may be specified in the major procurement contract.

(4) This section shall be construed broadly and liberally to achieve full disclosure of all information necessary to allow for a full and complete evaluation by the commission of the competence, integrity, background, and character of vendors for major procurement contracts.

(e)(1) A vendor or an applicant for a major procurement contract shall not provide a gift to:

(A) The Director of the commission, a commission member, a commission employee, or a member of the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee; or

(B) A member of the immediate family of the Director of the commission, a commission member, a commission employee, or a member of the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee.

(2) This subsection shall be enforced and penalties shall be assessed in the same manner as § 21-8-301 et seq.

(f)(1) A public official shall not knowingly own a financial interest in a vendor.

(2) If a public official becomes aware that he or she owns a financial interest in a vendor, the public official shall divest the financial interest as soon as possible.

23-115-502. Vendor – Performance bond or letter of credit.

(a)(1) At the execution of the major procurement contract with the Arkansas Lottery Commission, each vendor shall post a performance bond or letter of credit from a bank or credit provider acceptable to the commission in an amount as deemed necessary by the commission for that particular bid or major procurement contract.

(2) In lieu of the bond, to assure the faithful performance of its obligations, a vendor may deposit and maintain with the commission securities that are:

(A) Interest bearing or accruing; and

(B) Rated in one (1) of the three (3) highest classifications by an established, nationally recognized investment rating service.

(2) Securities eligible under this section are limited to:

(A) Certificates of deposit in an amount fully insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation issued by solvent banks or savings associations, if the solvent banks or savings associations are:

(i) Approved by the commission; and

(ii) Organized and existing under the laws of this state or under the laws of the United States;

(B) United States Government bonds, notes, and bills for which the full faith and credit of the United States Government is pledged for the payment of principal and interest;

(C) Federal agency securities by an agency or instrumentality of the United States Government; and

(D)(i) Corporate bonds approved by the commission.

(ii) The entity that issued the bonds shall not be an affiliate or subsidiary of the depositor.

(3) The securities shall be held in trust and shall have at all times a market value at least equal to the full amount estimated to be paid annually to the vendor under contract.

(b)(1) Each vendor shall be qualified to do business in this state and shall file appropriate tax returns as provided by the laws of this state.

(2) All major procurement contracts under this section shall be governed by the laws of this state except as provided in this chapter.

23-115-503. Cancellation, suspension, revocation, or termination of major procurement contract.

(a) A major procurement contract executed by the Arkansas Lottery Commission under this chapter shall specify the reasons for which the major procurement contract may be canceled, suspended, revoked, or terminated by the commission. The reasons shall include without limitation:

(1) Commission of a violation of this chapter or a rule of the commission;

(2) Commission of any fraud, deceit, or misrepresentation;

(3) Conduct prejudicial to public confidence in a lottery;

(4) The vendor's filing for or being placed in bankruptcy or receivership; or

(5) Any material change as determined in the sole discretion of the commission in any matter considered by the commission in executing the major procurement contract with the vendor.

(b)(1) If, upon approval of the commission, the Director of the Arkansas Lottery Commission or his or her designee determines that cancellation, denial, revocation, suspension, or rejection of renewal of a major procurement contract is in the best interest of lotteries, the public welfare, or the State of Arkansas, the director or his or her designee may cancel, suspend, revoke, or terminate, after notice and a right to a hearing, a major procurement contract issued under this chapter.

(2) The major procurement contract may be temporarily suspended by the director or his or her designee without commission approval or prior notice pending a hearing.

(3) A major procurement contract may be suspended, revoked, or terminated by the director or his or her designee for any one (1) or more of the reasons enumerated in this section.

(c) Hearings under this section shall be held in accordance with the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, § 25-15-201 et seq.

23-115-504. Political contributions by vendors.

(a) The General Assembly finds:

(1) That the integrity of the Arkansas Lottery Commission and lotteries is of utmost importance; and

(2) That the people of the State of Arkansas should have confidence and be assured that public officials are free of any untoward political influence by vendors.

(b) A vendor or an officer, employee, agent, or subcontractor of a vendor shall not make a political contribution to a public official or a candidate for election as a public official.

SUBCHAPTER 6
RETAILERS

23-115-601. Retailers.

(a) The General Assembly recognizes that to conduct a successful lottery, the Arkansas Lottery Commission must develop and maintain a state-wide network of retailers that will serve the public convenience and promote the sale of tickets or shares and the playing of lotteries while ensuring the integrity of lottery operations, games, and activities.

(b) The commission shall make every effort to provide small retailers a chance to participate in the sales of tickets or shares.

(c) The commission shall provide for compensation to retailers in the form of commissions in an amount of not less than five percent (5%) of gross sales of tickets and shares and may provide for other forms of compensation for services rendered in the sale or cashing of tickets or shares.

(d)(1) For purposes of display, the commission shall issue a license to each person whom it licenses as a retailer.

(2)(A) Every retailer shall post and keep conspicuously displayed in a location on the premises accessible to the public its certificate of authority.

(B) A certificate of authority is not assignable or transferable.

(e)(1) A person considered as a retailer shall apply to the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police for a state and federal criminal background check, to be conducted by the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police and the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

(2) The state and federal criminal background check shall conform to the applicable federal standards and shall include the taking of fingerprints.

(3) The applicant shall sign a release of information.

(4) The commission shall be responsible for the payment of any fee associated with the state and federal criminal background check.

(5) Upon completion of the state and federal criminal background check, the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police shall forward to the commission all releasable information obtained concerning the applicant.

(f)(1) The commission shall develop a list of objective criteria upon which the qualification of retailers shall be based.

(2) The commission shall develop separate criteria to govern the selection of retailers of instant tickets.

(3) In developing the criteria, the commission shall consider certain factors, including without limitation:

(A) The applicant's financial responsibility;

(B) Security of the applicant's place of business or activity;

(C) Accessibility to the public;

(D) The applicant’s integrity; and

(E) The applicant's reputation.

(4) The commission shall not consider political affiliation, activities, or monetary contributions to political organizations or candidates for any public office.

(5) The criteria shall include without limitation the following:

(A)(i) The applicant shall be current in filing all applicable tax returns to the State of Arkansas and in payment of all taxes, interest, and penalties owed to the State of Arkansas, excluding items under formal appeal under applicable statutes.

(ii) The Department of Finance and Administration shall provide to the commission the information required under subdivision (e)(5)(A)(i) of this section;

(B) The commission shall not select as a retailer any person who:

(i) Has been convicted of a criminal offense related to the security or integrity of a lottery in this or any other jurisdiction;

(ii)(a) Has been convicted of any illegal gambling activity, false statements, false swearing, or perjury in this or any other jurisdiction or convicted of any crime punishable by more than one (1) year of imprisonment or a fine of more than one thousand dollars ($1,000), or both.

(b) Subdivision (e)(5)(B)(ii)(a) of this section shall not apply if the person's civil rights have been restored and at least five (5) years have elapsed from the date of the completion of the sentence without a subsequent conviction of a crime described in subdivision (e)(5)(B)(ii)(a) of this section;

(iii) Has been found to have violated this chapter or any rule, policy, or procedure of the commission unless:

(a) Ten (10) years have passed since the violation; or

(b) The commission finds the violation both minor and unintentional in nature;

(iv) Is a vendor or an employee or agent of a vendor doing business with the commission;

(v) Is a member of the immediate family of a member of the commission;

(vi) Has made a statement of material fact to the commission knowing the statement to be false; or

(vii)(a) Is engaged exclusively in the business of selling tickets or shares.

(b) Subdivision (e)(5)(B)(vii)(a) of this section does not preclude the commission from selling or giving away tickets or shares for promotional purposes;

(C)(i) A person applying to become a retailer shall be charged a uniform application fee determined by rule for each lottery outlet.

(ii) The application fee shall take into account the cost of a state and federal criminal background check under subsection (e) of this section; and

(D) All retailer licenses may be renewable annually in the discretion of the commission unless canceled or terminated by the commission.

(f)(1) A retailer or an applicant to be a retailer shall not provide a gift to:

(A) The Director of the commission, a commission member, or a commission employee; or

(B) A member of the immediate family of the Director of the commission, a commission member, or a commission employee.

(2) This subsection shall be enforced and penalties shall be assessed in the same manner as § 21-8-301 et seq.

23-115-602. Retailer license.

(a) A retailer license is not transferable or assignable.

(b) A retailer shall not contract with any person for lottery goods or services except with the approval of the Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(c) Tickets and shares shall be sold only by the retailer stated on the retailer's license issued by the commission under this chapter.

23-115-603. Fidelity fund – Retailer fee – Reserve account to cover losses – Retailer bond.

(a)(1) The Arkansas Lottery Commission shall establish a fidelity fund separate from all other funds and shall assess each retailer an annual fee not to exceed one hundred dollars ($100) per sales location.

(2) Moneys deposited into the fidelity fund may:

(A) Be invested or deposited into one (1) or more interest-bearing accounts;

(B) Used to cover losses the commission experiences due to nonfeasance, misfeasance, or malfeasance of a retailer; and

(C) Used to purchase blanket bonds covering the commission against losses from all retailers.

(3) At the end of each fiscal year, the commission shall pay to the trust account managed and maintained by the Department of Higher Education any amount in the fidelity fund that exceeds five hundred thousand dollars ($500,000), and the funds shall be considered net proceeds from a lottery.

(b)(1) A reserve account may be established as a general operating expense to cover amounts deemed uncollectable.

(2) The commission shall establish procedures for minimizing any losses that may be deemed uncollectable and shall exercise and exhaust all available options in those procedures before writing off amounts to this account.

(c)(1) The commission shall require a retailer to post an appropriate bond, as determined by the commission, using an insurance company acceptable to the commission.

(2) The amount of the bond shall not exceed the applicable district sales average of tickets for two (2) billing periods.

(d)(1) In its discretion, the commission may allow a retailer to deposit and maintain with the commission securities that are interest-bearing or accruing.

(2) Securities eligible under this subsection are limited to:

(A) Certificates of deposit in an amount fully insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation issued by solvent banks or savings associations organized and existing under the laws of this state or under the laws of the United States;

(B) United States Government bonds, notes, and bills for which the full faith and credit of the United States Government is pledged for the payment of principal and interest; or

(C) Federal agency securities by an agency or instrumentality of the United States Government.

(3) The securities shall be held in trust in the name of the commission.

23-115-604. Cancellation, suspension, revocation, or termination of retail license.

(a) A retailer license executed by the Arkansas Lottery Commission under this chapter shall specify the reasons for which the retailer license may be canceled, suspended, revoked, or terminated by the commission. The reasons shall include without limitation:

(1) Commission of a violation of this chapter or a rule of the commission;

(2) Failure to accurately or timely account for tickets, lottery games, revenues, or prizes as required by the commission;

(3) Commission of any fraud, deceit, or misrepresentation;
(4) Insufficient sales;
(5) Conduct prejudicial to public confidence in a lottery;
(6) The retailer's filing for or being placed in bankruptcy or receivership;
(7) Any material change as determined in the sole discretion of the commission in any matter considered by the commission in executing the license with the retailer; or
(8) Failure to meet any of the objective criteria established by the commission under this chapter.
(b)(1) If, upon approval of the commission, the Director of the Arkansas Lottery Commission or his or her designee determines that cancellation, denial, revocation, suspension, or rejection of renewal of a retailer license is in the best interest of lotteries, the public welfare, or the State of Arkansas, the director or his or her designee may cancel, suspend, revoke, or terminate, after notice and a right to a hearing, a retailer license issued under this chapter.
(2)(A) The retailer license may be temporarily suspended by the director or his or her designee without commission approval or prior notice pending a hearing.
(3) A retailer license may be suspended, revoked, or terminated by the director or his or her designee for any one (1) or more of the reasons enumerated in subsection (a) of this section.
(4) Hearings under subsection (b) of this section shall be held in accordance with the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, § 25-15-201 et seq.

23-115-605. Retailers – Fiduciary duty – Protection against loss.
(a)(1) All proceeds from the sale of tickets or shares constitute a trust fund until paid to the Arkansas Lottery Commission either directly or through the commission's authorized collection representative.
(2) A retailer and officers of a retailer's business have a fiduciary duty to preserve and account for retail lottery proceeds, and retailers are personally liable for all lottery proceeds.
(3) For the purpose of this section, lottery proceeds include without limitation:
(A) Unsold instant tickets received by a retailer;
(B) Cash proceeds of the sale of any lottery products;
(C) Net of allowable sales commissions; and
(D) Credit for lottery prizes paid to winners by retailers.
(4) Sales proceeds and unused instant tickets shall be delivered to the commission or its authorized collection representative upon demand.
(b)(1) The commission shall require retailers to place all lottery proceeds due the commission in accounts in institutions insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation not later than the close of the next banking day after the date of their collection by the retailer until the date they are paid over to the commission.
(2) At the time of the deposit, lottery proceeds shall be deemed to be the property of the commission.
(3) The commission may require a retailer to establish a single separate electronic funds transfer account when available for the purpose of:
(A) Receiving moneys from ticket or share sales;
(B) Making payments to the commission; and
(C) Receiving payments for the commission.
(4) Unless otherwise authorized in writing by the commission, each retailer shall establish a separate bank account for lottery proceeds that shall be kept separate and apart from all other funds and assets and shall not be commingled with any other funds or assets.

(c) When an individual who receives proceeds from the sale of tickets or shares in the capacity of a retailer becomes insolvent or dies insolvent, the proceeds due the commission from the individual or his or her estate have preference over all debts or demands.

(d) If the commission determines that a retailer failed to comply with subsection (b) of this section three (3) times within any consecutive twenty-four-month period, the commission may refer the retailer to the Department of Finance and Administration with a recommendation that the department pursue business closure against the retailer as a noncompliant taxpayer as provided in § 26-18-1001 et seq.

23-115-606. Retailer – Rental payments based on percentage of retail sales.

If a retailer's rental payments for the business premises are contractually computed, in whole or in part, on the basis of a percentage of retail sales and the computation of retail sales is not explicitly defined to include sales of tickets or shares in a lottery, only the compensation received by the retailer from the Arkansas Lottery Commission may be considered the amount of the lottery retail sale for purposes of computing the rental payment.

SUBCHAPTER 7
PROCUREMENTS

23-115-701. Procurements – Major procurement contracts – Competitive bidding.

(a)(1) The Arkansas Lottery Commission may purchase, lease, or lease-purchase goods or services as necessary for effectuating the purposes of this chapter.

(2) The commission may make procurements that integrate functions, including without limitation:

(A) Lottery design;

(B) Ticket distribution to retailers;

(C) Supply of goods and services; and

(D) Advertising.

(3) In all procurement decisions, the commission shall:

(A) Take into account the particularly sensitive nature of lotteries; and

(B) Act to promote and ensure;

(i) Security, honesty, fairness, and integrity in the operation and administration of lotteries; and

(ii) The objectives of raising net proceeds for the benefit of scholarships and grants.

(b) Except as provided in subsections (c) and (d) of this section, the commission shall comply with the Arkansas Procurement Law, § 19-11-201 et seq.

(c)(1) The commission shall arrange for the solicitation and receipt of competitive bids for major procurement contracts.

(2) The commission is not required to accept the lowest responsible bid for major procurement contracts but shall select a bid that the commission feels provides the greatest long-term benefit to the state, the greatest integrity for the commission, and the best service and products for the public.

(3) The commission shall adopt rules concerning major procurement contracts.

(d) In any bidding process, the commission may administer its own bidding and procurement or may utilize the services of the Department of Finance and Administration.

(e)(1) Each proposed major procurement contract shall be filed with the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee for review before the execution date of the major procurement contract.

(2) The committee shall provide the commission with its review as to the propriety of the major procurement contract within thirty (30) days after receipt of the proposed major procurement contract.

SUBCHAPTER 8
LOTTERY PROCEEDS

23-115-801. Lottery proceeds.

(a)(1) All lottery proceeds are the property of the Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(2)(A) The commission shall pay its operating expenses from its lottery proceeds.

(B)(i) An amount of lottery proceeds determined by the commission to maximize net proceeds shall be made available as prize money.

(ii)(a) Subdivision (a)(2)(B)(i) of this section does not create any lien, entitlement, cause of action, or other private right.

(b) In setting the terms of a lottery, the commission shall determine any rights of holders of tickets or shares.

(3) The percentage of lottery proceeds determined by the commission to be net proceeds shall equal an amount determined by the commission to maximize net proceeds.

(b)(1) On or before the fifteenth day of each month, the Arkansas Lottery Commission shall deposit the net proceeds from the state lottery into one (1) or more trust accounts at one (1) or more financial institutions.

(2) The commission shall follow the investment policy guidelines of the State Board of Finance in selecting a financial institution and managing the net proceeds from the state lottery deposited to a trust account.

(c)(1) The Director of the Department of Higher Education shall certify to the commission the amount of net proceeds from the state lottery needed to:

(A) Fund the scholarships awarded to recipients under § 6-85-201 et seq. for an academic year; and

(B) Ensure that sufficient funds remain available to pay for scholarship awards for the recipients through the anticipated completion of the degree or certificate a recipient is seeking.

(2)(A)(i) The commission shall transfer the funds requested by the director under this subsection (c)(1) into one (1) or more trust accounts at one (1) or more financial institutions meeting the requirements of subdivision (b)(2) of this section maintained by the department.

(ii) The director shall disburse trust account funds only in the name of the recipient:

(a) To an approved institution of higher education; or

(b) If a recipient transfers to another approved institution of higher education, to the approved institution of higher education where the recipient transferred.

(3) By August 1 of each year, the director shall provide to the commission and to the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee for the academic year just ended an accounting of all trust accounts maintained by the department, including without limitation:

(A) Total deposits to all trust accounts;

(B) Total disbursements from the trust accounts; and

(C) The balance remaining in the trust accounts.

(d)(1) The General Assembly finds that:

(A) The administration of scholarships with proceeds from the state lottery are expenses of the Arkansas Lottery Commission; and

(B) Because the department has the expertise and experienced staff needed to efficiently and appropriately administer the scholarships, the commission shall use the services of the department to administer scholarships funded with net proceeds from the state lottery.

(2) The commission shall reimburse the department for the costs of administering the scholarship awards funded with net proceeds from the state lottery after review of the reimbursement amount by the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee.

(3) The department shall refund to the Higher Education Grants Fund Account the amount of a reimbursement received from the Arkansas Lottery Commission under this subsection (e) for services provided and funded from the Higher Education Grants Fund Account.

23-115-802. Scholarship shortfall reserve trust account.

(a) The Arkansas Lottery Commission shall maintain a scholarship shortfall reserve trust account.

(b)(1) An amount equal to ten percent (10%) of the total amount of net proceeds disbursed during the preceding fiscal year in the form of scholarships and grants for higher education shall be deposited from lottery proceeds each year until the amount in the reserve trust account equals fifty million dollars ($50,000,000).

(2) Thereafter, only an amount necessary to maintain the scholarship shortfall reserve account in an amount equal to fifty million dollars ($50,000,000) shall be deposited into the reserve trust account.

(c)(1) If the net proceeds paid into the net proceeds trust account in any year are not sufficient to meet the amount appropriated for higher education scholarships, the scholarship shortfall reserve trust account may be drawn upon to meet the deficiency.

(2) If it becomes necessary to draw from the reserve account in any fiscal year, the department shall review the scholarship and grant program and shall reduce the program to accommodate available lottery proceeds, exclusive of the scholarship shortfall reserve account.

(d) This section shall become effective on July 1, 2010.

23-115-803. Disposition of funds.

(a)(1) To effectuate the Arkansas Lottery Commission's purposes, the commission may borrow moneys from the State of Arkansas or accept and expend moneys from the State of Arkansas and shall repay any sums borrowed from the state as soon as practicable.

(2) As used in this section, "purposes" includes without limitation the payment of the initial expenses of initiation, administration, and operation of the commission and lotteries.

(3) The commission shall not issue bonds for any purpose.

(b)(1) The commission shall be self-sustaining and self-funded.

(2)(A) Except as provided in subsection (a) of this section, moneys in the state general fund shall not be used or obligated to pay the expenses of the commission or prizes of a lottery.

(B) A claim for the payment of an expense of a lottery or prizes of a lottery shall not be made against any moneys other than moneys credited to the commission's operating account.

SUBCHAPTER 9
PENALTIES

23-115-901. Sale of ticket or share to person under 18 years of age prohibited — Penalty.

(a) A person who knowingly sells a ticket or share to a person under eighteen (18) years of age or permits a person under eighteen (18) years of age to play a lottery is guilty of a Class B misdemeanor.

(b) It is an affirmative defense to a prosecution under this section that the retailer reasonably and in good faith relied upon representation of proof of age in making the sale.

23-115-902. Fraud — Penalty.

(a)(1) A person who, with a purpose to defraud, falsely makes, alters, forges, utters, passes, or counterfeits a ticket is guilty of a Class D felony.

(2) A person convicted for violating subdivision (a)(1) of this section is subject to an additional fine of not more than fifty thousand dollars ($50,000).

(b)(1) A person who purposely influences or attempts to influence the winning of a lottery prize through the use of coercion, fraud, deception, or tampering with lottery equipment or materials is guilty of a Class D felony.

(2) A person convicted for violating subdivision (b)(1) of this section is subject to an additional fine of not more than fifty thousand dollars ($50,000).

23-115-903. False statement on license application — Penalty.

(a) A person shall not knowingly make:

(1) A material false statement in an application for a license or proposal to conduct a lottery; or

(2) A material false entry in any book or record that is compiled or maintained or submitted to the Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(b)(1) A person who violates this section is guilty of a Class D felony.

(2) A person convicted for violating subsection (a) of this section is subject to an additional fine of not more than twenty five thousand dollars ($25,000) or the dollar amount of the material false entry or material false statement, whichever is greater.

23-115-904. Inconsistent statutes inapplicable.

(a) Section 5-66-101 et seq. and all other laws and parts of laws inconsistent with this chapter are expressly declared not to apply to any person engaged in, conducting, or otherwise participating in lotteries.

(b) No person shall be guilty of any criminal offense set forth in § 5-66-101 et seq. or any other law relating to illegal gambling to the extent the person relied on any rule, order, finding, or other determination by the Arkansas Lottery Commission that the activity was authorized by this chapter.

SUBCHAPTER 10
DEBTORS OWING MONEY TO THE STATE

23-115-1001. Legislative intent.

(a) The purpose of this subchapter is to establish:

(1) A policy and to provide a system whereby all claimant agencies of this state in conjunction with the Arkansas Lottery Commission shall cooperate in identifying debtors who owe money to the state through its various claimant agencies or to persons on whose behalf the state and its claimant agencies act and who qualify for lottery prizes under this chapter from the commission; and

(2) Procedures for setting off against any prize the sum of any debt owed to the state or to persons on whose behalf the state and its claimant agencies act.

(b) This subchapter shall be liberally construed to effectuate the purposes stated in subsection (a) of this section.

23-115-1002. Definitions.

(a) As used in this subchapter:

(1) "Claimant agency" means a state agency, department, board, bureau, commission, or authority:

(A) To which a person owes a debt; or

(B) That acts on behalf of a person to collect a debt;

(2) "Debt" means a:

(A) Liquidated sum due and owing any claimant agency, when the sum has accrued through contract, subrogation, tort, or operation of law regardless of whether there is an outstanding judgment for the sum; or

(B) Sum that is due and owing any person and is enforceable by the state;

(3) "Debtor" means an individual owing money to or having a delinquent account with a claimant agency, when the obligation has not been;

(A) Adjudicated as satisfied by court order;

(B) Set aside by court order; or

(C) Discharged in bankruptcy; and

(4) "Prize" means the proceeds of any lottery prize awarded under this chapter.

23-115-1003. Collection remedy.

The collection remedy authorized by this subchapter is in addition to and not in substitution for any other remedy available by law.

23-115-1004. List of debtors – Withholding winnings – Ranking of liens.

(a)(1) A claimant agency may submit to the Arkansas Lottery Commission a list of the names of all persons owing debts in excess of one hundred dollars ($100) to the claimant agency or to persons on whose behalf the claimant agency is acting.

(2) The full amount of the debt is collectable from any prize without regard to limitations on the amounts that may be collectable in increments through garnishment or other proceedings.

(3) The list shall constitute a valid lien upon and claim of lien against the prize of any debtor named in the list.

(4) The list shall contain:

(A) The name of the each debtor;

(B) The social security number of each debtor if available; and

(C) Any other information that would assist the commission in identifying each debtor named in the list.

(b)(1) The commission shall withhold any prizes subject to the lien created by this section and send notice to the winner by certified mail, return receipt requested, of the action and the reason the prizes were withheld.

(2)(A) However, if the winner appears and claims prizes in person, the commission shall notify the winner at that time by hand delivery of the action.

(B) If the debtor does not protest the withholding of the prizes in writing within thirty (30) days of the notice, the commission shall pay the prizes to the claimant agency.

(C) If the debtor protests the withholding of the prizes within thirty (30) days of the notice, the commission shall:

(i) File an action in interpleader in the circuit court of the county where the debtor resides;

(ii) Pay the disputed sum into the registry of the circuit court; and

(iii) Give notice to the claimant agency and debtor of the initiation of the action.

(c) The liens created by this section are ranked by priority as follows:

(1) Taxes due the state;

(2) Delinquent child support; and

(3) All other judgments and liens in order of the date entered or perfected.

(d) The commission is not required to deduct claimed debts from prizes paid out by retailers or entities other than the commission.

(e) Any list of debt provided under this section shall be provided periodically as the commission shall provide by rule, and the commission is not obligated to retain the lists or deduct debts appearing on the lists beyond the period determined by the rules.

(f) The commission may prescribe forms and promulgate rules it deems necessary to implement this section.

(g) The commission and any claimant agency shall incur no civil or criminal liability for good faith adherence to this section.

(h) The claimant agency shall pay the commission for all costs incurred by the commission in setting off debts in the manner provided in this subchapter.

23-115-1005. Confidential information.

(a)(1) Notwithstanding any other confidentiality statute, the Arkansas Lottery Commission may provide to a claimant agency all information necessary to accomplish and effectuate the intent of this subchapter.

(2) Information shall be used by a claimant agency only in the pursuit of its debt collection duties and practices.

(b) Confidential information obtained by a claimant agency from the commission under this section shall retain its confidentiality.

(c) An employee or prior employee of a claimant agency who unlawfully discloses any information for any other purpose, except as otherwise specifically authorized by law, is guilty of a Class A misdemeanor.

23-115-1006. Application.

This subchapter applies only to prizes of more than five hundred dollars ($500).

SUBCHAPTER 11
ARKANSAS LOTTERY COMMISSION LEGISLATIVE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE

23-115-1101. Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee.

(a) The Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee is established.

(b) The Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee shall consist of twelve (12) members of the General Assembly appointed as follows:

(1) Six (6) members of the House of Representatives shall be appointed to the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee by the Speaker of the House of Representatives; and

(2) Six (6) members of the Senate shall be appointed to the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate.

(c) In making appointments, each appointing officer shall select members who have appropriate experience and knowledge of the issues to be examined by the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee and may consider racial, gender, and geographical diversity among the membership.

(d) The Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee shall:

(1) Review whether expenditures of lottery proceeds have been in accordance with this chapter;

(2) Review proposed rules of the Arkansas Lottery Commission;

(3) Review proposed major procurement contracts;

(4) Review reports filed with the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee by the Department of Higher Education, including without limitation reports filed under § 6-85-205 and § 6-85-219;

(5) Perform its duties under § 6-85-220; and

(6) Study other lottery matters as the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee considers necessary to fulfill its mandate.

(e)(1) By November 1 of each year, the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee shall provide to the General Assembly:

(A) Any analysis or findings resulting from its activities under this section that the committee deems relevant; and

(B) Its recommendations for any changes to the:

(i) Scholarship award amounts;

(ii) Number or type of scholarships; and

(iii) Scholarship eligibility requirements.

(2) The Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee may make interim reports to the General Assembly regarding the expenditure of net lottery revenues.

(f)(1) The President Pro Tempore of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall each designate a cochair of the committee.

(2) The committee shall meet at least quarterly upon the joint call of the cochairs of the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee.

(3) Six (6) members of the committee constitute a quorum.

(4) No action may be taken except by a majority vote at a meeting at which a quorum is present.

(g) Members of the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee are entitled to per diem and mileage at the same rate authorized by law for attendance at meetings of interim committees of the General Assembly and shall be paid from the same source.

23-115-1102. Filing of information with Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee.

(a) It is the intent of the General Assembly that the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee perform the monitoring and oversight functions of the Legislative Council for the Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(b) All contracts, rules, reports, or other information required by law to be filed by the commission with the Legislative Council:

(1) Shall not be filed with the Legislative Council; and

(2) Shall be filed with the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee.

(c) The Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee shall perform all duties or functions of the Legislative Council required by law concerning the contracts, rules, reports, or other information filed with the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee under subsection (b) of this section.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code 5-66-110(a), concerning the prohibition on the game of keno, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) ~~If~~ Except as provided in the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery Act, § 23-115-101 et seq., if any person sets up or exhibits, or causes to be set up or exhibited, or aids or assists in setting up or exhibiting in any county, city, or town in the state, any gaming device commonly known and designated as “keno” or any similar device, by any other name or without a name, any person so setting up or exhibiting the gaming device, or aiding or assisting in exhibiting or setting up the gaming device, is guilty of a misdemeanor.

(2) On indictment and conviction before the circuit court or on conviction before a justice of the peace, the person shall be fined in any sum not less than two hundred dollars ($200) for benefit of the common school fund.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code Title 5, Chapter 66, Subchapter 1 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

5-66-120. Application to Arkansas Scholarship Lottery Act.

This subchapter does not apply to a lottery under the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery Act, § 23-115-101 et seq.

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 82, Subchapter 10 is repealed.

~~6-82-1001. Legislative findings and declarations of public necessity.~~

~~The General Assembly hereby recognizes that taking the proper course work in high school is essential for success in college. Arkansas high school students who complete the recommended precollegiate or technical preparation core curriculum score significantly higher on standardized preadmissions tests and are more likely to be successful in college. Because the State of Arkansas also benefits from the academic success of well-prepared college students, there is hereby established the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program, a college scholarship plan to promote academic achievement and encourage academically prepared Arkansas high school graduates to enroll in the state's colleges and universities and to encourage students to enter the field of teaching for the purpose of teaching in subject matter areas of critical teacher shortage or in geographical areas of critical teacher shortage in the state.~~

~~6-82-1002. Definitions.~~

~~As used in this subchapter:~~

~~(1) "Approved institution" means a publicly supported or private, nonprofit postsecondary institution with its primary headquarters located in Arkansas that is eligible to receive Title IV federal student aid funds or any nursing school with its primary headquarters located in Arkansas that is eligible to participate in Title IV federal student aid programs and has been approved by the Department of Higher Education as eligible to participate in the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program;~~

~~(2) "Eligible student" means any student who:~~

~~(A) Meets the criteria set out by this subchapter; and~~

~~(B) Is deemed to be eligible by rules and regulations authorized by this subchapter and promulgated by the Department of Higher Education;~~

~~(3) "Financial need" means the family income of program applicants as determined by the Department of Higher Education through evaluation of program applications and supporting documentation;~~

~~(4)(A) "Full-time undergraduate student" means a resident of Arkansas who attends an approved institution of higher education and who is enrolled for at least twelve (12) credit hours the first semester and fifteen (15) credit hours thereafter or the equivalent, as defined by the Department of Higher Education, in a program of study that leads to or is creditable toward a baccalaureate degree, an associate degree in nursing, or a nursing school diploma.~~

~~(B) A recipient receiving an Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship for the eighth semester shall not be required to be enrolled in fifteen (15) hours and shall be considered a "full-time undergraduate student" if the recipient is enrolled in the appropriate number of course credit hours to earn a degree at the end of that semester;~~

~~(5) "Recipient" means an applicant awarded a scholarship funded through the program;~~

~~(6) "Tuition" means charges levied for attendance at an eligible institution of higher education, including mandatory fees charged to all full-time students by an approved institution; and~~

~~(7) "Unemancipated child" or "unemancipated children" means a dependent child or dependent children as defined by the United States Department of Education for student aid purposes.~~

~~6-82-1003. Creation.~~

~~There is hereby created and established the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program.~~

~~6-82-1004. Authority of Department of Higher Education.~~

~~(a) The Department of Higher Education is authorized by this subchapter to develop and promulgate rules and regulations for the administration of the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program, consistent with the purposes and requirements of this subchapter.~~

~~(b) The rules and regulations shall include student eligibility criteria based on the provisions of this subchapter, the method for selecting scholarship recipients, rules for determining continuing eligibility, procedures for making payment to recipients, and such other administrative procedures which may be necessary for the implementation and operation of the program.~~

~~(c) The Department of Higher Education is authorized to expend each year for data processing and other administrative costs of this program up to one and five-tenths percent (1.5%) of the amount appropriated for the programs.~~

~~(d) Applicants must certify that they are drug-free and must pledge in writing on the application form to refrain from the use or abuse of illegal substances in order to maintain eligibility for this program.~~

~~(e)(1) The Department of Education and the Department of Higher Education are directed to develop appropriate informational materials on the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program and to ensure their distribution to Arkansas students in grades seven through twelve (7-12) each year as part of the packet of materials on precollegiate preparation distributed by the Department of Education as mandated by § 6-61-217.~~

~~(2) This shall be accomplished through the use of school counselors or other appropriate school personnel.~~

~~(f) The Director of the Department of Higher Education is authorized to review and evaluate the operation of the program with regard to eligibility criteria and size of the scholarship award to ensure that the program's operation meets the intent of this legislation.~~

~~(g) The Department of Higher Education is authorized to determine the necessary procedures for the awarding of scholarships should the number of eligible applicants exceed the funds available.~~

~~(h) The Department of Higher Education shall report to the General Assembly annually regarding the implementation of the provisions of this subchapter.~~

~~6-82-1005. Eligibility.~~

~~(a) Eligibility for the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program shall be based on the criteria set forth in this section as well as program rules and regulations adopted pursuant to this subchapter by the Department of Higher Education.~~

~~(b) An applicant shall be eligible for an award from this program if the applicant meets all of these criteria:~~

~~(1) The applicant graduated from an Arkansas high school on or after March 5, 1991;~~

~~(2) The applicant has been a resident of the State of Arkansas for at least twelve (12) months prior to graduation from an Arkansas high school, and the applicant's parent or parents or guardian or guardians have maintained Arkansas residency for the same period of time;~~

~~(3) The applicant is a citizen of the United States or is a permanent resident alien;~~

~~(4) The applicant is accepted for admission at an approved institution of higher education as a full-time first-time freshman as defined by the department and enrolls in an approved institution within twelve (12) months of the applicant's high school graduation;~~

~~(5)(A)(i) Except as provided in subdivision (b)(5)(B) of this section, the applicant has successfully completed the core curriculum established by the State Board of Education and the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board pursuant to § 6-61-217.~~

~~(ii) An applicant who graduates from an Arkansas high school after December 31, 2001, but before December 1, 2009, and who meets the provisions of subdivisions (b)(1)-(4) of this section but who has not completed the core curriculum defined in this subdivision (b)(5)(A) by the end of the senior year of high school due to the unavailability of the courses in the applicant's high school shall have a grace period of twelve (12) months from the date of high school graduation in which to make up any course deficiencies required for program eligibility.~~

~~(B) An applicant who graduates from an Arkansas high school after December 31, 2009, shall have:~~

~~(i) Successfully completed the Smart Core Curriculum as established by the Department of Education; and~~

~~(ii)(a) Demonstrated proficiency in the application of knowledge and skills in reading and writing literacy and mathematics by passing the end-of-course examinations as may be developed by the Department of Education and as may be designated by the Department of Higher Education for this purpose.~~

~~(b) "End-of-course" examinations means those examinations defined in § 6-15-419;~~

~~(6)(A) The applicant who graduates from an Arkansas high school after December 31, 2001, must have achieved the following:~~

~~(i) A grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale in the set of core curriculum courses if enrolling at an approved four-year institution; or~~

~~(ii) A grade point average of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale in the set of core curriculum courses if enrolling at an approved two-year institution; and~~

~~(iii)(a) These revised grade point average requirements may be reduced to no lower than a 2.5 on a 4.0 scale by a rules change by the Department of Higher Education if it is determined by the department, based on the most recent evaluation of the program's operation, that the change to a 3.0 or 2.75 grade point average on a 4.0 scale would unduly reduce the number of low-income or disadvantaged students who would otherwise be eligible for the program.~~

~~(b) At the Department of Higher Education's discretion, the Department of Higher Education may make such a reduction for admissions to institutions with a high percentage of students receiving full Pell Grants upon petition to the Department of Higher Education by the institution.~~

~~(B) The applicant scored nineteen (19) or above on the American College Test composite or the equivalent as defined by the Department of Higher Education.~~

~~(C)(i) The Department of Higher Education is authorized to develop selection criteria through program rules and regulations that combine an applicant's American College Test or equivalent score and grade point average in the core curriculum into a selection index.~~

~~(ii) Notwithstanding the provisions of subdivisions (b)(6)(A) and (b)(6)(B) of this section, this selection index shall be employed as an alternative selection process for applicants who achieve a grade point average above 2.75 if attending an approved two-year institution or 3.0 if attending a four-year institution on a 4.0 scale in the set of core curriculum courses defined in subdivision (b)(5)(A) of this section or for applicants who have an American College Test composite or equivalent score greater than nineteen (19).~~

~~(D)(i) The applicant demonstrates financial need as defined by the department.~~

~~(ii) In calculating financial need for applicants who graduate from an Arkansas high school after December 31, 1998, but before January 1, 2001, the following criteria shall be used:~~

~~(a) An applicant whose family includes one (1) unemancipated child shall have average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding seventy thousand dollars ($70,000) per year at the time of application to the program;~~

~~(b) An applicant whose family includes two (2) unemancipated children shall have average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding seventy-five thousand dollars ($75,000) per year at the time of application to the program;~~

~~(c) An applicant whose family includes three (3) or more unemancipated children shall have average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding eighty thousand dollars ($80,000) per year at the time of application to the program, plus for families with more than three (3) unemancipated children, an additional five thousand dollars ($5,000) per year for each additional child;~~

~~(d) Any applicant whose family includes more than one (1) unemancipated child enrolled full time at an approved institution of higher education shall be entitled to an additional ten thousand dollars ($10,000) of adjusted gross income for each additional child when the department calculates financial need; and~~

~~(e) If the applicant is an adopted child who was at least twelve (12) years of age at the time of adoption and if the applicant's family includes unemancipated adopted children who were at least twelve (12) years of age at the time of adoption, the adoptive family shall be entitled to an additional ten thousand dollars ($10,000) of adjusted gross income per adopted unemancipated child.~~

~~(iii) In calculating financial need for applicants who graduated from an Arkansas high school after December 31, 2000, but before December 31, 2004, the following criteria shall be used:~~

~~(a) An applicant whose family includes one (1) unemancipated child shall have average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) per year at the time of application to the program;~~

~~(b) An applicant whose family includes two (2) unemancipated children shall have average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding fifty-five thousand dollars ($55,000) per year at the time of application to the program;~~

~~(c) An applicant whose family includes three (3) or more unemancipated children shall have average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding sixty thousand dollars ($60,000) per year at the time of application to the program, plus for families with more than three (3) unemancipated children an additional five thousand dollars ($5,000) per year for each additional child; and~~

~~(d) Any applicant whose family includes more than one (1) unemancipated child enrolled full time at an approved institution of higher education shall be entitled to an additional ten thousand dollars ($10,000) of adjusted gross income for each additional unemancipated child enrolled full time at an approved institution of higher education when the Department of Higher Education calculates financial need.~~

~~(iv) In calculating financial need for applicants who graduate from an Arkansas high school after December 31, 2006, a Free Application for Federal Student Aid or a subsequent application required by the United States Department of Education for federal financial aid shall be filed by the applicant or other proof of family income as defined by the Department of Higher Education. The following criteria shall be used:~~

~~(a) An applicant whose family includes one (1) unemancipated child shall have an average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding sixty-five thousand dollars ($65,000) per year at the time of application to the program;~~

~~(b) An applicant whose family includes two (2) unemancipated children shall have an average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding seventy thousand dollars ($70,000) per year at the time of application to the program;~~

~~(c) An applicant whose family includes three (3) or more unemancipated children shall have an average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding seventy-five thousand dollars ($75,000) per year at the time of application to the program, plus for families with more than three (3) unemancipated children, an additional five thousand dollars ($5,000) per year for each additional child; and~~

~~(d) Any applicant whose family includes more than one (1) unemancipated child enrolled full time at an approved institution of higher education shall be entitled to an additional ten thousand dollars ($10,000) of adjusted gross income for each additional unemancipated child enrolled full time at an approved institution of higher education when the Department of Higher Education calculates financial need.~~

~~(c)(1) The Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board shall have the authority to increase these financial need family income limitations if sufficient additional funds become available.~~

~~(2) Financial need criteria necessary for the selection of recipients, including those defined as emancipated or independent by federal student aid regulations, shall be established through rules and regulations issued by the department.~~

~~(d) Recipients of Arkansas Governor's Distinguished Scholarships are prohibited from receiving Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarships.~~

~~(e) As an additional component to the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship:~~

~~(1) Each applicant for the scholarship shall agree that for each year the scholarship is awarded he or she may volunteer to serve as a literacy tutor for a minimum of twenty (20) clock hours each semester in a public school or a faith-based educational institution serving students in prekindergarten through grade six (PreK-6);~~

~~(2) A recipient who agrees to volunteer as a literacy tutor:~~

~~(A) Shall complete the prerequisite training in literacy and college readiness skills provided under § 6-82-1006(d) before he or she begins tutoring; and~~

~~(B) May receive college credit for the tutoring as determined by the institution of higher education awarding the scholarship; and~~

~~(3) An enrolled college student who participates in the tutorial program and fails to meet the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship academic eligibility requirement for the fall or spring semester shall be given the probationary opportunity during the subsequent spring or summer term to continue his or her education and improve academic performance prior to losing scholarship funding in the subsequent semester.~~

~~6-82-1006. Duration — Amount.~~

~~(a) A recipient who graduated from high school before January 1, 2001, shall receive a scholarship for one (1) academic year renewable for up to three (3) additional academic years if the recipient meets continuing eligibility criteria established by the Department of Higher Education and if sufficient funds are available for that purpose.~~

~~(b) A recipient who graduated from high school after December 31, 2000, shall receive a scholarship for one (1) academic year renewable for up to three (3)~~

~~additional academic years if the recipient meets the following continuing eligibility criteria:~~

~~(1) The recipient earns a cumulative grade point average of 2.75 or above on a 4.0 scale at an approved institution;~~

~~(2) The recipient has completed a total of at least twenty-seven (27) hours during the first full academic year and a total of at least thirty (30) hours per academic year thereafter; and~~

~~(3) The recipient meets any other continuing eligibility criteria established by the department.~~

~~(c)(1) For recipients who graduated from high school between January 1, 1995, and December 31, 1996, the amount of the annual scholarship awarded to each recipient shall be the lesser of one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500) or the annual tuition charged by the approved institution in which the recipient is enrolled.~~

~~(2) For recipients who graduated from high school between January 1, 1997, and December 31, 1998, the amount of the annual scholarship awarded to each recipient shall be the lesser of two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500) or the annual tuition charged by the approved institution in which the recipient is enrolled.~~

~~(3) For recipients who graduated from high school after December 31, 1998, the amount of the annual scholarship awarded to each recipient shall be two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500).~~

~~(4) Beginning with awards made for the 2005-2006 academic year for recipients who graduated from high school after December 31, 2001, the amount of the annual scholarship awarded to each recipient shall be graduated as follows:~~

~~(A) A recipient in his or her freshman year shall be awarded an amount not to exceed two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500);~~

~~(B) A recipient in his or her sophomore year shall be awarded an amount not to exceed two thousand seven hundred fifty dollars ($2,750);~~

~~(C) A recipient in his or her junior year shall be awarded an amount not to exceed three thousand dollars ($3,000); and~~

~~(D) A recipient in his or her senior year shall be awarded an amount not to exceed three thousand five hundred dollars ($3,500).~~

~~(d)(1) A recipient who agrees to volunteer as a literacy tutor under § 6-82-1005(e) shall receive the prerequisite training in literacy and college readiness from an accredited Arkansas institution of higher education.~~

~~(2) The Department of Education shall develop the training modules for the prerequisite literacy training.~~

~~6-82-1007. Nursing school eligibility.~~

~~(a)(1) The General Assembly recognizes that the State of Arkansas is experiencing a critical shortage of nurses; and~~

~~(2) It is the intent of this section to allow the Department of Higher Education the opportunity to include associate degree granting and diploma schools of nursing in the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program under specific circumstances.~~

~~(b) The department shall make awards to applicants attending either an associate degree or diploma school preparing registered nurses that is approved by the Arkansas State Board of Nursing and which would not otherwise be an approved institution of higher education if:~~

~~(1) The applicant has qualified for an Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship and is simultaneously enrolled in an approved two-year college or a four-year college or university prior to or at the time of entry into the nursing school and the applicant then transfers the scholarship to an approved school of nursing after completing the two-year requirements as set forth by the department's rules and regulations;~~

~~(2) The nursing school has been approved by the Arkansas State Board of Nursing and is specifically recognized by the department as a school of nursing eligible to participate in the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program; and~~

~~(3) The recipient meets continuing eligibility requirements in § 6-82-1006.~~

~~(c) The scholarships awarded to recipients under this section shall be subject to § 6-18-1004(g)~~.

~~(d) The Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board and the department shall promulgate regulations necessary for the implementation of this section.~~

~~6-82-1008. Awards not funded.~~

~~(a)(1) Any applicant who graduated after December 31, 2001, who was eligible to receive an academic challenge award but did not receive the award because of insufficient funding in the program may be eligible to receive an award to begin in a year other than the freshman year.~~

~~(2) Any student enrolled in an institution of higher education must have achieved at least a 2.0 cumulative grade point average to be eligible for a deferred award.~~

~~(b) The Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board and the Department of Higher Education shall promulgate regulations necessary for the implementation of this section.~~

~~(c) Any award made under this section shall have funding priority as follows:~~

~~(1) Awards shall be made first to individuals who made application prior to the original deadline during the individual's senior year in high school, received an award letter from the department but did not receive an award because of insufficient funding, and are now eligible under this section;~~

~~(2) Awards shall be made, second, to the current-year high school graduates who are for the first time eligible to receive an Arkansas Academic Challenge Award; and~~

~~(3) If sufficient funds are available after funding awards under subdivisions (c)(1) and (c)(2) of this section, awards may be made to individuals who did not apply during their senior year in high school but would have been eligible if the individuals had applied prior to that year's deadline and who are now eligible under this section.~~

~~6-82-1009. Priority for teaching commitment.~~

~~(a) During times of funding shortages under the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program, the Department of Higher Education shall give a priority to awards to applicants meeting all eligibility requirements under the program who agree to accept a forgivable loan, as set forth in this section in lieu of a scholarship, and who agree to:~~

~~(1) Teach, as required under § 6-82-1010, in a subject matter area designated by the Department of Education as having a critical shortage of teachers; or~~

~~(2) Teach, as required under § 6-82-1010, in a geographical area of the state designated by the Department of Education as having a critical shortage of teachers.~~

~~(b) The Department of Higher Education shall make awards under this subchapter as follows:~~

~~(1) First, to applicants who agree to the provisions of § 6-82-1009; and~~

~~(2) Second, to applicants eligible under § 6-82-1005(b).~~

~~(c) Forgivable loans awarded under this section shall be paid from appropriations to the program.~~

~~6-82-1010. Teaching requirements.~~

~~(a)(1) At the beginning of the first school year in which a recipient of a forgivable loan under § 6-82-1009 is eligible for employment as a licensed teacher, that recipient shall begin to render service as a licensed teacher in a public school district in the state:~~

~~(A) In a subject matter area designated by the Department of Education as having a critical shortage of teachers if the recipient's award was made under § 6-82-1009(a)(1); or~~

~~(B) In a geographical area of the state designated by the Department of Education as having a critical shortage of teachers if the recipient's award was made under § 6-82-1009(a)(2).~~

~~(2)(A) Any recipient receiving a forgivable loan under § 6-82-1009 who received four (4) annual awards, or the equivalent of four (4) annual awards, shall render four (4) years' service as a licensed teacher.~~

~~(B) Any person who received a forgivable loan under § 6-82-1009 in an amount less than four (4) annual awards, or the equivalent of four (4) annual awards, shall render one (1) year's service as a licensed teacher for each year that the person received a full-time student forgivable loan or for the number of academic hours equivalent to one (1) school year, as determined by the Department of Higher Education, for which a part-time student received a forgivable loan.~~

~~(b) Any person receiving a forgivable loan shall execute a note made payable to the Department of Higher Education for an amount equal to the scholarship award each semester that shall bear interest at a rate to be determined by the Department of Higher Education and set forth in the note after completion of the program or immediately after termination of the forgivable loan, whichever is earlier.~~

~~(c) Any person failing to complete a program of study which will enable the person to become a licensed teacher shall begin repaying the note according to the terms of the note for the sum of all forgivable loan awards made to that person less the corresponding amount of any awards for which service has been rendered.~~

~~(d)(1)(A) Except as provided in subdivision (d)(1)(B) of this section, any person failing to complete the teaching obligation as required by this subchapter shall become immediately liable to the Department of Higher Education for the sum of all forgivable loan awards made to that person less the corresponding amount of any awards for which service has been rendered according to the note's terms.~~

~~(B) The Department of Higher Education may defer payment on the note if an employment position is not immediately available upon a teacher's completion of licensure requirements or for other just cause as determined by the Department of Education.~~

~~(C) After the period of deferral, the person shall begin or resume teaching duties as required under this section or shall become liable to the Department of Higher Education under this section.~~

~~(e) If a claim for payment under this section is placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, the obligor shall be liable for an additional amount equal to a reasonable attorney's fee.~~

~~(f) The obligations made by the recipient of a forgivable loan under § 6-82-1009 and this section shall not be voidable by reason of the age of the student at the time of receiving the forgivable loan award.~~

~~6-82-1011. End-of-course assessment requirements.~~

~~The Department of Higher Education may recognize a sub-score of nineteen (19) or higher in the applicable subject area on the American College Test as meeting the requirements for passing end-of-course examinations under the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program and the Arkansas Governor's Scholars Program for a student who:~~

~~(1) Has not had an opportunity to take an end-of-course examination;~~

~~(2) Has not passed the end-of-course examination; or~~

~~(3) Is attending a private school or home school.~~

SECTION 5. Arkansas Code Title 6 is amended to add an additional chapter to read as follows:

CHAPTER 85
ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

SUBCHAPTER 1
ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM — PART 1

6-85-101. Legislative findings and declarations of public necessity.
The General Assembly hereby recognizes that taking the proper course work in high school is essential for success in college. Arkansas high school students who complete the recommended precollegiate or technical preparation core curriculum score significantly higher on standardized preadmissions tests and are more likely to be successful in college. Because the State of Arkansas also benefits from the academic success of well-prepared college students, there is hereby established the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program, a college scholarship plan to promote academic achievement and encourage academically prepared Arkansas high school graduates to enroll in the state's colleges and universities and to encourage students to enter the field of teaching for the purpose of teaching in subject matter areas of critical teacher shortage or in geographical areas of critical teacher shortage in the state.

6-85-102. Creation.
There is hereby created and established the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program — Part 1.

6-85-103. Applicability — expiration.
(a) This subchapter is applicable to students who:
(1) Applied for a scholarship under the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program, § 6-82-1001 et seq. [repealed] and maintain eligibility under this subchapter; or
(2) Apply for a scholarship under this subchapter for the academic year 2009-2010, receive the scholarship, and maintain eligibility thereafter.
(b) Except to the extent of the award amount under § 6-85-107(b)(2), a recipient of a scholarship under this subchapter shall not receive an additional scholarship under the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program — Part 2, § 6-85-201 et seq.
(c) This subchapter will expire on June 30, 2015.

6-85-104. Definitions.
As used in this subchapter:
(1) "Approved institution" means an institution of higher education approved by the Department of Higher Education to participate in the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program that is either:
(A) A state-supported institution of higher education;
(B) A private, nonprofit institution of higher education with its primary headquarters located in Arkansas that is eligible to receive Title IV federal student aid funds; or
(C) A nursing school with its primary headquarters located in Arkansas that is eligible to participate in Title IV federal student aid programs and has been;
(2) "Eligible student" means any student who:

(A) Meets the criteria set out by this subchapter; and

(B) Is deemed to be eligible by rules authorized by this subchapter and promulgated by the Department of Higher Education;

(3) "Financial need" means the family income of program applicants as determined by the Department of Higher Education through evaluation of program applications and supporting documentation;

(4)(A) "Full-time undergraduate student" means a resident of Arkansas who attends an approved institution and who is enrolled for at least twelve (12) credit hours the first semester and fifteen (15) credit hours thereafter or the equivalent, as defined by the Department of Higher Education, in a program of study that leads to or is creditable toward a baccalaureate degree, an associate degree in nursing, or a nursing school diploma.

(B) A recipient receiving an Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship for the eighth semester shall not be required to be enrolled in fifteen (15) hours and shall be considered a "full-time undergraduate student" if the recipient is enrolled in the appropriate number of course credit hours to earn a degree or diploma at the end of that semester;

(5) "Recipient" means an applicant awarded a scholarship funded through the program;

(6) "Tuition" means charges levied for attendance at an approved institution, including mandatory fees charged to all full-time students by an approved institution; and

(7) "Unemancipated child" means a dependent child as defined by the United States Department of Education for student aid purposes.

6-85-105. Authority of Department of Higher Education.

(a) The Department of Higher Education is authorized by this subchapter to develop and promulgate rules for the administration of the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program, consistent with the purposes and requirements of this subchapter.

(b) The rules shall include student eligibility criteria based on the provisions of this subchapter, the method for selecting scholarship recipients, rules for determining continuing eligibility, procedures for making payment to recipients, and such other administrative procedures which may be necessary for the implementation and operation of the program.

(c) Until the end of fiscal year 2011, the Department of Higher Education is authorized to expend each year for data processing and other administrative costs of this program up to one and five-tenths percent (1.5%) of the amount appropriated for the programs.

(d) Applicants must certify that they are drug-free and must pledge in writing on the application form to refrain from the use or abuse of illegal substances in order to maintain eligibility for this program.

(e)(1) The Department of Education and the Department of Higher Education are directed to develop appropriate informational materials on the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program and to ensure their distribution to Arkansas students in grades seven through twelve (7-12) each year as part of the packet of materials on precollegiate preparation distributed by the Department of Education as mandated by § 6-61-217.

(2) The distribution of information shall be accomplished through the collaboration of school counselors and other appropriate school personnel.

(f) The Director of the Department of Higher Education is authorized to review and evaluate the operation of the program with regard to eligibility criteria and size of the scholarship award to ensure that the program's operation meets the intent of this subchapter.

(g) The Department of Higher Education is authorized to determine the necessary procedures for the awarding of scholarships should the number of eligible applicants exceed the funds available.

(h) The Department of Higher Education shall report to the General Assembly annually regarding the implementation of the provisions of this subchapter.

6-85-106. Eligibility.

(a) Eligibility for the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program is based on the criteria under this section and rules promulgated under this subchapter by the Department of Higher Education.

(b) An applicant is eligible for an award from this program if the applicant meets all of these criteria:

(1) The applicant graduated from an Arkansas high school;

(2) The applicant has been a resident of the State of Arkansas for at least twelve (12) months before graduation from an Arkansas high school, and the applicant's parent or guardian has maintained Arkansas residency for the same period of time;

(3) The applicant is a citizen of the United States or is a lawful permanent resident;

(4) The applicant is accepted for admission at an approved institution as a full-time first-time freshman as defined by the department and enrolls in an approved institution within twelve (12) months of the applicant's high school graduation;

(5)(A)(i) Except as provided in subdivision (b)(5)(B) of this section, the applicant has successfully completed the core curriculum established by the State Board of Education and the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board pursuant to § 6-61-217.

(ii) An applicant who graduates from an Arkansas high school on or before December 31, 2009, and who meets the provisions of subdivisions (b)(1)-(4) of this section but who has not completed the core curriculum defined in this subdivision (b)(5)(A) by the end of the senior year of high school due to the unavailability of the courses in the applicant's high school shall have a grace period of twelve (12) months from the date of high school graduation in which to make up any course deficiencies required for program eligibility.

(B) An applicant who graduates from an Arkansas high school after December 31, 2009, shall have:

(i) Successfully completed the Smart Core Curriculum as established by the Department of Education; and

(ii)(a) Demonstrated proficiency in the application of knowledge and skills in reading and writing literacy and mathematics by passing the end-of-course assessments developed by the Department of Education.

(b) “End-of-course” assessments means those assessments defined in § 6-15-419.

(C) All applicants shall have achieved:

(i) Either:

(a) A grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale in the set of core curriculum courses if enrolling at an approved four-year institution; or

(b) A grade point average of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale in the set of core curriculum courses if enrolling at an approved two-year institution; and

(ii) A minimum composite score of nineteen (19) or higher on the American College Test or the equivalent as defined by the Department of Higher Education.

(D)(i) The grade point average requirements of subdivision (b)(5)(C) of this section may be reduced to no lower than a 2.5 on a 4.0 scale by a rules change by the Department of Higher Education if it is determined by the department, based on the most recent evaluation of the program's operation, that the change to a 3.0 or 2.75 grade point average on a 4.0 scale would unduly reduce the number of low-income or disadvantaged students who would otherwise be

eligible for the program.

(ii) At the Department of Higher Education's discretion, the Department of Higher Education may make the reduction for admissions to institutions with a high percentage of students receiving full Pell Grants upon petition to the Department of Higher Education by the institution.

(E)(i) The Department of Higher Education may develop selection criteria through program rules that combine an applicant's American College Test or equivalent score and grade point average in the core curriculum into a selection index.

(ii) Notwithstanding the provisions of subdivision (b)(5(D) of this section, this selection index shall be employed as an alternative selection process for applicants who achieve a grade point average higher than 2.75 if attending an approved two-year institution or 3.0 if attending a four-year institution on a 4.0 scale in the set of core curriculum courses defined in subdivision (b)(5)(A) of this section or for applicants who have an American College Test composite or equivalent score greater than nineteen (19).

(6)(A) An applicant shall demonstrate financial need as defined by the department.

(B) The department shall use the following criteria in calculating financial need for applicants who graduated from an Arkansas high school after December 31, 2000, but before December 31, 2004:

(i) An applicant whose family includes one (1) unemancipated child shall have average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) per year at the time of application to the program;

(ii) An applicant whose family includes two (2) unemancipated children shall have average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding fifty-five thousand dollars ($55,000) per year at the time of application to the program;

(iii) An applicant whose family includes three (3) or more unemancipated children shall have average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding sixty thousand dollars ($60,000) per year at the time of application to the program, plus for families with more than three (3) unemancipated children an additional five thousand dollars ($5,000) per year for each additional child; and

(iv) Any applicant whose family includes more than one (1) unemancipated child enrolled full time at an approved institution shall be entitled to an additional ten thousand dollars ($10,000) of adjusted gross income for each additional unemancipated child enrolled full time at an approved institution when the Department of Higher Education calculates financial need.

(C) In calculating financial need for applicants who graduate from an Arkansas high school after December 31, 2006, a Free Application for Federal Student Aid or a subsequent application required by the United States Department of Education for federal financial aid shall be filed by the applicant or other proof of family income as defined by the Department of Higher Education. The following criteria shall be used:

(i) An applicant whose family includes one (1) unemancipated child shall have an average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding sixty-five thousand dollars ($65,000) per year at the time of application to the program;

(ii) An applicant whose family includes two (2) unemancipated children shall have an average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding seventy thousand dollars ($70,000) per year at the time of application to the program;

(iii) An applicant whose family includes three (3) or more unemancipated children shall have an average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding seventy-five thousand dollars ($75,000) per year at the time of application to the program, plus for families with more than three (3) unemancipated children, an additional five thousand dollars ($5,000) per year for each additional child; and

(iv) Any applicant whose family includes more than one (1) unemancipated child enrolled full time at an approved institution of higher education shall be entitled to an additional ten thousand dollars ($10,000) of adjusted gross income for each additional unemancipated child enrolled full time at an approved institution of higher education when the Department of Higher Education calculates financial need.

(c)(1) The Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board shall have the authority to increase these financial need family income limitations if sufficient additional funds become available.

(2) Financial need criteria necessary for the selection of recipients, including those defined as emancipated or independent by federal student aid regulations, shall be established through rules issued by the department.

(d) Recipients of Arkansas Governor's Distinguished Scholarships are prohibited from receiving Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarships.

(e) As an additional component to the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship:

(1) Each applicant for the scholarship shall agree that for each year the scholarship is awarded he or she may volunteer to serve as a literacy tutor for a minimum of twenty (20) clock hours each semester in a public school or a faith-based educational institution serving students in prekindergarten through grade six (preK-6);

(2) A recipient who agrees to volunteer as a literacy tutor:

(A) Shall complete the prerequisite training in literacy and college readiness skills provided under § 6-85-107(c) before he or she begins tutoring;

(B) May receive college credit for the tutoring as determined by the institution of higher education awarding the scholarship; and

(C) Shall receive the prerequisite training in literacy and college readiness from an accredited Arkansas institution of higher education based on training modules developed by the Department of Education.

(3) An enrolled college student who participates in the tutorial program and fails to meet the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship academic eligibility requirement for the fall or spring semester shall be given the probationary opportunity during the subsequent spring or summer term to continue his or her education and improve academic performance prior to losing scholarship funding in the subsequent semester.

6-85-107. Duration — Amount.

(a) A recipient who graduated from high school after December 31, 2000, shall receive a scholarship for one (1) academic year renewable for up to three (3) additional academic years if the recipient meets the following continuing eligibility criteria:

(1) The recipient earns a cumulative grade point average of 2.75 or higher based on a 4.0 scale at an approved institution;

(2) The recipient has completed a total of at least twenty-seven (27) hours during the first full academic year and a total of at least thirty (30) hours per academic year thereafter; and

(3) The recipient meets any other continuing eligibility criteria established by the Department of Higher Education.

(b)(1) Beginning with awards made for the 2005-2006 academic year and thereafter for recipients who graduated from high school after December 31, 2001, the amount of the annual scholarship awarded to each recipient shall be graduated as follows:

(A) A recipient in his or her freshman year shall be awarded an amount not to exceed two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500);

(B) A recipient in his or her sophomore year shall be awarded an amount not to exceed two thousand seven hundred fifty dollars ($2,750);

(C) A recipient in his or her junior year shall be awarded an amount not to exceed three thousand dollars ($3,000); and

(D) A recipient in his or her senior year shall be awarded an amount not to exceed three thousand five hundred dollars ($3,500).

(2) A recipient under this subchapter shall receive the greater of the award under subdivision (b)(1) of this section or the award amount for the same academic year for a full-time recipient under the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program – Part 2, § 6-85-201 et seq.

6-85-108. Nursing school eligibility.

(a)(1) The General Assembly recognizes that the State of Arkansas is experiencing a critical shortage of nurses; and

(2) It is the intent of this section to allow the Department of Higher Education the opportunity to include associate degree granting and diploma schools of nursing in the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program under specific circumstances.

(b) The department shall make awards to applicants attending either an associate degree or diploma school preparing registered nurses that is approved by the Arkansas State Board of Nursing and which would not otherwise be an approved institution if:

(1) The applicant has qualified for an Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship and is simultaneously enrolled in an approved two-year college or a four-year college or university prior to or at the time of entry into the nursing school and the applicant then transfers the scholarship to an approved school of nursing after completing the two-year requirements as set forth by the department's rules and regulations;

(2) The nursing school has been approved by the Arkansas State Board of Nursing and is specifically recognized by the department as a school of nursing eligible to participate in the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program; and

(3) The recipient meets continuing eligibility requirements in § 6-85-106.

(c) The scholarships awarded to recipients under this section shall be subject to § 6-85-105(g).

(d) The Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board and the department shall promulgate rules necessary for the implementation of this section.

6-85-109. Priority for teaching commitment.

(a) During times of funding shortages under the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program, the Department of Higher Education shall give a priority to awards to applicants meeting all eligibility requirements under the program who agree to accept a forgivable loan, as set forth in this section in lieu of a scholarship, and who agree to teach, as required under § 6-85-110, in a:

(1) Subject matter area designated by the Department of Education as having a critical shortage of teachers; or

(2) Geographical area of the state designated by the Department of Education as having a critical shortage of teachers.

(b) The Department of Higher Education shall make awards under this subchapter as follows:

(1) First, to applicants who agree to the provisions of this section; and
(2) Second, to applicants eligible under § 6-85-106(b).
(c) Forgivable loans awarded under this section shall be paid from appropriations to the program.

6-85-110. Teaching requirements.
(a)(1) At the beginning of the first school year in which a recipient of a forgivable loan under § 6-85-109 is eligible for employment as a licensed teacher, that recipient shall begin to render service as a licensed teacher in a public school district in the state:
(A) In a subject matter area designated by the Department of Education as having a critical shortage of teachers if the recipient's award was made under § 6-85-109(a)(1); or
(B) In a geographical area of the state designated by the Department of Education as having a critical shortage of teachers if the recipient's award was made under § 6-85-109(a)(2).
(2)(A) Any recipient receiving a forgivable loan under § 6-85-109 who received four (4) annual awards, or the equivalent of four (4) annual awards, shall render four (4) years' service as a licensed teacher.
(B) Any person who received a forgivable loan under § 6-85-109 in an amount less than four (4) annual awards, or the equivalent of four (4) annual awards, shall render one (1) year's service as a licensed teacher for each year that the person received a full-time student forgivable loan or for the number of academic hours equivalent to one (1) school year, as determined by the Department of Higher Education, for which a part-time student received a forgivable loan.
(b) Any person receiving a forgivable loan shall execute a note made payable to the Department of Higher Education for an amount equal to the scholarship award each semester that shall bear interest at a rate to be determined by the Department of Higher Education and set forth in the note after completion of the program or immediately after termination of the forgivable loan, whichever is earlier.
(c) Any person failing to complete a program of study which will enable the person to become a licensed teacher shall begin repaying the note according to the terms of the note for the sum of all forgivable loan awards made to that person less the corresponding amount of any awards for which service has been rendered.
(d)(1) Except as provided in subdivision (d)(2) of this section, any person failing to complete the teaching obligation as required by this subchapter shall become immediately liable to the Department of Higher Education for the sum of all forgivable loan awards made to that person less the corresponding amount of any awards for which service has been rendered according to the note's terms.
(2) The Department of Higher Education may defer payment on the note if an employment position is not immediately available upon a teacher's completion of licensure requirements or for other just cause as determined by the Department of Education.
(3) After the period of deferral, the person shall begin or resume teaching duties as required under this section or shall become liable to the Department of Higher Education under this section.
(e) If a claim for payment under this section is placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, the obligor shall be liable for an additional amount equal to a reasonable attorney's fee.
(f) The obligations made by the recipient of a forgivable loan under § 6-85-109 and this section shall not be voidable by reason of the age of the student at the time of receiving the forgivable loan award.

6-85-111. End-of-course assessment requirements.

The Department of Higher Education may recognize a sub-score of nineteen (19) or higher in the applicable subject area on the American College Test as meeting the requirements for passing end-of-course assessments under the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program and the Arkansas Governor's Scholars Program for a student who:

(1) Has not had an opportunity to take an end-of-course assessment;

(2) Has not passed the end-of-course assessment; or

(3) Is attending a private school or home school.

SUBCHAPTER 2

ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM — PART 2

6-85-201. Findings.

The General Assembly finds that:

(1) In approving Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 87, the citizens of this state provided an opportunity to increase the resources provided for higher education scholarships and grants through a state lottery; and

(2) The net proceeds from the state lottery, in addition to existing nonlottery state educational resources for scholarships and grants, will:

(A) Encourage associate degree recipients and university juniors to complete a baccalaureate degree;

(B) Provide opportunities for students more than one (1) year out of high school to enter or reenter higher education;

(C) Provide an improved system of communication to students and parents about opportunities for higher education scholarships and grants in Arkansas; and

(D) Provide an evaluation and analysis of all state funding for scholarships and grants and how the funding advances the state’s goals for higher education.

6-85-202. Creation.

The Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program — Part 2 is hereby created and established.

6-85-203. Applicability.

(a) This subchapter is applicable to students who apply for a scholarship under the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program — Part 2 for the academic year 2010-2011 and each academic year thereafter.

(b) Except to the extent of an award amount under § 6-85-107(b)(2), a recipient of a scholarship under the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program — Part 1, § 6-85-101 et seq., is not eligible for an additional scholarship under this subchapter.

(c) Recipients of Arkansas Governor's Distinguished Scholarships are prohibited from receiving Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarships under this subchapter.

6-85-204. Definitions.

As used in this subchapter:

(1) "ACT" means the ACT Assessment administered by ACT, Inc.;

(2) “ACT equivalent” means the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT), COMPASS, Accuplacer, or other nationally normed test that is correlated with the ACT and approved by the Department of Higher Education for use by institutions of higher education to assess a person’s college readiness;

(3) "Approved institution of higher education" means an institution of higher education approved by the Department of Higher Education to participate in the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship — Part 2 and that is:

(A) A state-supported two-year or four-year college or university; or

(B) A private, nonprofit two-year or four-year college or university with its primary headquarters located in Arkansas that is eligible to receive Title IV federal student aid funds;

(4) "General Educational Development test" means a test measuring the knowledge and skills usually learned in high school that is administered by a state-approved institution or organization;

(5) "High school grade point average" means the numbered grade average on a student's high school transcript calculated using the first seven (7) of the last eight (8) semesters the student completed prior to graduating high school;

(6) "Lawful permanent resident" means a non-United States citizen who resides in the United States under a legally recognized and lawfully recorded permanent residence and who may receive state public benefits under 8 U.S.C. § 1622;

(7) "Net proceeds from the state lottery" means lottery proceeds less operating expenses, as defined in § 23-115-103;

(8) "Nonlottery state educational resources" means the funding available for state-supported scholarships and grants for students enrolled in two-year and four-year institutions of higher education in this state that:

(A) The General Assembly makes available from general revenue to the Higher Education Grants Fund Account without consideration of the availability of proceeds from the state lottery; and

(B) The Department of Finance and Administration estimates is available for distribution to the Department of Higher Education Grants Fund Account during a fiscal year from the Educational Excellence Trust Fund;

(9) "Nontraditional student" means a student who is not a traditional student;

(10) "Personally identifiable student data" means any information that, alone or in combination with other available information, is linked or linkable to a specific student that would allow a reasonable person in the school community to identify the student with reasonable certainty;

(11) "Postsecondary grade point average" means the cumulative numbered grade average for college credit courses as calculated using a 4.0 scale;

(12) "Qualified certificate program" means a program that is:

(A) Offered by an approved institution of higher education;

(B) Shorter in duration than an associate degree for which credit hours are awarded that are creditable toward an associate degree; and

(C) Recognized by the United States Department of Education for financial aid purposes;

(13) "Recipient" means an applicant awarded a scholarship funded through the program; and

(14) "State-supported student financial assistance" means:

(A) A state-supported scholarship or grant awarded by the Department of Higher Education; and

(B) A scholarship or grant awarded by an institution of higher education in whole or in part by public funds, including without limitation:

(i) Scholarships awarded on the basis of entrance exam scores or high school academic achievement;

(ii) Tuition waivers based on age, military service, occupation, or other factors;

(iii) Out-of-state tuition waivers for undergraduate students from contiguous states in close proximity to a college or university;

(iv) Scholarships for transfers from two-year institutions;

(v) Performance scholarships for band, musical performing groups, arts, theater, forensics, and similar activities that are not awarded on the basis of entrance exam scores or high school academic achievement; and

(vi) Any other publicly-funded program under which students are not charged by the institution of higher education for tuition, fees, books, or other costs of attendance;

(15) "Traditional student" means a student who will enter postsecondary education as a full-time first-time freshman within twelve (12) months after graduating from high school and remains continuously enrolled.

6-85-205. Authority and duties of the Department of Higher Education.

(a)(1) The Department of Higher Education shall develop and promulgate rules for the administration of the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program, consistent with the purposes and requirements of this subchapter.

(2) At least ten (10) business days before the date the Department of Higher Education files with the Bureau of Legislative Research under § 25-15-204 a proposed rule or proposed change to a rule promulgated under this subchapter, the Department of Higher Education shall file a copy of the proposed rule or proposed change to a rule with the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee.

(b) The rules developed and promulgated by the Department of Higher Education under this section shall pertain to:

(1) Student eligibility criteria based on the provisions of this subchapter

(2) The method for selecting scholarship recipients, rules for determining continuing eligibility;

(3) The procedures for making payment to an approved institution of higher where the recipient is enrolled; and

(4) Other administrative procedures that may be necessary for the implementation and operation of the program.

(c) The Department of Higher Education shall implement a complete financial aid management system that uses a single application form that may be accessed as a web-based application for all Arkansas state and lottery-funded student financial assistance administered by the Department of Higher Education, including:

(1) Scholarships awarded under this subchapter or other state law that are funded with net proceeds from the state lottery; and

(2) Scholarships, grants, or other financial assistance for higher education students funded with nonlottery state educational resources.

(d)(1) The Department of Education and the Department of Higher Education are directed to develop appropriate informational materials on the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program and to ensure distribution of the materials to Arkansas students in grade seven through grade twelve (7-12) each year as a part of the packet of materials on precollegiate preparation distributed by the Department of Education as required by § 6-61-217.

(2) The distribution of materials shall be accomplished through the collaboration of school counselors and other appropriate public school or Department of Higher Education personnel.

(e) The Director of the Department of Higher Education shall review and evaluate the operation of the program with regard to eligibility criteria and size of the scholarship award to ensure that the program's operation meets the intent of this subchapter.

(f) The Department of Higher Education may determine the necessary procedures for the awarding of scholarships if the number of eligible applicants exceed the funds available based on the criteria under this subchapter.

(g)(l) The Department of Higher Education shall report to the General Assembly annually regarding the implementation of this subchapter.

(2) By August 1 of each year, the Department of Higher Education shall provide to the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee an unaudited financial report on the administration of the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program for the fiscal year just ended.

6-85-206. Basic eligibility requirements.

The basic requirements for an applicant to be eligible for an award from the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program — Part 2 are:

(1)(A) The applicant has been an Arkansas resident for at least the twelve (12) months immediately preceding the date the applicant will enroll in an approved institution of higher education, and if the applicant is less than eighteen (18) years of age, the applicant's parent or guardian has maintained Arkansas residency for the same period of time.

(B) To be considered an Arkansas resident, an applicant shall demonstrate residency by evidence deemed sufficient to the Department of Higher Education, including without limitation information provided by the applicant on the Free Application for Federal Student Aid or a subsequent application required by the United States Department of Education for federal financial aid;

(2) The applicant is a citizen of the United States or is a lawful permanent resident;

(3)(A) The applicant is accepted for admission at an approved institution of higher education as a full-time student or part-time student in a program of study that leads to or is creditable toward:

(i) A baccalaureate degree;

(ii) An associate degree;

(iii) A certificate from a qualified certificate program; or

(iv) A nursing school diploma or associate degree under § 6-85-213.

(B) A full-time student shall complete at least twelve (12) semester hours the first semester and fifteen (15) semester hours thereafter or the equivalent, as defined by the Department of Higher Education.

(C) A part-time student shall complete at least six (6) semester hours but fewer than the minimum number of semester hours for a full-time student, as defined by the Department of Higher Education;

(4) The applicant has not earned a baccalaureate degree;

(5) The applicant does not owe a refund on a Pell Grant, a Supplemental Educational Opportunity Grant, a State Student Incentive Grant, or a Leveraging Educational Assistance Partnering Grant award;

(6) The applicant is not in default on a National Defense/Direct Student Loan, Perkins Loan, Stafford Loan, Supplemental Loan for Students, Parent Loan for Undergraduate Students, Income Contingent Loan, William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan, or Consolidated Loans Program;

(7) The applicant has not borrowed, as determined by the approved institution of higher education to be attended, in excess of the annual loan limits under the Federal Family Educational Loan Program Systems, William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan Program, Income Contingent Loan Demonstration Program, Stafford Loan Program, Parent Loan for Undergraduate Students Program, or Supplemental Loan for Students Program in the same academic year for which the student has applied for assistance under this subchapter;

(8) The applicant is not incarcerated at the time of the application for or during the time the applicant receives a scholarship under this subchapter;

(9) The applicant has complied with United States Selective Service System requirements for registration; and

(10) The applicant has completed and submitted to the United States Department of Education a Free Application for Federal Student Aid or a subsequent application required by the United States Department of Education for federal financial aid; and

(11) The applicant certifies that he or she is drug-free and pledges in writing on the application form to refrain from the use or abuse of illegal substances in order to become eligible and maintain eligibility for this program.

6-85-207. Additional eligibility requirements for traditional students.

In addition to the requirements of §6-85-206, an applicant is eligible as a traditional student if the applicant:

(1)(A) Graduated from an Arkansas public high school and has:

(i) Successfully completed the Smart Core curriculum established by the Department of Education; and

(ii) Either:

(a) Achieved a high school grade point average of at least 2.5; or

(b) Had a minimum composite score of nineteen (19) on the ACT or the equivalent score on an ACT equivalent.

(B) If the applicant did not complete the Smart Core curriculum, he or she shall have:

(i) Achieved a high school grade point average of at least 2.5 and have a minimum composite score of nineteen (19) on the ACT or the equivalent score on an ACT equivalent; or

(ii) Scored proficient or higher on all state-mandated end-of-course assessments, including without limitation, end-of-course assessments on:

(a) Algebra I;

(b) Geometry;

(c) Biology; and

(4) Literacy;

(2) Graduated from an Arkansas public high school that is annually identified in the report by the Department of Education under § 6-15-421 as a school in which twenty percent (20%) or more of the students received a letter grade of "B" or higher but did not pass the end-of-course assessment on the first attempt, and has:

(A) Successfully completed the Smart Core curriculum; and

(B) Has either:

(i) Achieved a high school grade point average of at least 2.5 and has a minimum composite score of nineteen (19) on the ACT or the equivalent score on an ACT equivalent; or

(ii) Scored proficient or higher on all state-mandated end-of-course assessments, including without limitation, end-of-course assessments on:

(a) Algebra I;

(b) Geometry;

(c) Biology; and

(d) Literacy.

(3) Has a learning disability identified under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, 20 U.S.C. § 1400 et seq., as it existed on July 1, 2009, and graduated from an Arkansas public high school but did not complete the Smart Core curriculum because the applicant's individualized education program under § 6-41-217 did not require it and has:

(A) Achieved a high school grade point average of at least 2.5 and has a minimum composite score of nineteen (19) on the ACT or the equivalent score on an ACT equivalent; or

(B) Scored proficient or higher on all state-mandated end-of-course assessments, including without limitation, end-of-course assessments on:

(i) Algebra I;
(ii) Geometry;
(iii) Biology; and
(iv) Literacy.

(4) An applicant who graduated from a private or out-of-state high school or completed a high school curriculum at a home school shall have achieved a minimum composite score of nineteen (19) on the ACT or the equivalent score on an ACT equivalent test.

6-85-208. Additional eligibility requirements for a nontraditional student.

An applicant is eligible as a nontraditional student if, in addition to the requirements of § 6-85-206, the applicant also:

(1)(A) Graduated from an Arkansas high school and achieved a 2.5 high school grade point average.

(B) A private secondary school, an out-of-state high school, and a home school do not qualify as an Arkansas high school;

(2) Had a minimum composite score of nineteen (19) on the ACT or the equivalent score on an ACT equivalent; or

(3) Completed at least twelve (12) semester hours of three-hour courses for credit at an approved institution of higher education and earned a postsecondary grade point average of at least 2.5.

6-85-209. Additional eligibility requirements for a student near completion.

In addition to the requirements of § 6-85-206, an applicant is eligible as a student near completion if at the time of applying for the scholarship the applicant:

(1) Is enrolled in a two-year or four-year approved institution of higher education;

(2) Is within twenty-five percent (25%) of the requirements for completion of an associate degree or baccalaureate degree; and

(3) Has achieved a postsecondary grade point average of at least 2.5.

6-85-210. Continuing eligibility.

(a) A recipient who meets continuing eligibility criteria under this subchapter shall receive a scholarship for one (1) academic year renewable annually until the recipient first:

(1) Earns a baccalaureate degree;

(2)(A) Attempts a total of one hundred thirty (130) semester hours in eight (8) semesters at any approved institution of higher education as an undergraduate full-time student.

(B) If the recipient's undergraduate degree requires additional hours, the Department of Higher Education shall determine the maximum period of time for renewal of the scholarship; or

(3) Attempts a total of one hundred thirty (130) semester hours in sixteen (16) semesters at any approved institution of higher education as an undergraduate part-time student.

(b) To maintain eligibility for an Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship under this subchapter, a recipient shall meet the following requirements:

(1) A recipient shall continue to meet the eligibility requirements of §§ 6-85-204 and 6-85-205 while a recipient of a scholarship under this subchapter;

(2)(A) A recipient shall meet the satisfactory academic progress standards required to receive other financial aid at the approved institution of higher education where the recipient is enrolled, as determined by the rules of the Department of Higher Education.

(B) A recipient shall be continuously enrolled unless the Department of Higher Education has approved a leave of absence for:

(i) A medical condition of the student or a member of the student's immediate family;

(ii) A personal or family emergency;

(iii) Military service under § 6-61-112;

(iv) A commitment for twelve (12) months or more for community, national, or global humanitarian service; or

(v) Any other reason approved by the Department of Higher Education.

(C) A recipient is continuously enrolled if he or she maintains enrollment at an approved institution of higher education in consecutive semesters, not including any summer term, as a:

(i) Full-time student if the student receives a scholarship under this subchapter for a full-time student; or

(ii) Part-time student if the student is receiving a scholarship under this subchapter for a part-time student;

(3) A recipient who enrolls in one (1) or more remedial courses shall complete all remedial courses required by the approved institution of higher education by the time the student completes the first thirty (30) semester hours attempted after receiving the scholarship;

(4) A recipient shall earn a postsecondary grade point average of 2.5 or higher at an approved institution;

(5) A recipient shall be admitted to and enroll in a baccalaureate degree program after attempting the lesser of:

(A) Sixty-six (66) semester hours; or

(B) The completion of an associate degree program, unless the number of hours required to complete the associate degree program exceeds sixty-six (66) semester hours, in which case, the higher number of hours for completion shall be used for this subdivision (b)(5); and

(6) A recipient shall meet any other continuing eligibility criteria established by the Department of Higher Education.

(c)(1) If a recipient becomes ineligible for the scholarship because the recipient's postsecondary grade point average no longer meets the minimum requirement for the scholarship, the recipient may regain eligibility under this subsection (c) one (1) time only.

(2) Unless the requirements of this subsection are waived by the Department of Higher Education, to regain eligibility for the scholarship:

(A) A full-time student shall complete at least fifteen (15) semester hours of three-hour courses for credit at an approved institution of higher education and achieve a 2.5 postsecondary grade point average; and

(B) A part-time student shall complete at least six (6) semester hours of three-hour courses for credit at an approved institution of higher education and achieve a 2.5 postsecondary grade point average.

(3) If a recipient is subject to losing a scholarship under this subsection due to a catastrophic event experienced by the recipient or a family member of the recipient, the department may waive the requirements of this subsection and determine the appropriate requirements for the recipient to either retain or regain the scholarship.

6-85-211. Literacy tutoring.

(a) As an additional component to the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship:

(1) Each applicant for the scholarship shall agree that for each year the scholarship is awarded he or she may volunteer to serve as a literacy tutor for a minimum of twenty (20) clock hours each semester in a public school or a faith-based educational institution serving students in prekindergarten through grade six (preK-6);

(2) A recipient who agrees to volunteer as a literacy tutor:

(A) Shall complete the prerequisite training in literacy and college readiness skills provided under this section before he or she begins tutoring; and

(B) May receive college credit for the tutoring as determined by the institution of higher education awarding the scholarship; and

(3) An enrolled college student who participates in the tutorial program and fails to meet the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship academic eligibility requirement for the fall or spring semester shall be given the probationary opportunity during the subsequent spring or summer term to continue his or her education and improve academic performance before losing scholarship funding in the subsequent semester.

(b) A recipient who agrees to volunteer as a literacy tutor under this section shall receive the prerequisite training in literacy and college readiness from an approved institution of higher education based on training modules developed by the Department of Education.

6-85-212. Scholarship award amounts.

(a)(1) The General Assembly may use net proceeds from the state lottery to fund in whole or in part all scholarships the General Assembly determines are necessary to meet the state's objective for broadening and increasing access of Arkansas citizens to higher education.

(b) Net proceeds from the state lottery used to fund scholarships under this subchapter shall:

(1) Be used exclusively for the purposes set out in Amendment 87 of the Arkansas Constitution and this subchapter; and

(2) Supplement and shall not supplant nonlottery state educational resources.

(c)(1) The award amount and number and type of scholarships to be awarded under this subsection shall remain in effect until changed by the General Assembly.

(2) It is the intent of this section to first increase the number of scholarships awarded to nontraditional students under § 6-85-208 and students near completion under § 6-85-209 before increasing award amounts.

(d) The scholarships established under this subchapter are subject to available funding and do not create for any student an entitlement to financial assistance to enable the student's attendance at an approved institution of higher education.

(e)(1) For the 2010-2011 academic year, the General Assembly shall determine the scholarship award amount by February 28, 2010, based on the amount of net proceeds from the state lottery reasonably projected to be available for scholarships in the 2010-2011 academic year.

(2) The Department of Higher Education shall award an aggregate amount of scholarship awards to nontraditional students beginning with the 2010-2011 academic year up to eight million dollars ($8,000,000) to be awarded based on the highest number of credit hours earned by the applicant or on other criteria established by the Department of Higher Education.

(3) The scholarship award for a full-time student enrolled in a two-year approved institution of higher education is one-half (1/2) of the scholarship award amount for a full-time undergraduate student enrolled in a four-year approved institution of higher education.

(4)(A) The department shall prorate the award amount for a part-time recipient by multiplying the per semester hour award amount by the number of semester hours a part-time recipient is enrolled in an academic year.

(B) The per semester hour award amount is calculated as the per-semester hour amount of an award to a traditional student based on fifteen (15) semester hours as calculated by the Department of Higher Education;

(c)(1) By November 1 of each year, the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee shall provide to the General Assembly its recommendations for any changes to the:

(A) Award amounts;

(B) Number or type of scholarships; and

(C) Eligibility requirements.

(2) The committee may base its recommendations for scholarship award amounts on the following guidelines and any additional information the committee finds relevant to making the recommendations:

Annual 2-yr institution award amount	Annual 4-yr institution award amount	If net lottery proceeds are greater than	Or equal to
$1,250	$2,500	$ 48,873,602	$ 59,883,523
$1,500	$3,000	$ 59,883,523	$ 70,893,443
$1,750	$3,500	$ 70,893,443	$ 81,903,364
$2,000	$4,000	$ 81,903,364	$ 92,913,284
$2,250	$4,500	$ 92,913,284	$103,923,205
$2,500	$5,000	$103,923,205	$114,933,125
$2,750	$5,500	$114,933,125	$125,943,046
$3,000	$6,000	$125,943,046	

(d) After the 2010-2011 academic year, the determination of the amount of net proceeds from the state lottery available for each semester is based on the Arkansas Lottery Commission's certification of net proceeds made in July of the immediately preceding calendar year.

(e) The department shall ensure that sufficient funds remain available to pay for scholarship awards through anticipated completion of the degree or certificate a recipient is seeking and report the balance of those funds to the General Assembly before the amount of awards under this subchapter are increased by the General Assembly.

(f) All awards under this subchapter are subject to the prohibition under § 6-80-105 against using public funds in a student financial package in excess of the recognized cost of attendance at the institution where the student is enrolled.

(g)(1) If the department has less than a sufficient amount to provide for the scholarship commitments under this subchapter, the department first shall use the department's Scholarships and Grants Contingency Appropriation to fund the shortfall.

(2) The department then shall give priority for continued financial support under this subchapter to a recipient who has continuing eligibility superior to first-time applicants.

(3) If the funding is still insufficient to fully fund the scholarships created under this subchapter, the department shall award scholarships after considering:

(A) Applicants with the highest number of semester hours completed;

(B) Applicants with the highest high school or postsecondary grade point average, as applicable to the applicant; and

(C) Applicants who are enrolled in or intend to enroll in an program of study that is:

(i) In an area of critical workforce need as determined by the department; or

(ii) Is in a science, technology, engineering, or mathematics field.

6-85-213. Nursing school eligibility.

(a)(1) The General Assembly recognizes that the State of Arkansas is experiencing a critical shortage of nurses; and

(2) It is the intent of this section to allow the Department of Higher Education the opportunity to include associate degree granting and diploma schools of nursing in the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program under specific circumstances.

(b)(1) The department shall make awards to applicants attending either an associate degree or diploma school preparing registered nurses that is approved by the Arkansas State Board of Nursing and which would not otherwise be an approved institution of higher education if:

(A) The applicant has qualified for an Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship and is simultaneously enrolled in an approved two-year college or a four-year college or university before or at the time of entry into the nursing school and the applicant then transfers the scholarship to an approved school of nursing after completing the two-year requirements under the department's rules;

(B) The nursing school has been approved by the board and is specifically recognized by the department as a school of nursing eligible to participate in the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program; and

(C) The recipient meets continuing eligibility requirements in § 6-85-210.

(2) The department shall pay scholarship awards under this section only from nonlottery state educational resources.

6-85-214. Accountability — Transparency — Legislative oversight.

(a) The General Assembly finds that:

(1) The continual evaluation of the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program and of all state-supported scholarship and grant programs by the General Assembly is critical for maximizing the benefits to the state and its citizens of state financial aid for higher education and meeting state objectives for higher education; and

(2) Accountability and transparency in the implementation of state-supported scholarship programs are fundamental to a proper evaluation of the programs.

(b) The General Assembly finds that the collection of data and the reports provided for under §§ 6-85-215 and 6-85-219 are necessary to ensure accountability and transparency.

6-85-215. Student consent form.

(a)(1)(A) A student receiving any state-supported student financial assistance for which an institution of higher education is required to provide information under this section shall complete and sign a consent form authorizing the release of the student's individual personal information to the Bureau of Legislative Research and authorizing:

(i) The institution of higher education to provide the bureau with academic progress information for the scholarship recipient; and

(ii) The department to release the student’s individual personal information to the bureau.

(B) If a student is less than eighteen (18) years of age, the student’s parent shall complete and sign the consent form.

(2)(A) The student may opt out of the release of information. A decision to opt out applies only to the release of information pursuant to this section and does not apply to information released under any other section of this subchapter or under any other law.

(B) In order to provide better statistical data, each institution shall report the number of students who opt out.

(3) The consent form shall state that:

(i) The purpose for the bureau collecting data is to guide the General Assembly's evaluation of the need for adjustments to scholarship program eligibility and funding levels;

(ii) Personally identifiable information will not be released by the bureau or the department; and

(iii) The student may opt out of the release of information, and that opting out will not affect the student's eligibility for a scholarship.

(4) The form shall list the categories of information authorized for release under this section.

(5) The Director of the Bureau of Legislative Research may:

(A) Seek an opinion from Family Policy Compliance Office of the United States Department of Education concerning the student consent requirement and opt-out under this section; or

(B) Request the department to seek the opinion on behalf of the bureau.

(b) The information consented to be released by the student shall include:

(1) A unique student identifier;

(2) Status for PELL grant;

(3) Postsecondary grade point average;

(4) Number of semester hours attempted;

(5) Number of semester hours completed;

(6) Gender, race, ethnicity, and age;

(7) High school graduated from or General Educational Development test score;

(8) High school grade point average; and

(9) ACT score or ACT equivalent test score, if available.

(c) This section does not apply to scholarships or other forms of student financial assistance that are completely privately funded.

(d) Approved institutions of higher education shall undertake any procedures necessary to ensure the collection of the information under this section and shall provide it to the Bureau of Legislative Research in a mutually agreed upon electronic format by November 1 of each school year for students awarded for that academic year state-supported student financial assistance.

(e)(1) The student data provided to the bureau under this section are not subject to release under the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq.

(2) The bureau shall not release any personally identifiable student data received under this section.

(f) The bureau shall inform the department of any data used in the preparation of reports and provide the department at least two (2) working days to review any student-related data used in preparation of reports before publicly releasing that student-related data without personally identifiable information.

6-85-216. Institution report to the department.

(a)(1) An approved institution of higher education that enrolls students receiving scholarships under this subchapter annually shall provide information, and semiannually provide updated information, to the Department of Higher Education regarding all state-supported student financial assistance whether or not awarded under this subchapter.

(2) The information shall be provided in the form of individual student records and shall include without limitation information regarding;

(A) State-supported student financial assistance;

(B) Demographic student data; and

(C) Disaggregated data on remedial courses;

(b) The department shall establish by rule the:

(1) Specific data required;
(2) Manner of reporting the information required; and
(3) Technology or software required for reporting.
(c) The department shall use the information provided under this section to conduct the research and analysis needed to support the annual report of the director to the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee under § 6-85-205.

6-85-217. Information provided to the bureau by the department.
(a)(1) The Department of Higher Education shall provide to the Bureau of Legislative Research the following data when requested for the purpose of assisting the General Assembly with evaluation and analysis under this subchapter:
(A) Existing individual student data;
(B) Institutional data;
(C) Financial data;
(D) Aggregate student scholarship and grant application and award data; and
(E) Other data needed to track scholarship and grant students from year to year.
(b)(1) To maintain confidentiality of individual student records in accordance with the Family Educational Right to Privacy Act, 20 U.S.C. § 1232(g), the department shall establish a system for removing or recoding any personally identifiable data in student records that are used by the bureau for research and evaluation of scholarships and grants funded with net proceeds from the state lottery and those funded with nonlottery state educational resources.
(2) The bureau shall assist the department by providing input concerning the development or modification of the system.
(3)(A) The Director of the Bureau of Legislative Research may seek an opinion from Family Policy Compliance Office of the United States Department of Education concerning the department's system, any proposed modification of the system, or any request for information made by the bureau under this section.
(B) The director may request the department to seek the opinion on behalf of the bureau.
(c) The department shall make its staff reasonably accessible for consultation with the bureau's staff in developing and responding appropriately to bureau requests under this section.
(d)(1) The department shall provide data to the bureau in a database or spreadsheet format.
(2) The department shall provide other information and records requested by the bureau as soon as possible and in whatever reasonable form requested.
(e)(1) The student data provided to the bureau under this section are not subject to release under the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq.
(2) The bureau shall not release any personally identifiable student data received under this section.
(f) The bureau's staff shall inform the department of any data used in the preparation of reports and provide the department at least two (2) working days to review any student-related data used in preparation of reports before publicly releasing that student-related data without personally identifiable information.

6-85-218. Reports to legislative committees.
(a)(1) Quarterly during fiscal years 2010 and 2011, the Department of Higher Education shall report to the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee:
(A) The information required by subsection (b) of this section to the extent the information is available;

(B) The costs of administering scholarships funded with net proceeds from the state lottery;

(C) Projected levels of state funding for scholarships and grants;

(D) Recommendations for changes to the program, including without limitation, adjustments to eligibility requirements of the program and award levels; and

(E) Other data the committee or the General Assembly may require.

(2) The Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee may specify criteria related to any item of information required by this section.

(b)(1) Annually by July 1, the department shall report to the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee in the manner and format that the committee requires on all state-supported student financial assistance awarded by the department and awarded by approved institutions of higher education.

(2) The information provided shall include without limitation:

(A) Current year expenditures for scholarships and grants under the program;

(B) Projected obligations for succeeding years from each scholarship or grant funding source;

(C) Fund balances for the:

(i) Higher Education Grants Fund Account; and

(ii) Trust account maintained by the Director of the Department of Higher Education to hold the net proceeds from the state lottery;

(D) An evaluation of whether the net proceeds from the state lottery available for the program supplements and does not supplant nonlottery state educational resources;

(F) Recommendations for changes to the program, including without limitation:

(i) Adjustments to the eligibility requirements of the program; and

(ii) Increases or decreases in the amounts awarded for an Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship based on the amount of net proceeds from the state lottery available; and

(H) Any other information that the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee or the General Assembly may request.

(c) The department shall report to the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee, the House Committee on Education, the Senate Committee on Education, and the Joint Budget Committee on the compliance with § 6-85-217 by each approved institution of higher education.

(d) The Bureau of Legislative Research shall report to the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee, the House Committee on Education, the Senate Committee on Education, and the Joint Budget Committee on:

(1) The compliance with § 6-85-216 by approved institutions of higher education; and

(2) The status of reporting by the department under § 6-85-218.

6-85-219. Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee - Annual report.

(a) The Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee shall:

(1) Oversee the development and implementation of state statutory requirements with regard to the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program;

(2) Review whether and how the use of net state lottery proceeds helps to accomplish state objectives for higher education;

(3) Review the ongoing data collection, research, and evaluation of the program;

(4) Review the annual report of the Director of the Department of Higher Education under this section;

(5) Review and recommend changes to the:

(A) Number of awards for each scholarship and grant;

(B) Award levels;

(C) Eligibility requirements; and

(D) Overall administration of the program; and

(6) Review and recommend policies for scholarships and grants funded with nonlottery state educational resources, including without limitation ways to ensure that net proceeds from the state lottery are used to supplement and not supplant nonlottery state educational resources.

(b) By November 1 of each year, the committee shall report its findings and recommendations to the Arkansas Lottery Commission, the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the Governor, the House Committee on Education, and the Senate Committee on Education.

SECTION 6. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 5, Subchapter 4 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

6-5-405. Professional development for higher education awareness.

(a) As used in this section, “state-supported student financial assistance” means:

(1) A state-supported scholarship or grant awarded by the Department of Higher Education; and

(2) A scholarship, grant, or tuition waiver awarded by an institution of higher education funded in whole or in part with public funds.

(b) Beginning with the 2009 calendar year, professional development on the availability of, eligibility requirements for, and the process of applying for state-supported student financial assistance shall be required for:

(1) All public school superintendents and assistant superintendents; and

(2) The following licensed personnel at a public school where students are enrolled in grade seven through grade twelve (7-12):

(A) Principals;

(B) Assistant principals; and

(C) Guidance counselors.

(c)(1) The first course shall be a three-hour course to be taken within calendar year 2009, or within the first year of employment.

(2) After the first three-hour course is completed, a one-hour course is required to be completed annually.

(d) The professional development hours required under this section shall be counted toward the sixty (60) hours of the professional development required for licensed school personnel under the Standards for Accreditation of Arkansas Public Schools and School Districts.

SECTION 7. TEMPORARY. DO NOT CODIFY. The General Assembly requests that:

(1) The Arkansas Education Association, in cooperation with the Department of Higher Education, provide three (3) hours of professional development on the availability of, eligibility requirements for, and the process of applying for state-supported student financial assistance for higher education at the association's annual convention, beginning with the 2009 annual convention;

(2) The Arkansas School Boards Association provide continuing education on the availability of, eligibility requirements for, and the process of applying for s state-supported student financial assistance for higher education at its meetings; and

(3) The Arkansas Education Television Network, in coordination with the Department of Higher Education, prepare a program of three (3) hours of professional development to be available during 2009 covering the availability, eligibility requirements for, and the process of applying for state-supported student financial assistance for higher education.

SECTION 8. TEMPORARY. DO NOT CODIFY.

(a) The Director of the Department of Higher Education shall determine the amount of excess net proceeds from the state lottery by calculating the difference between:

(1) The amount committed to scholarships awarded under the Academic Challenge Scholarship Program — Part 1 and the scholarships for traditional students and nontraditional students under the Academic Challenge Scholarship Program — Part 2; and

(2) The amount of net proceeds from the state lottery reasonably projected for the 2010-2011 academic year as determined by the director after consultation with the Arkansas Lottery Commission. Legislative Oversight Committee, the House Committee on Education, and the Senate Committee on Education.

(b) The amount of excess net proceeds from the state lottery shall only be available for one (1) or more of the following:

(1) Awarding scholarships to students near completion;

(2) Increasing state-supported student financial assistance under the Higher Education Opportunities Grant Program, § 6-82-1601 et seq. and the Workforce Improvement Grant Program, § 6-82-1501 et seq., or other state-supported student financial assistance programs for nontraditional students; or

(3) Establishing a reserve fund.

(c) By July 15, 2010, the Director of the Department of Higher Education shall prepare a report on the projected distribution of excess net proceeds from the state lottery based on:

(1) The award amounts set by the General Assembly in February 2010 under this act;

(2) The amount of excess net proceeds from the state lottery reasonably projected to be available for funding scholarships under this act;

(3) The number of applications accepted for the 2010-2011 academic year under this act;

(4) The number of applicants on the waiting lists for scholarships to be awarded under this act;

(5) Of the applicants on the waiting list, whether the applicants are traditional students, nontraditional students, or students near completion;

(d) The director shall provide the report to the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee, the House Committee on Education, and the Senate Committee on Education for review.

(e)(1) The department shall maintain a list of students near completion and shall award scholarships first in order of those nearest completion.

(2) The amount of the award per student per year shall be determined by dividing the number of hours until completion by thirty (30) and multiplying by the amount the legislature sets for the award for baccalaureate students.

(3) The amount of the award for associate degree students shall be determined by dividing the number of hours until completion by fifteen (15) and multiplying by the amount the legislature sets for two-year students.

SECTION 9. Arkansas Code § 6-61-220(b), concerning the reporting of students who require remediation in their first year of postsecondary education, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(3)(A) For the purpose of analysis by the Bureau of Legislative Research to guide the General Assembly's evaluation of the need for adjustments to eligibility and funding levels for state-supported student financial assistance, the Office of Accountability of the Department of Education shall provide annually to the bureau all individual student demographic and test result data on ACT or ACT equivalent college placement exams.

(B) The office shall provide the data in a database or spreadsheet format that omits personally identifiable information.

SECTION 10. Arkansas Code § 10-3-314 is amended to read as follows:

10-3-314. Report on claim filed with State Claims Commission.

(a) ~~It~~ Except as provided by subsection (b) of this section, it is the intent of the General Assembly that when any state agency, board, commission, or institution of higher education admits liability to a claim filed with the State Claims Commission and the claim involves a contract with a state agency, board, commission, or institution of higher education or the claim exceeds seven thousand five hundred dollars ($7,500) that such agency, board, commission, or institution of higher education file a written report thereof with the Litigation Subcommittee of the Legislative Council. The report shall include a concise statement of facts with an explanation of the agency's liability. Provided further, such report shall be filed with the litigation subcommittee within thirty (30) days after the claim has been adjudicated by the State Claims Commission.

(b) The Arkansas Lottery Commission shall file its written report under subsection (a) of this section with the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee.

SECTION 11. Arkansas Code § 26-18-1001 is amended to read as follows:

26-18-1001. Business closure authority — Notice.

(a) In addition to all other remedies provided by law for the collection of unpaid taxes, the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration may close the business of a noncompliant taxpayer as defined by § 26-18-104, subject to the administrative and judicial appeal procedures in this subchapter, if the noncompliant taxpayer for three (3) times within any consecutive twenty-four-month period fails to either:

(1) Report gross receipts or compensating use tax in the manner required by Arkansas law; or

(2) Remit gross receipts or compensating use tax for the reporting period that the tax is due.

(b)(1) The director shall give notice to the noncompliant taxpayer that the third delinquency in reporting or remitting tax in any consecutive twenty-four-month period will result in the closure of the business.

(2) The notice must be in writing and delivered to the noncompliant taxpayer by the United States Postal Service or by hand delivery.

(c)(1) If the noncompliant taxpayer has a third delinquency in reporting or remitting tax in any consecutive twenty-four-month period after the issuance of the notice provided in subsection (b) of this section, the director shall notify the noncompliant taxpayer by certified mail or by hand delivery that the business will be closed within five (5) business days from the date of the notice unless the noncompliant taxpayer makes arrangements with the director to satisfy the tax delinquency.

(2) When the fifth day falls on a Saturday, Sunday, or legal holiday, the performance of the act is considered timely if it is performed on the next succeeding business day that is not a Saturday, Sunday, or legal holiday.

(d) A noncompliant taxpayer may avoid closure of the business by:

(1) Filing all delinquent reports and by remitting the delinquent tax including any interest and penalty; or

(2) Entering into a payment agreement approved by the director to satisfy the tax delinquency.

(e) After written notice delivered to a lottery retailer by the United States Postal Service or by hand delivery, the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration may pursue a remedy under this subchapter against a lottery retailer as a noncompliant taxpayer upon receiving a referral from the Arkansas Lottery Commission under § 23-115-605.

SECTION 12. NOT TO BE COFIDIED. Initial appointments to the Arkansas Lottery Commission under § 23-115-202 shall be made within thirty (30) days of the effective date of this act.

SECTION 13. NOT TO BE CODIFIED. REGULAR SALARIES. There is hereby established for the Arkansas Lottery Commission the following maximum number of regular employees, the grades to be assigned to the respective positions, and the maximum annual salaries for each such position. The maximum annual salary for the positions assigned to grades shall be determined in accordance with, but shall not exceed, the maximum annual amount for the grade assigned herein, as established in Arkansas Code 21-5-209. Except for the purpose of determining the maximum annual salary rate, which is to be applicable to each of the positions to which a salary grade is assigned hereinafter, in accordance with Arkansas Code 21-5-209, all positions set forth herein shall be exempt from other provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, § 21-5-201 et seq., or its successor, but shall not be exempt from the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act, § 21-5-101 et seq. or its successor.

Item No.	Class Code	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2009-2010
(01)		LOTTERY CMSN EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	1	$141,603
(02)		LOTTERY CMSN INTERNAL AUDITOR	1	$141,603
(03)		LOTTERY CMSN CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER	1	$126,050
(04)		LOTTERY CMSN INFORMATION TECH DIR	1	GRADE N912
(05)		LOTTERY CMSN ADMIN & OPERATIONS DIR	1	GRADE N912
(06)		LOTTERY CMSN CHIEF LEGAL COUNSEL	1	GRADE N910
(07)		LOTTERY CMSN CHIEF FISCAL OFFICER	1	GRADE N910
(08)		LOTTERY CMSM MARKETING & PROD DEV DIR	1	GRADE N909
(09)		LOTTERY CMSN SALES/RETAIL RELATIONS DIR	1	GRADE N909
(10)		LOTTERY CMSN PROCUREMENT DIRECTOR	1	GRADE N908
(11)		LOTTERY CMSN ADMIN ANALYST	2	GRADE C115
(12)		LOTTERY CMSN ADMIN SUPPORT SUPERVISOR	2	GRADE C113
(13)		LOTTERY CMSN ADMIN SUPPORT SPEC III	6	GRADE C112

SECTION 14. NOT TO BE CODIFIED. SPECIAL SALARY ALLOWANCES – ARKANSAS LOTTERY COMMISSION ADMINISTRATION. (a) The Arkansas Lottery Commission, upon approval of the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee, may make special salary allowances authorized by this section in amounts as the commission may determine equitable in view of the exacting duties which are involved as a part of the salary of the:

(1) Executive Director of the commission;

(2) Internal Auditor of the commission; and

(3) Chief Operating Officer of the commission.

(b) An allowance under subsection (a) of this section shall not exceed an amount equal to two and one half (2 & 1/2) times the salary for the position authorized by the General Assembly.

SECTION 15. NOT TO BE CODIFIED. ARKANSAS LOTTERY COMMISSION EXPANSION POSITION POOL. (a) The Arkansas Lottery Commission is authorized an expansion pool of sixty (60) positions not to exceed the career service grade C130 and fifteen (15) positions not to exceed the professional and executive grade N922 to be used to establish additional positions of the proper title and salary if the commission does not have sufficient positions available to address growth needs.

(b) A position established under this section shall not exceed a salary rate in excess of the highest rate established by grade or by line item in this act.

(c) No position shall be authorized from the expansion pool until the specific positions that are requested by the commission are reviewed by the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee.

(d) When seeking review of positions by the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee under this section, the commission shall provide an organization chart indicating the current structure of the commission and its employees.

(e)(1) The requirement of review by the committee prior to authorizing positions from the expansion pool is not a severable part of this section.

(2) If the requirement of review by the committee is ruled unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, Section 15 of this act is void.

SECTION 16. NOT TO BE CODIFIED. If any provision of this act or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the invalidity does not affect other provisions or applications of this act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this act are severable under § 1-2-117.

SECTION 17. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that the people of the State of Arkansas overwhelmingly approved the establishment of state lotteries at the 2008 General Election, that state lotteries will provide funding for scholarships to citizens of this state, and that the state lotteries should be implemented as soon as possible to effectuate the will of the citizens of this state and implement lottery-funded scholarships as soon as possible. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or

(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

(SIGNED) SENATOR T. SMITH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 26

Amend Senate Bill No. 26 as originally introduced:

Substitute the language in the bill for 6-85-207(2) with:

"(2) Graduated from an Arkansas public high school that is annually identified in the report by the Department of Education under § 6-15-421 as a school in which twenty percent (20%) or more of the students received a letter grade of "B" or higher but did not pass the end-of-course assessment on the first attempt, whether or not the applicant completed the Smart Core curriculum, has achieved a high school grade point average of at least 2.5 and either:

(A) Has a minimum composite score of nineteen (19) on the ACT or the equivalent score on an ACT equivalent; or

(B) Scored proficient or higher on all state-mandated end-of-course assessments, including without limitation, end-of-course assessments on:

(i) Algebra I;

(ii) Geometry;

(iii) Biology; and

(iv) Literacy."

(SIGNED) SENATOR T. SMITH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 26 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 934 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 934

Amend Senate Bill No. 934 as originally introduced:
Add Representatives Hoyt, Reynolds as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 1, line 9, delete "THE"

AND

Page 1, line 17, delete "THE"

AND

Page 1, delete line 22 and substitute the following:
"FUND."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 10 and 11 and substitute the following:
"Agriculture Department may pay a milk producer the following incentive"

(SIGNED) SENATOR D. WYATT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 934 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, House Bill No. 1451 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1451

Amend House Bill No. 1451 as engrossed, S3/10/09:

Page 2, delete line 4 and substitute the following:

"(B) "Dairy products" includes without limitation:

(i) Butter;

(ii) Cheese;

(iii) Cultured milk products;

(iv) Fluid milk; and

(v) Ice cream.

(C) "Dairy products" does not include a dairy product that"

AND

Page 3, delete SECTION 2 in its entirety

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE BRYLES

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1451 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Resolution No. 15 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 15
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

SENATE RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING ADVISORY, MOCK LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS CONCERNING DISABILITY ISSUES AND AUTHORIZING ASSISTANCE TO CONDUCT THE MOCK LEGISLATIVE SESSIONS.

Senate Resolution No. 15 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Resolution No. 12 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 12
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

SENATE RESOLUTION TO SUPPORT THE ARKANSAS WHOLE CHILD INITIATIVE.

Senate Resolution No. 12 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Resolution No. 13 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 13
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

SENATE RESOLUTION COMMENDING THE ARKANSAS AGING INITIATIVE FOR ITS STATEWIDE PROGRAM OF COMPREHENSIVE GERIATRIC HEALTH CARE AND EDUCATION FOR SENIOR CITIZENS LIVING IN RURAL ARKANSAS.

Senate Resolution No. 13 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Resolution No. 14 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 14
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS J. JEFFRESS, G. JEFFRESS, SALMON & G. BAKER

SENATE RESOLUTION PROCLAIMING MARCH 2009 AS MUSIC IN OUR SCHOOLS MONTH.

Senate Resolution No. 14 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Horn, Senate Bill No. 875 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 875

Amend Senate Bill No. 875 as originally introduced:

Add Senators Faris, Altes, Trusty as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Delete all the language after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1: Arkansas Code § 26-52-319(a), concerning natural gas and electricity used by manufacturers, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) Beginning July 1, 2007, in lieu of the gross receipts or gross proceeds tax levied in §§ 26-52-301 and 26-52-302(a)-(d), there is levied an excise tax on the gross receipts or gross proceeds derived from the sale of natural gas and electricity to a manufacturer for use directly in the actual manufacturing process at the rate of four and three-eighths percent (4.375%).

(2) Beginning July 1, 2008, the tax rate levied in subdivision (a)(1) of this section shall be imposed at the rate of three and seven-~~eights~~ eighths percent (3.875%).

(3)(A) Beginning July 1, 2009, the tax rate levied in subdivision (a)(1) of this section shall be imposed at the rate of three and one-eighth percent (3.125%).

(B)(i) The Director of the Department of Finance and Administration shall monitor the amount of tax savings received by all taxpayers as a result of the reduction in the tax rate from that levied in §§ 26-52-301 and 26-52-302 to that levied in subdivision (a)(3)(A) of this section.

(ii) When the director determines that the amount of tax savings resulting from the determination described in subdivision (a)(3)(B)(i) of this section plus any use tax savings described in § 26-53-148(a)(3)(B) would reach twenty-seven million dollars ($27,000,000) during a fiscal year, the director shall not process any further refund claims through a refund process during the fiscal year for taxpayers seeking to claim the reduced tax rate provided by this section. The amount of twenty-seven million dollars ($27,000,000) is intended to cover the accumulated but unclaimed reduction of sales and use tax on natural gas and electricity as provided by Act 185 of 2007 (Ark. Code 26-52-319 and Ark. Code 26-53-148) as well as the additional reduction provided by this Act.

(iii) If the director determines that discontinuing refund payments, as provided in subdivision (a)(3)(B)(ii) of this section, is insufficient to prevent the amount of tax savings from exceeding twenty-seven million dollars ($27,000,000) during a fiscal year, the director may decline to accept any amended return filed by a taxpayer to claim an overpayment resulting from the reduced tax rate provided by this section, for a period other than the period for which a tax return is currently due.

(C)(i) Refund requests and amended returns filed with the director to claim the overpayment resulting from the reduced rate in subdivision (a)(3)(A) of this section shall be processed in the order they are received by the Director. A taxpayer that does not receive a refund after the refund and amended return process has ceased under subdivision (a)(3)(B) of this section shall be given priority to receive a refund during the subsequent fiscal year. The unpaid refunds

from the prior fiscal year shall be processed before any refund claims filed in the current fiscal year to claim the benefit of this section.

(ii) The statute of limitations for refunds and amended returns under § 26-18-306(h)(i)(1)(A) is extended for one (1) year to allow the payment of a refund under the process provided in subdivision (a)(3)(C)(i) of this section.

~~(3)~~(4) The taxes levied in this subsection (a) shall be distributed as follows:

(A) Seventy-six and six-tenths percent (76.6%) of the tax, interest, penalties, and costs received by the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration shall be deposited as general revenues;

(B) Eight and five-tenths percent (8.5%) of the tax, interest, penalties, and costs received by the director shall be deposited into the Property Tax Relief Trust Fund; and

(C) Fourteen and nine-tenths percent (14.9%) of the tax, interest, penalties, and costs received by the director shall be deposited into the Educational Adequacy Fund.

~~(4)~~(5)(A) The excise tax levied in this section applies only to natural gas and electricity sold for use directly in the actual manufacturing process.

(B) Natural gas and electricity sold for any other purpose shall be subject to the full gross receipts or gross proceeds tax levied under §§ 26-52-301 and 26-52-302(a)-(d).

~~(5)~~(6) The excise tax levied in this section shall be collected, reported, and paid in the same manner and at the same time as is prescribed by law for the collection, reporting, and payment of all other Arkansas gross receipts taxes.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 26-53-148 is amended to read as follows:

26-53-148. Natural gas and electricity used by manufacturers.

(a)(1) Beginning July 1, 2007, in lieu of the tax levied in §§ 26-53-106 and 26-53-107(a)-(d), there is levied an excise tax on the sales price of natural gas and electricity purchased by a manufacturer for use directly in the actual manufacturing process at the rate of four and three-eighths percent (4.375%).

(2) Beginning July 1, 2008, the tax rate levied in subdivision (a)(1) of this section shall be imposed at the rate of three and seven-eights percent (3.875%).

(3)(A) Beginning July 1, 2009, the tax rate levied in subdivision (a)(1) of this section shall be imposed at the rate of three and one-eighth percent (3.125%).

(B)(i) The Director of the Department of Finance and Administration shall monitor the amount of tax savings received by all taxpayers as a result of the reduction in the tax rate from that levied in §§ 26-53-106 and 26-53-107 to that levied in subdivision (a)(3)(A) of this section.

(ii) When the director determines that the amount of tax savings resulting from the determination described in subdivision (a)(3)(B)(i) of this section plus any gross receipts tax savings described in § 26-52-319(a)(3)(B) would reach twenty-seven million dollars ($27,000,000) during a fiscal year, the director shall not process any further refund claims through a refund process during the fiscal year for taxpayers seeking to claim the reduced tax rate provided by this section. The amount of twenty-seven million dollars ($27,000,000) is intended to cover the accumulated but unclaimed reduction of sales and use tax on natural gas and electricity as provided by Act 185 of 2007 (Ark. Code 26-52-319 and Ark. Code 26-53-148) as well as the additional reduction provided by this section.

(iii) If the director determines that discontinuing refund payments, as provided in subdivision (A)(3)(B)(ii) of this section, is insufficient to prevent the amount of tax savings from exceeding twenty-seven million dollars ($27,000,000) during a fiscal year, the director may decline to accept any amended return filed by a taxpayer to claim an overpayment resulting from the reduced tax rate provided by this section, for a period other than the period for which a tax return

is currently due.

(C)(i) Refund requests and amended returns filed with the Director of the Department of Finance to claim the overpayment resulting from the reduced rate in subdivision (a)(3)(A) of this section will be processed in the order they are received by the director. A taxpayer that does not receive a refund after the refund and amended return process has ceased under subdivision (a)(3)(B) of this section shall be given priority to receive a refund during the subsequent fiscal year. The unpaid refunds from the prior fiscal year shall be processed before any refund claims filed in the current fiscal year to claim the benefit of this section.

(ii) The statute of limitations for refunds and amended returns under § 26-18-306(h)(i)(1)(A) is extended for one (1) year to allow the payment of a refund under the process provided in subdivision (a)(3)(C)(i) of this section.

~~(3)~~(4) The taxes levied in subsection (a) of this section shall be distributed as follows:

(A) Seventy-six and six-tenths percent (76.6%) of the tax, interest, penalties, and costs received by the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration shall be deposited as general revenues;

(B) Eight and five-tenths percent (8.5%) of the tax, interest, penalties, and costs received by the director shall be deposited into the Property Tax Relief Trust Fund; and

(C) Fourteen and nine-tenths percent (14.9%) of the tax, interest, penalties, and costs received by the director shall be deposited into the Educational Adequacy Fund.

~~(4)~~(5)(A) The excise tax levied in this section applies only to natural gas and electricity purchased for use directly in the actual manufacturing process.

(B) Natural gas and electricity purchased for any other purpose shall be subject to the full compensating use tax levied under §§ 26-53-106 and 26-53-107(a)-(d).

~~(5)~~(6) The excise tax levied in this section shall be collected, reported, and paid in the same manner and at the same time as is prescribed by law for the collection, reporting, and payment of all other Arkansas compensating use taxes.

SECTION 3. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly that manufacturers in this state have suffered losses due to sharp increases in energy costs; that these manufacturers are unable to set the price for the products they produce and are particularly vulnerable to price volatility; that the current sales and use tax on utilities consumed by these manufacturers located within this state creates a competitive disadvantage; that this act is intended to address that problem by providing a reduced tax rate on utilities consumed by manufacturers located in this state; and that this act is necessary to prevent the loss of manufacturing jobs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this act being necessary for the preservation of public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on July 1, 2009."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 875 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 882 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 882

Amend Senate Bill No. 882 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 27 and 28, and substitute:
"a defendant in specified installments, a monthly installment fee of five dollars ($5.00) shall be assessed on the defendant for making restitution"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DENNY ALTES

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 882 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 776 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 776

Amend Senate Bill No. 776 as originally introduced:

Page 4, line 20 add:
"(d) If a child has a pending case in the circuit court, a parent who files consent under subsection (b) of this section shall immediately notify the circuit court, all parties, and attorneys to the pending case."

AND

Page 4, delete line 29 and substitute "(2) "Abandonment" means ~~the failure of the parent to provide~~"

AND

Page 4, delete line 36 and substitute "(A) Failure of the parent to provide reasonable support and to maintain regular"

AND

Page 5, delete line 5 and substitute "(B) An articulated intent to forego parental"

AND

Page 14, line 32, delete "time the" and substitute "time of the birth of a"

AND

Page 14, line 33, delete "child is born, indicates" and insert "child,"

AND

Page 17, line 28, delete "or assault" and substitute "~~or assault~~"

AND

Page 18, line 12, delete "offender" and substitute "offender under § 9-27-356"

AND

Page 18, line 13, delete "§ 9-27-356" and substitute "~~§ 9-27-356~~ § 9-27-309"

AND

Page 19, line 6, delete "voyeurism; or" and substitute "voyeurism."

AND

Page 22, line 3, delete "and" and substitute "or"

AND

Page 22, line 16, delete "instruction" and substitute "instruction,"

AND

Page 22, delete line 17 and substitute "~~or~~ treatment, or is working at least eighty (80) hours a month towards self-sufficiency to receive independent living or transitional services;"

AND

Page 27, line 6, delete "superintendent" and substitute "superintendent and principal"

AND

Page 27 line 12, delete ""superintendent" and substitute "superintendent and principal"

AND

Page 27, delete lines 13 through 23 and substitute:

"(3) The superintendent or principal shall provide verbal notification only to school officials who are necessary to implement the safety plan as ordered by the court to ensure student safety. This verbal notification may only be provided to assistant principals, counselors, and the school employee who is primarily responsible for the juvenile learning environment where the juvenile is currently enrolled, and bus drivers if applicable.

(4) Any school officials that receive a court order and safety plan or information concerning the court order and safety plan shall:

(A) Keep the information confidential, and shall sign a statement not to disclose the information concerning the court order and safety plan that shall be kept by the superintendent or principal along with the court order and safety plan;"

AND

Page 27, line 28, delete "as it existed on January 1, 2009"

AND

Page 27, line 32, delete "as it existed on"

AND

Page 27, line 33, delete "January 1, 2009"

AND

Page 32, line 25, delete "as follows;" and substitute "."

AND

Page 32, line 29, delete "division" and substitute "Division of Youth Services"

AND

Page 36, line 11 delete ":" and substitute "."

AND

Page 36, line 18, delete "not" and substitute "no"

AND

Page 36, line 19, delete ":" and substitute "."

AND

Page 38, line 3, delete "(6)" and substitute "(5)"

AND

Page 38, line 29, delete “SECTION 18.” and substitute “SECTION 19.”

AND

Page 39, line 7, delete “SECTION 19.” and substitute “SECTION 20.”

AND

Page 41, line 33, delete “SECTION 20.” and substitute “SECTION 21.”

AND

Page 42, line 26, delete “SECTION 21.” and substitute “SECTION 22.”

AND

Page 45, line 1, delete “SECTION 22.” and substitute “SECTION 23.”

AND

Page 45, line 7, delete “SECTION 23.” and substitute “SECTION 24.”

AND

Page 45, line 19, delete “SECTION 24.” and substitute “SECTION 25.”

AND

Page 46, line 7, delete “an” and substitute “the”

AND

Page 46, line 23, delete “SECTION 25.” and substitute “SECTION 26.”

AND

Page 47, delete lines 3 and 4 and substitute:
“(b)(1) The court shall conduct and complete a no reunification hearing within fifty (50) days of the date of written

AND

Page 48, delete lines 4 and 5 and substitute:
“(30) days unless permanency for the juvenile has been achieved”

AND

Page 48, line 13, delete “SECTION 26.” and substitute “SECTION 27.”

AND

Page 50, line 11, delete “§ 9-27-358” and substitute “§ 9-27-363”

AND

Page 50, line 19, delete “SECTION 27.” and substitute “SECTION 28.”

AND

Page 50, line 26, delete “SECTION 28.” and substitute “SECTION 29.”

AND

Page 50, line 35, delete “SECTION 29.” and substitute “SECTION 30.”

AND

Page 51, line 15, delete “is” and substitute “shall be”

AND

Page 51, line 27, delete “SECTION 30.” and substitute “SECTION 31.”

AND

Page 52, line 16, delete “officers” and substitute “officers, subject to state funding”

AND

Page 52, line 19, delete “SECTION 31.” and substitute “SECTION 32.”

AND

Page 53, line 8, delete “officers” and substitute “officers, subject to state funding”

AND

Page 53, line 11, delete “SECTION 32.” and substitute “SECTION 33.”

AND

Page 54, line 12, delete “SECTION 33.” and substitute “SECTION 34.”

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 776 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, House Bill No. 1114 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1114

Amend House Bill No. 1114 as engrossed, H1/23/09:

Page 1, line 11 delete "PASTEURIZED;" and substitute "PASTEURIZED; TO ALLOW THE STATE BOARD OF HEALTH TO MAKE RULES;"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO ALLOW THE INCIDENTAL SALE OF WHOLE MILK THAT IS NOT PASTEURIZED AND TO ALLOW THE STATE BOARD OF HEALTH TO MAKE RULES FOR THE SALE OF WHOLE MILK THAT IS NOT PASTEURIZED."

AND

Page 1 , delete line 32 add substitute the following:
"to preclude the advertising of those incidental sales ~~of goat milk~~.

"(c) With respect to whole milk that has not been pasteurized, the State Board of Health may make rules that:

(1) Provide for the random inspection of a facility that produces, processes, stores, or sells whole milk for human consumption that has not been pasteurized;

(2) Require the seller to:

(A) Post at the point of sale a warning that the whole milk has not been pasteurized; and

(B) Affix a label to the bottle or package warning that the whole milk has not been pasteurized; and

(3) Recommend guidelines for the processing, packaging, bottling, storing, and transporting of whole milk for human consumption that has not been pasteurized."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BILL PRITCHARD

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1114 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 34 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendments No. 1 and No. 2 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 34

Amend Senate Bill No. 34 as engrossed, S2/5/09:

Add Representative Hyde as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 5, delete line 2 and substitute the following:
"shall notify the plaintiff or the plaintiff's attorney of that fact and may employ, may engage, and shall"

AND

Page 5, line 4, delete "in removing" and substitute "to obtain possession and remove"

AND

Page 5, delete line 34 and substitute the following:
"police chief to do so.
(g) As used in this section, "sheriff or police chief" includes a deputy sheriff, police officer, or other law enforcement official acting at the direction of the sheriff or police chief."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE HYDE

Amendment No. 1, read and concurred in by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 34

Amend Senate Bill No. 34 as engrossed, H2/12/09:

Page 6, delete line 19 and substitute the following:
"from the premises in a civil action.

18-16-509. Immunity from civil liability.
For any action or threatened action taken to enforce a right or remedy provided by this subchapter, a landlord, a premises owner, an agent or attorney for the premises owner, and a real estate licensee as defined in § 17-42-103(10) are immune from civil liability for the breach of an express or implied covenant concerning the possession or quiet enjoyment of the leased premises."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE HYDE

Amendment Nos. 1 and 2 to Senate Bill No. 34, adopted by the House, were read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Thompson, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 34 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 34

As Engrossed: S1/22/09 S2/5/09 H2/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HYDE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE A PROCEDURE FOR THE EVICTION OF TENANTS ENGAGED IN CERTAIN GAMBLING, ALCOHOL, AND PROSTITUTION OFFENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 34 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 34 was ordered enrolled.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 847 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 847
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A STUDENT TO CONTINUE ATTENDANCE AT A NONRESIDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT IN SOME CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 847 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 847 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 143 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 143

As Engrossed: S1/27/09 S2/3/09 S2/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE LICENSURE OF EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES PERSONNEL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 143 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 143 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 73 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 73
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 26 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 73 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 73 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 333 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 333

As Engrossed: S3/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ALTES

BY: REPRESENTATIVE GLIDEWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN INCOME TAX CREDIT TO EMPLOYEES THAT DONATE UNUSED LEAVE TIME TO THE *CATASTROPHIC LEAVE BANK PROGRAM OR THE FEDERAL EMPLOYEE LEAVE TRANSFER PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER* PURPOSES.

On motion of Senator Altes Senate Bill No. 333 was pulled down at this time.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 468 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 468

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. KEY

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOPPER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT PERSONS WITH CERTAIN CRIMINAL HISTORIES FROM PURCHASING OR POSSESSING EMERGENCY LIGHTS OR SIRENS FOR A VEHICLE; TO PROHIBIT THE INSTALLATION OF EMERGENCY LIGHTS OR SIRENS ON A VEHICLE THAT APPEARS TO BE OR MIMICS A LAW ENFORCEMENT VEHICLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 468 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 468 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 437 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 437

As Engrossed: S3/5/09 S3/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE UNIFORM CLASSIFICATION AND COMPENSATION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 437 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 437, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 437 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 1002 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 1002
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE ARKANSAS MINORITY HEALTH COMMISSION AND TO EXPAND AND CLARIFY THE DUTIES OF THE COMMISSION.

Senate Bill No. 1002 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1002 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 822 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 822 was withdrawn by the author, Senator J. Jeffress.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 843 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 843
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WILLS, HAWKINS & TYLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW PRIVATE BORROWING BY STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 843 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 843 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 843, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 843 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 801 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 801 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 966 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 966

As Engrossed: S3/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE SPECULATIVE OFFERING OF EVENT TICKET SALES VIA THE INTERNET; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 966 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34
Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 966 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 825 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 825

As Engrossed: S3/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENHANCE THE PENALTY FOR PERFORMING BODY ART ON A MINOR IN AN UNLICENSED FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 825 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 825 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 866 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 866
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CORRECT THE SPELLING OF HYDROMORPHONE HYDROCHLORIDE IN THE CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 866 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 866 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 778 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 778
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE STATUTE OF IMPAIRING THE OPERATION OF A VITAL PUBLIC FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 778 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 778 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 442 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 442

As Engrossed: S3/4/09 S3/5/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS J. KEY, *TEAGUE & MADISON*

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOPPER, KIDD, *J. BURRIS, GARNER, KERR, M. MARTIN & MOORE*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT THE SALE OF RAW PRODUCTS AT A FARMERS' MARKET WHERE THE RAW PRODUCTS ARE *PRODUCED AND SOLD BY THE PRODUCER ARE EXEMPTED* FROM THE GROSS RECEIPTS TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 442 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 442, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 442 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 875, BY SENATOR HORN,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Horn, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Horn, Senate Bill No. 875 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 875
As Engrossed: S3/12/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS HORN, *FARIS, ALTES & TRUSTY*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REDUCE THE SALES AND USE TAX RATE ON UTILITIES USED BY A MANUFACTURER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 875 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: D. Johnson.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 875, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: D. Johnson.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 875 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 1325 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1325

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY, T. BAKER & PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING DISTRICT COURTS AND TERRITORIAL JURISDICTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1325 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1325 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 1493 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1493
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY, T. BAKER & PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING DISBURSEMENT OF FINES FROM DISTRICT COURTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1493 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1493 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 1384 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1384
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCLEAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE AUTHORITY OF A FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT TO BORROW FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1384 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: Altes.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1384 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1841 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1841
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT A NONPRODUCING MINERAL INTEREST HAS NO DISCERNABLE VALUE APART FROM THE VALUE OF THE FEE SIMPLE IN THE LAND FOR THE PURPOSE OF ASSESSMENT; AND OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1841 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: G. Jeffress.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1841 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1386 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1386
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW DELINQUENT PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES AND PENALTY TO BE DEDUCTED FROM THE PROCEEDS OF DELINQUENT LAND SALES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1386 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1386 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1500 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1500

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE G. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE PENALTIES UNDER THE ARKANSAS APPRAISER LICENSING AND CERTIFICATION ACT; TO PROHIBIT IMPROPERLY INFLUENCING AN APPRAISER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1500 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: Wilkinson.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1500 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 1579 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1579
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE ONLY ANNUAL REPORTS TO THE INTERIM COMMITTEES ON PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE, AND LABOR REGARDING THE TRANSITIONAL EMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1579 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1579 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 1466 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1466

As Engrossed: S3/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES T. BAKER, OVERBEY, PYLE & CARROLL

BY: *SENATOR D. WYATT*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND NOTICE PROCEDURES TO VIOLATORS OF MUNICIPAL ORDINANCES CONCERNING UNSANITARY CONDITIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1466 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1466 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Faris, House Bill No. 1111 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1111

As Engrossed: H1/22/09 H1/26/09 H2/2/09 H2/9/09 H2/19/09 S3/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES PENNARTZ, M. MARTIN, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, DAVIS, PIERCE, HOYT, WOODS, PYLE, COOK, BREEDLOVE, G. SMITH, WELLS, HYDE, S. MALONE, RAGLAND, INGRAM, RICE, MCLEAN, LEA, KING, HOPPER, GASKILL, CLEMMER, SAMPLE & STEWART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT AMENDING ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING CHARITABLE BINGO AND RAFFLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1111 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 32

NEGATIVE: Altes.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: D. Johnson.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1111, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 32

NEGATIVE: Altes.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: D. Johnson.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1111 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1589 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1589

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, COLE, ABERNATHY, NICKELS, CARNINE, CLEMMER, HOPPER, M. BURRIS, D. HUTCHINSON, T. ROGERS & G. SMITH

BY: SENATORS G. BAKER AND MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE COMPREHENSIVE ARKANSAS HIGHER EDUCATION ANNUAL REPORT; TO CONSOLIDATE ALL CURRENT LEGISLATIVELY REQUIRED REPORTS PERTAINING TO HIGHER EDUCATION SUBMITTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION, COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES, AGENCIES, BOARDS, COMMISSIONS AND ALL OTHERS, INTO ONE ANNUAL COMPREHENSIVE REPORT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1589 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1589 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 449 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 449

As Engrossed: S3/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A QUORUM COURT THAT USES A COMPUTERIZED TAX SYSTEM TO DESIGNATE THE APPROPRIATE COUNTY OFFICER TO PREPARE COUNTY TAX SETTLEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 449 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 449 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 447 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 447
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING SECOND OR SUBSEQUENT CONVICTIONS FOR POSSESSION OF A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 447 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 447 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 804 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 804
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ELECTRONIC RECORDING COMMISSION AND THE AUTOMATED RECORDS SYSTEMS FUND COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 804 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 804 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1496 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1496
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: TO PROVIDE THAT A SIGNATURE BY MARK IS BINDING AND LEGAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1496 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1496 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1403 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1403

As Engrossed: H2/17/09 S3/9/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. EDWARDS, *SHELBY & INGRAM*

BY: *SENATOR D. JOHNSON*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE UNIFORM EMERGENCY VOLUNTEER HEALTH PRACTITIONERS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1403 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1403 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Salmon, House Bill No. 1463 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1463

As Engrossed: H2/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES GREENBERG AND *REYNOLDS*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE FINANCIAL ASSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR NONMUNICIPAL DOMESTIC SEWAGE TREATMENT WORKS AND FACILITIES IN CHRONIC NONCOMPLIANCE IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1463 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1463 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Malone, House Bill No. 1559 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1559

As Engrossed: H2/27/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES REEP, *SHELBY, EVERETT, RAGLAND, OVERBEY, COOPER, ADCOCK, GEORGE, WELLS, ALLEN, GASKILL, HAWKINS, HOYT, REYNOLDS, HALL, WEBB, MAXWELL, PIERCE, ENGLISH, D. CREEKMORE, LOVELL & J. EDWARDS*

BY: SENATORS P. MALONE, STEELE, HORN, LAVERTY, CRUMBLY & BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE OPERATION OF MOBILE DENTAL FACILITIES UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1559 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1559 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Malone, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 460 at this time.

On motion of Senator Malone, Senate Bill No. 460 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 460

Amend Senate Bill No. 460 as engrossed, S2/25/09:

Page 1, delete lines 15 through 19 and substitute the following:
"AN ACT REGARDING STATE FUNDED PHARMACY BENEFIT PLANS; AND"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 23 through 25 and substitute the following:
"AN ACT REGARDING STATE FUNDED PHARMACY BENEFIT PLANS."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 34 and 35 and substitute the following:
"of State Funded Payments for Pharmacists' Services Act"."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 5 through 19 and substitute the following:
"(2) "Pharmacy benefits plan or program" means any plan or program that uses state dollars to furnish, cover the cost of, or otherwise provide for"

AND

Page 2, line 21, delete "(4)" and substitute "(3)"

AND

Page 2, line 23, delete "(5)" and substitute "(4)"

AND

Page 2, line 26, delete "(6)" and substitute "(5)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 460 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 412 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 412

Amend Senate Bill No. 412 as originally introduced:

Page 3, delete line 26 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(052)	Assistant Registrar	1	GRADE C115
(053)	Computer Support Technician	1	GRADE C115"

AND

Page 3, delete line 36 in its entirety

AND

Page 4, delete line 11 in its entirety

AND

Page 4, delete line 15 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(077)	HE Public Safety Dispatcher	1	GRADE C106
(078)	Purchasing Assistant	1	GRADE C106"

AND

Page 6, line 2 delete "C115" and substitute "C114"

AND

Page 6, line 27 delete "Administrative Specialist II" and substitute "Administrative Specialist I"

AND

Appropriately renumber the item numbers in Section 1.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 412 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 416 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 416

Amend Senate Bill no. 416 as engrossed, S3/10/09

Page 6, delete lines 20 and 21 in their entirety and substitute the following:

“(141)	Personnel Manager	1	GRADE C121
(142)	HE Public Safety Commander I	4	GRADE C120"

AND

Page 6, delete line 26 in its entirety

AND

Page 6, delete line 29 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(150)	Fiscal Support Supervisor	7	GRADE C118
(151)	Network Support Analyst	12	GRADE C118"

AND

Page 7, delete line 8 in its entirety

AND

Page 7, delete line 14 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(171)	Assistant Registrar	1	GRADE C115
(172)	Computer Support Technician	26	GRADE C115"

Page 7, line 16 delete "8" and substitute "9"

AND

Page 7, delete line 31 in its entirety

AND

Page 8, line 18 delete "7" and substitute "12"

AND

Page 8, delete line 21 in its entirety

AND

Page 8, line 29 delete "1" and substitute "7"

AND

Page 8, delete line 33 in its entirety

AND

Page 11, delete line 25 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(286)	Administrative Support Supervisor	5	GRADE C113
(287)	Human Resources Specialist	1	GRADE C113"

AND

Page 11, delete line 32 in its entirety

AND

Page 12, line 5 delete "Accounting Technician I" and substitute "Accounting Technician"

AND

Page 13, line 30 delete "Accountant" and substitute "Accountant I"

AND

Page 13, line 32 delete "C116" and substitute "C115"

AND

Page 17, delete line 30 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(450)	Assistant Registrar	2	GRADE C115
(451)	Fiscal Support Analyst	7	GRADE C115"

AND

Page 18, delete line 5 in its entirety

AND

Appropriately renumber item numbers in Section 1.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 416 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 417 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 417

Amend Senate Bill No. 417 as originally introduced:

Page 3, line 15 delete "Accounting Manager" and substitute "Accounting Operations Manager"

AND

Page 3, line 17 delete "C123" and substitute "C124"

AND

Page 3, delete line 28 in its entirety

AND

Page 3, delete line 31 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(044)	Licensed Social Worker	3	GRADE C118
(045)	Network Support Analyst	3	GRADE C118"

AND

Page 6, line 1 delete "Health Services Specialist II" and substitute "Health Services Specialist I"

AND

Page 6, delete line 7 in its entirety

AND

Page 6, delete line 12 in its entirety and substitute the following:

" (133)	Mail Services Specialist	7	GRADE C105
(134)	Shipping & Receiving Clerk	34	GRADE C105"

AND

Page 6, line 15 delete "C104" and substitute "C103"

AND

Page 6, line 16 delete "2" and substitute "4"

AND

Page 6, delete line 19 in its entirety

AND

Page 10, line 18 delete "Licensed Social Worker" and substitute "Licensed Certified Social Worker"

AND

Page 10, delete line 22 in its entirety and substitute the following:

" (169)	Computer Operator	1	GRADE C114
(170)	Staff Development Specialist	1	GRADE C114"

AND

Page 10, delete line 26 in its entirety

AND

Page 10, line 27 delete "4" and substitute "6"

AND

Page 10, delete line 29 in its entirety

AND

Appropriately renumber item numbers in Section 1.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 417 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 420 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 420

Amend Senate Bill No. 420 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 35 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(027)	Assistant Dir Student Union	1	GRADE C115
(028)	Assistant Registrar	1	GRADE C115
(029)	Bookstore Manager	1	GRADE C115"

AND

Page 3, line 3 delete "1" and substitute "2"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 4, 5, and 7 in their entirety

AND

Page 3, delete line 14 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(042)	Library Technician	1	GRADE C109
(043)	Fiscal Support Technician	1	GRADE C108"

AND

Page 3, delete line 16 in its entirety

AND

Appropriately renumber item numbers in Section 1.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 420 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 422 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 422

Amend Senate Bill No. 422 as originally introduced:

Page 4, delete line 13 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(075)	Assistant Registrar	3	GRADE C115
(076)	Fiscal Support Analyst	8	GRADE C115"

AND

Page 4, line 20 delete "Broadcast Media Specialist" and substitute "Broadcast Production Specialist"

AND

Page 4, delete line 28 in its entirety

AND

Page 5, line 18 delete "Accounting Technician I" and substitute "Accounting Technician"

AND

Page 7, line 7 delete "C113" and substitute "C115"

AND

Page 7, line 36 delete "Accounting Technician I" and substitute "Accounting Technician"

AND

Appropriately renumber the item numbers in Section 1.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 422 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 425 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 425

Amend Senate Bill No. 425 as originally introduced:

Page 3, delete line 5 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(33)	Assistant Registrar	1	GRADE C115
(34)	Financial Aid Analyst	2	GRADE C115"

AND

Page 3, delete line 7 in its entirety

AND

Page 3, line 8 delete "C113" and substitute "C115"

AND

Page 3, delete line 14 in its entirety

AND

Page 3, line 16 delete "1" and substitute "2"

AND

Appropriately renumber the item numbers in Section 1.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 425 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1531 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1531

Amend House Bill No. 1531 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 29 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(20)	Assistant Registrar	1	GRADE 115
(21)	Computer Support Technician	1	GRADE 115"

AND

Page 2, delete line 35 in its entirety

AND

Page 4, line 11 delete "C115" and substitute "C114"
AND

Page 5, line 4 delete "Financial Aid Analyst" and substitute "Financial Aid Specialist"
AND

Appropriately renumber item numbers in Section 1.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1531 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 198 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 198 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 198

As Engrossed: S2/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SUPREME COURT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 198 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: D. Johnson.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 198, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: D. Johnson.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 198 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1090 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1090 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1090
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE CONTRACTORS LICENSING BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1090 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1090, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1090 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1630 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1630 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1630

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR MISCELLANEOUS FEDERAL PROGRAM FUNDS AND PROVIDING STATE AGENCIES WITH APPROPRIATIONS FOR CASH FUNDS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1290 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1630 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1630, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1630 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1130 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1130 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1130

As Engrossed: H1/28/09 H2/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL OR THE JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE TO RECEIVE A MONTHLY REPORT FOR COMMODITIES CONTRACTS *INCLUDING SERVICES* THAT HAVE A *PROJECTED TOTAL COST OF TWO HUNDRED FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLARS ($250,000) OR MORE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1130 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1130 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7,
BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 113, BY SENATOR SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 217, BY SENATOR ALTES,
SENATE BILL NO. 226, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 252, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 284, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 354, BY SENATOR LAVERTY ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 381, BY SENATOR THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 451, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 524, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 543, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 8:30 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 7

SENATE BILL NO. 113

SENATE BILL NO. 217

SENATE BILL NO. 226

SENATE BILL NO. 252

SENATE BILL NO. 284

SENATE BILL NO. 354

SENATE BILL NO. 381

SENATE BILL NO. 451

SENATE BILL NO. 524

SENATE BILL NO. 543

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 12th day of March, 2009 at 8:30 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Marc Harrison
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12,

BY SENATOR BRYLES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 26, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,

SENATE BILL NO. 192, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 26 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 192 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12. 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 72, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 72 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 304, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,

SENATE BILL NO. 877, BY SENATOR WYATT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Crumbly, Senate Bill No. 304 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 877 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 780, BY SENATOR B. PRITCHARD ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 780 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 934, BY SENATOR D. WYATT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 934 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1451, BY REPRESENTATIVE HOYT ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Bryles, House Bill No. 1451 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 882, BY SENATOR ALTES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1114, BY REPRESENTATIVE M. MARTIN,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Pritchard, House Bill No. 1114 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 841, BY SENATOR G. BAKER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 663, BY SENATOR HORN,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. l, No. 2, and No. 3.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR HENRY "HANK" WILKINS
VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 218, BY SENATOR ALTES,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass, to concur in House Amendment No. 1 .

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR HENRY "HANK" WILKINS
VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1700, BY REPRESENTATIVE MOORE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1882, BY REPRESENTATIVE WELLS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1883, BY REPRESENTATIVE WELLS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1898, BY REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR HENRY "HANK" WILKINS
VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1573, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1644, BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1645, BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 347, BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 362, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 374, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 439, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 443, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 455, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 456, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 457, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 461, BY SENATOR GLOVER,
SENATE BILL NO. 462, BY SENATOR GLOVER,
SENATE BILL NO. 463, BY SENATOR GLOVER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 476, BY SENATOR GLOVER,
SENATE BILL NO. 477, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 478, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 480, BY SENATOR TAYLOR,
SENATE BILL NO. 481, BY SENATOR TAYLOR,
SENATE BILL NO. 482, BY SENATOR TAYLOR,
SENATE BILL NO. 487, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 497, BY SENATOR TAYLOR,
SENATE BILL NO. 506, BY SENATOR B. JOHNSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 508, BY SENATOR CAPPS,
SENATE BILL NO. 509, BY SENATOR CAPPS,
SENATE BILL NO. 514, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 517, BY SENATOR PRITCHARD,
SENATE BILL NO. 518, BY SENATOR PRITCHARD,
SENATE BILL NO. 519, BY SENATOR PRITCHARD,
SENATE BILL NO. 520, BY SENATOR PRITCHARD,
SENATE BILL NO. 521, BY SENATOR PRITCHARD,
SENATE BILL NO. 522, BY SENATOR PRITCHARD,
SENATE BILL NO. 523, BY SENATOR PRITCHARD,
SENATE BILL NO. 537, BY SENATOR PRITCHARD,
SENATE BILL NO. 538, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 539, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 540, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 542, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 570, BY SENATOR THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 571, BY SENATOR THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 572, BY SENATOR THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 573, BY SENATOR THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 574, BY SENATOR THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 575, BY SENATOR THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 576, BY SENATOR THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 580, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 585, BY SENATOR CAPPS,
SENATE BILL NO. 586, BY SENATOR CAPPS,
SENATE BILL NO. 587, BY SENATOR CAPPS,
SENATE BILL NO. 588, BY SENATOR CAPPS,
SENATE BILL NO. 589, BY SENATOR CAPPS,
SENATE BILL NO. 590, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 607, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 609, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 610, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 611, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 612, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 618, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 619, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 620, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 629, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 630, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 632, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 638, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 654, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 655, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 656, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 657, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 658, BY SENATOR FARIS ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 667, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 668, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 669, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 672, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 673, BY SENATOR B. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 675, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 676, BY SENATOR HENDREN,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 685, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 686, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 687, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 688, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 689, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 690, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 691, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 692, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 693, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 694, BY SENATOR WILKINS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 743, BY SENATOR B. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 747, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 762, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 763, BY SENATOR WILKINS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 644, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3 returned from the House as concurred in and ordered enrolled.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1014
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE SECRETARY OF THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES TO SUPPORT A VOLUTARY, MARKET-DRIVEN APPROACH TO THE NATIONAL ANIMAL IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1014 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1017
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. DICKINSON

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO ENCOURAGE SCHOOLS TO RAISE AWARENESS OF THE SACRIFICES THAT VETERANS HAVE MADE FOR OUR COUNTRY BY HAVING A SCHOOL ASSEMBLY TO COMMEMORATE VETERANS DAY AROUND THE TIME OF THE VETERANS DAY HOLIDAY.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1017 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1020
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BLOUNT, ALLEN, T. BAKER, DAVIS, FLOWERS, INGRAM, W. LEWELLEN, RAINEY, SHELBY, WILLIAMS & WORD
BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT AND STEELE

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO ENCOURAGE MORTGAGE LENDERS TO IMPOSE A NINETY-DAY MORATORIUM ON ALL RESIDENTIAL FORECLOSURE ACTIONS IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1020 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1798
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE ALL STATE AGENCIES TO POST NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS ON THE INTERNET AT LEAST THREE (3) DAYS BEFORE THE DATE OF THE MEETING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1798 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1884
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT RENAMING THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION AS THE DEPARTMENT OF CAREER EDUCATION; RENAMING THE STATE BOARD OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION AND CAREER OPPORTUNITIES AS THE STATE BOARD OF CAREER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1884 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1892
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW SCHOOLS OF COSMETOLOGY TO EXTEND THE HOURS OF INSTRUCTION DURING A SCHOOL DAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1892 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1893
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT THE APPLICATION PROCESS FOR APPROVAL OF COSMETOLOGICAL SCHOOLS IN PUBLIC EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS IS THE SAME APPLICATION PROCESS THAT IS REQUIRED FOR APPROVAL OF ALL OTHER COSMETOLOGICAL SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1893 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1906
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. COWLING, ALLEN, COLE, D. CREEKMORE, ENGLISH, GARNER, GLIDEWELL, HALL, HAWKINS, HOUSE, HOYT, INGRAM, MALOCH, MOORE, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, POWERS, REEP, T. ROGERS, SAUNDERS, G. SMITH & STEWART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO DESIGNATE THE PECAN AS THE OFFICIAL NUT OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1906 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1928
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HALL
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ELIMINATE THE MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF COLLECTION AGENCIES REPRESENTING THE CHECK CASHING INDUSTRY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1928 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1946
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES T. ROGERS AND COLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING APPOINTMENTS TO THE ARKANSAS RURAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1946 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1957
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES REEP AND MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE BOND REQUIREMENT FOR A STAMP DEPUTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1957 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1329
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY COUNTY REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING CHECKS AND ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1329 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1912
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARDY, W. LEWELLEN & HAWKINS
BY: SENATORS H. WILKINS, ALTES, G. BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, HORN, B. JOHNSON, P. MALONE, T. SMITH & TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-86-106 TO REGULATE GROUP ACCIDENT AND HEALTH INSURANCE ASSOCIATIONS; TO REQUIRE A GROUP ACCIDENT AND HEALTH INSURANCE ASSOCIATION TO REGISTER WITH THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER BEFORE ISSUING A GROUP ACCIDENT AND HEALTH INSURANCE POLICY TO THE ASSOCIATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1912 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1916
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HAWKINS, HYDE, INGRAM, GLIDEWELL, HARDY & W. LEWELLEN
BY: SENATORS H. WILKINS, ALTES, G. BAKER, BOOKOUT, HORN & T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-79-153 TO INCLUDE POLICIES COVERING ONLY SPECIFIED DISEASE, HOSPITAL INDEMNITY, OR OTHER LIMITED BENEFIT HEALTH INSURANCE POLICIES WHEN POOLING THE EXPERIENCE OF A CLOSED BLOCK OF BUSINESS TO DETERMINE PREMIUM RATE INCREASES; TO REVISE THE PROCEDURES FOR DETERMINING A CLOSED BLOCK OF BUSINESS AND PREMIUM RATE INCREASES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1916 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1936
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HYDE, HARDY, W. LEWELLEN, INGRAM, GLIDEWELL & HAWKINS
BY: SENATORS H. WILKINS, ALTES, G. BAKER, HORN & T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT ABUSES IN THE REPLACEMENT OF LIFE INSURANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1936 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1962
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WILLS, RAGLAND, ABERNATHY, ALLEN, T. BAKER, BARNETT, DAVENPORT, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, GEORGE, HOYT, LINDSEY, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, REEP, REYNOLDS, WELLS, WILLIAMS & WORD
BY: SENATORS CAPPS, B. JOHNSON, ALTES, G. BAKER, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, ELLIOTT, D. JOHNSON, J. KEY, LUKER, MADISON, P. MALONE, SALMON, R. THOMPSON, TRUSTY & WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A POST-DOCTORAL SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING GRANT PROGRAM FOR PURPOSES OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND KNOWLEDGE-BASED JOB GROWTH; TO ESTABLISH GUIDELINES FOR THE DISBURSEMENT OF GRANTS FROM THE PROGRAM; TO DESIGNATE THE ARKANSAS SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORITY AS THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1962 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1964
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE KING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ARKANSAS YOUNG AND BEGINNING FARMER ADVISORY BOARD TO LOCATE ITS OFFICES WITHIN THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1964 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2005
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT A PERSON WHO HOLDS A MINERAL LEASE SHALL NOTIFY THE OWNER OF THE MINERAL RIGHTS UPON TRANSFERRING THE MINERAL LEASE TO ANOTHER PERSON; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2005 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2029
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. BROWN
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SPECIFY CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH AGRICULTURAL LAND ACQUIRED BY A FOREIGN PARTY MUST BE REGISTERED WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2029 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2112
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HAWKINS AND REYNOLDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO BROADEN THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER'S CEASE AND DESIST POWERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2112 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2193
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PYLE AND WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO DESIGNATE THE CYNTHIANA GRAPE AS THE OFFICIAL GRAPE OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2193 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2247
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, GLIDEWELL & HOYT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CODIFY THE DUTY AND THE OBLIGATION OF A MINERAL LESSEE TO A MINERAL LESSOR; TO ALLOW THE PARTIES TO AN OIL AND GAS LEASE TO STIPULATE THE PRUDENT OPERATOR STANDARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2247 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 412, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 420, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 412 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 420 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 776, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1531, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1531 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Senate Bill No. 155 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 156 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 170 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 191 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 227 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 330 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 357 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 431 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 596 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 641 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1846
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MOORE, REYNOLDS, ABERNATHY, ALLEN, T. BAKER, T. BRADFORD, J. BROWN, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CASH, COLE, COOK, L. COWLING, DALE, DAVENPORT, J. DICKINSON, DUNN, FLOWERS, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HAWKINS, HOUSE, HOYT, HYDE, INGRAM, KIDD, KING, LINDSEY, LOVELL, MAXWELL, MCLEAN, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RICE, T. ROGERS, SAMPLE, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WORD, CHEATHAM, J. EDWARDS, MCCRARY & SHELBY
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE ECONOMIC STIMULUS THROUGH THE DEVELOPMENT AND USE OF WILDLIFE OBSERVATION TRAILS; TO CREATE THE WILDLIFE OBSERVATION TRAILS PILOT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1846 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1847
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MOORE, REYNOLDS, ABERNATHY, ALLEN, T. BAKER, T. BRADFORD, J. BROWN, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CASH, COLE, COOK, L. COWLING, DALE, DAVENPORT, J. DICKINSON, DUNN, FLOWERS, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY,

HAWKINS, HOUSE, HOYT, HYDE, INGRAM, KIDD, KING, LINDSEY, LOVELL, MAXWELL, MCLEAN, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RICE, T. ROGERS, SAMPLE, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WORD, CHEATHAM, J. EDWARDS, MCCRARY, SHELBY
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE WILDLIFE RECREATION FACILITIES PILOT PROGRAM; TO PROMOTE THE USE AND ENJOYMENT OF WILDLIFE RECREATION THROUGH THE DEVELOPMENT AND CONSTRUCTION OF WILDLIFE RECREATION FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1847 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1879
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PIERCE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE PREPARATION OF A SPECIAL ABSENTEE BALLOT FOR QUALIFIED ELECTORS WHO ARE TEMPORARILY RESIDING OUTSIDE THE TERRITORIAL LIMITS OF THE UNITED STATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1879 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2021
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ISSUANCE OF BONDS BY MUNICIPALITIES AND COUNTIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2021 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2022
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING VISITATION RIGHTS OF A PATERNAL GRANDPARENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2022 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2049
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOBBS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE THAT STUDENTS ENROLLED IN SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES AND THEIR FAMILIES ARE INFORMED OF GUARDIANSHIP OPTIONS AVAILABLE UPON THE STUDENT'S REACHING EIGHTEEN (18)YEARS OF AGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2049 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2187
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BLOUNT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROCEDURE FOR REMOVAL OF A DIRECTOR IN A CITY MANAGER FORM OF GOVERNMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2187 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1124
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PROVIDING PAYMENT OF CLAIMS TO SURVIVING SPOUSES AND/OR DEPENDENT CHILDREN OF POLICEMEN, FIREMEN, CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS AND OTHER SPECIFIED STATE EMPLOYEES KILLED IN THE OFFICIAL LINE OF DUTY, AS PRESCRIBED BY LAW; PROVIDING FOR PAYMENT OF SMALL CONTROVERSIAL AND NON-CONTROVERSIAL CLAIMS WHICH HAVE BEEN APPROVED BY THE ARKANSAS STATE CLAIMS COMMISSION; PROVIDING PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE CLAIMS COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1124 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1137
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BANK DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1137 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1336
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING EXPENSES AND DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM/SERVICES FOR THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1336 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1369
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1369 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1501

As Engrossed: H2/27/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION *AND THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION* FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS, DEFERRED MAINTENANCE, CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, EQUIPMENT, LIBRARY HOLDINGS AND OTHER PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1501 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1522

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AND THE DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS BIOSCIENCES INSTITUTES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1522 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1880, BY REPRESENTATIVE WELLS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR HENRY "HANK" WILKINS
VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 416, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 422, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 416 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 422 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 460, BY SENATOR P. MALONE ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Malone, Senate Bill No. 460 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 417, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 417 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 425, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 425 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 73
SENATE BILL NO. 143
SENATE BILL NO. 198
SENATE BILL NO. 437
SENATE BILL NO. 442
SENATE BILL NO. 447
SENATE BILL NO. 449
SENATE BILL NO. 468
SENATE BILL NO. 778
SENATE BILL NO. 804
SENATE BILL NO. 825
SENATE BILL NO. 843
SENATE BILL NO. 847
SENATE BILL NO. 866
SENATE BILL NO. 875
SENATE BILL NO. 966
SENATE BILL NO.1002

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1090
HOUSE BILL NO. 1130
HOUSE BILL NO. 1325
HOUSE BILL NO. 1384
HOUSE BILL NO. 1386
HOUSE BILL NO. 1463
HOUSE BILL NO. 1493
HOUSE BILL NO. 1496
HOUSE BILL NO. 1500
HOUSE BILL NO. 1559
HOUSE BILL NO. 1579
HOUSE BILL NO. 1589
HOUSE BILL NO. 1630
HOUSE BILL NO. 1841

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1111 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1403 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1466 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 155
SENATE BILL NO. 156
SENATE BILL NO. 170
SENATE BILL NO. 191
SENATE BILL NO. 227
SENATE BILL NO. 330
SENATE BILL NO. 357
SENATE BILL NO. 431
SENATE BILL NO. 596
SENATE BILL NO. 641

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS CONCURRED IN ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1124
HOUSE BILL NO. 1137
HOUSE BILL NO. 1329
HOUSE BILL NO. 1336
HOUSE BILL NO. 1369
HOUSE BILL NO. 1501
HOUSE BILL NO. 1522
HOUSE BILL NO. 1798

HOUSE BILL NO. 1846
HOUSE BILL NO. 1847
HOUSE BILL NO. 1879
HOUSE BILL NO. 1884
HOUSE BILL NO. 1892
HOUSE BILL NO. 1893
HOUSE BILL NO. 1906
HOUSE BILL NO. 1912
HOUSE BILL NO. 1916
HOUSE BILL NO. 1928
HOUSE BILL NO. 1936
HOUSE BILL NO. 1946
HOUSE BILL NO. 1957
HOUSE BILL NO. 1962
HOUSE BILL NO. 1964
HOUSE BILL NO. 2005
HOUSE BILL NO. 2021
HOUSE BILL NO. 2022
HOUSE BILL NO. 2029
HOUSE BILL NO. 2049
HOUSE BILL NO. 2112
HOUSE BILL NO. 2187
HOUSE BILL NO. 2193
HOUSE BILL NO. 2247

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1014
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1017
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1020

On motion of Senator Smith, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Monday, March 16, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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SIXTY-FOURTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

March 16, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Miller.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 949 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 949

Amend Senate Bill No. 949 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 17-106-108(b), concerning acceptable examinations, is amended to read as follows:

(b) The State Board of Health shall identify acceptable examinations such as those administered by the American Registry of Radiologic Technologists, the American Chiropractic Registry of Radiologic Technologists with didactic training of a forty-eight-hour program recommended by the American Chiropractic Registry of Radiologic Technologists and administered by a Diplomate of the American Chiropractic Board of Radiology, or the Nuclear Medicine Technology Certification Board.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 17-106-111(a), concerning exemptions from this chapter, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) Dentists, dental hygienists, registered dental assistants with the expanded duty of radiography, radiation health physicists, radiation medical physicists, chiropractic externs, bone densitometrists, and certified medical dosimetrists are excluded from this chapter.

(2) Any exemptions from the provisions of this chapter are exclusive to those enumerated in this subsection."

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID WYATT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 949 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1372 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1372

Amend House Bill No. 1372 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Harrelson as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete Section 1 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 17, Subchapter 4 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

6-17-424. Subpoena Powers.

(a)(1) The following boards shall have the power to issue subpoenas and bring before the board as a witness any person in this state:

(A) Professional Licensure Standards Board, § 6-17-422; and

(B) State Board of Education, § 6-11-101 et seq.

(2) The Professional Licensure Standards Board or the State Board of Education shall by rule provide for the issuance of a subpoena upon the request of a party to a proceeding pending before the Professional Licensure Standards Board or the State Board of Education or at the request of the Professional Licensure Standards Board or the State Board of Education.

(3) The subpoena shall:

(A) Be in the name of either the Professional Licensure Standards Board or the State Board of Education;

(B) State the name of the board hearing the proceeding and the name of the proceeding; and

(C)(i) Command each person to whom it is directed to give testimony at the time and place specified in the subpoena in one (1) of the following ways:

(a) In person;

(b) Before a certified court reporter under oath at the place of the witness' residence or employment;

(c) By video-taped deposition at the place of the witness' residence or employment; or

(d) By live video communications from the witness' residence, place of employment, or a nearby facility capable of providing video transmission to the board hearing the proceeding that has subpoenaed the witness.

(ii) The manner of providing testimony under the subpoena shall be agreed upon by the board and the person who is the subject of the subpoena.

(4) The subpoena may require the witness to bring with him or her any book, writing, or other thing under his or her control that he or she is bound by law to produce in evidence.

(5) Service of the subpoena shall be in the manner as provided by law or rule for the service of subpoenas in civil cases.

(b)(1) A witness who has been served by subpoena under this section and who appears in person to testify at the trial or case pending before the Professional Licensure Standards Board or the State Board of Education shall be reimbursed the for travel and attendance as provided by law.

(2) If a witness is served with subpoena under this section and fails to provide testimony in obedience to the subpoena, the State Board of Education may apply to the circuit court of the county in which the Professional Licensure Standards Board or the State Board of Education is holding the preceding for an order causing the arrest of the witness and directing that the witness be brought before the court.

(3) The court shall have the power to punish the disobedient witness for contempt as provided by the Arkansas Rules of Civil Procedure.

(4) A witness who has been served with a subpoena under this section may challenge the validity of the subpoena in the circuit court of the county in which the witness resides or is employed."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1372 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 896 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 896

Amend Senate Bill No. 896 as engrossed, S3/11/09:

Page 1, delete all language after the enacting clause and substitute the following language:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-20-2305(a)(4) concerning the foundation aid calculation is amended to add the following subdivisions:

(C)(i) Data to verify the timely receipt of revenues applicable to the required ninety-eight percent (98%) of the uniform rate of tax multiplied by the property assessment of the school district shall be collected annually by the Department of Education in cooperation with the Assessment Coordination Department.

(ii)(a) Data may be appropriately adjusted by the Department of Education if it is determined that irregular distributions by a county treasurer of excess commissions cause a school district's property tax collection rate from the uniform rate of tax to exceed ninety-eight percent (98%).

(b) The Department of Education may adjust the uniform rate of tax from an irregular distribution to an amount not in excess of ninety-eight percent (98%) and apply the excess distribution amount the following school year.

(iii) Evidence of irregular distributions shall be in the form required by the Department of Education.

SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that accurate information is required to determine the correct funding for school districts; that variances in the distribution of excess commission payments to school districts can cause aberrations in revenue levels; and that this act is immediately necessary to ensure a school district receives all funding it is entitled to and is not penalized for irregularities in the distribution of excess commission payments. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or

(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

(SIGNED) SENATOR DENNY ALTES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 896 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 850 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 850

Amend Senate Bill No. 850 as engrossed, S3/10/09:

Page 1, delete lines 26 through 36 and substitute the following language:

"~~(5) "High school graduate" means any student who graduates from an Arkansas high school during the twelve-month period immediately preceding the year of application for a grant under this subchapter;~~

~~(6)~~(5) "High school graduate equivalent" means ~~any~~ a student ~~between sixteen (16) and eighteen (18) years of age~~ who passes the General Educational Development Test in Arkansas ~~during the twelve-month period immediately preceding the year of application to this program~~;

~~(7)~~(6) "Part-time undergraduate student" means a resident of Arkansas who attends an approved institution of higher education and is enrolled in at least six (6) credit hours per semester or the equivalent but no more than twelve (12) credit hours or the equivalent the first semester and fifteen (15) credit hours or the equivalent thereafter, as defined by rule of the Department of Higher Education, in a program of study that leads to or is creditable towards an associate degree or a baccalaureate degree; and

(8) "~~Unemancipated child" or "unemancipated children" means a dependent child or dependent children as defined by the United States Department of Education for student aid purposes~~ "Qualified certificate program" means a program that is:

(A) Offered by an approved institution of higher education;

(B) Shorter in duration than an associate degree for which credit hours awarded that are creditable towards an associate degree; and

(C) Recognized by the United States Department of Education for financial aid purposes."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 7

AND

Page 2, delete lines 24 through 28 and substitute the following language:

"~~(4)~~(3) An applicant shall be accepted for admission ~~to~~ in a qualified certificate program, associate degree program, or a baccalaureate program at an approved institution of higher education as a full-time or part-time ~~first-time~~ student, as defined by the department~~, and shall enroll in an approved institution within twelve (12) months of high school graduation or notification of successful completion of the General Educational Development Test~~;"

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHANE BROADWAY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 850 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 1006 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 1006

Amend Senate Bill No. 1006 as originally introduced:

Delete Section 1 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-17-414, concerning the criminal records check as a condition for initial employment of nonlicensed school personnel, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(g)(1) The requirements of subsection (b) of this section may be waived by the state board if:

(A) An applicant for employment who is affected by subsection (b) of this section files with the Department of Education an application requesting a waiver; and

(B) The waiver is supported by:

(i) The superintendent of the employing school district;

(ii) The director of the employing public charter school; or

(iii) The director of the employing educational service cooperative.

(2) The state board may grant a waiver based on one (1) or more of the following considerations:

(A) The age at which a conviction or plea of guilty or nolo contendere was entered;

(B) The circumstances surrounding the criminal offense;

(C) The amount of time that has lapsed since the commission of the criminal offense;

(D) The applicant's subsequent work history and employment references;

(E) Character references for the applicant; and

(F) Any other evidence deemed sufficient by the state board demonstrating that the applicant does not pose a threat to the health or safety of students, employees, or patrons of a public school, public charter school, or education service cooperative."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. KEY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1006 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 9 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 9

Amend Senate Bill No. 9 as engrossed, S3/3/09:
Page 5, delete lines 17 through 19

(SIGNED) SENATOR DENNY ALTES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 9 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 728 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 728

Amend Senate Bill No. 728 as originally introduced:
Page 1 line 10, delete "EDUCATION" and substitute "RURAL SERVICES"

AND

Page 1, line 15, delete "EDUCATION" and substitute "RURAL SERVICES"

AND

Page 1, line 22, delete "Education" and substitute "Rural Services"

AND

Page 1, line 27, delete "$1,800,000" and substitute "$3,300,000".

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 728 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 868 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 868

Amend Senate Bill No. 868 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete all of the language after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 19-7-402(d)(1), concerning the receipt and distribution of federal funds from the sale of public domain lands and leases is amended to read as follows:

(d)(1) ~~It shall be the duty of the Department of Education to~~ The Treasurer of State shall distribute that portion of the funds ~~accruing~~ that accrue to the schools to the respective counties~~,~~ and ~~the duty of the Auditor of State~~ to distribute the funds ~~accruing~~ that accrue to the county road funds.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 19-7-801 is amended to read as follows:

19-7-801. ~~Federal lands other than military~~ Federal lands.

(a) ~~Such funds as are received from and after April 15, 1983, by the Treasurer of State from the federal government on account of the sale of minerals, oil, and gas or the lease of minerals, oil, and gas on lands other than military lands belonging to the federal government located in the state shall be deposited into the State Treasury, and the Treasurer of State shall credit the funds as follows:~~

~~(1) All these funds received during each calendar year shall be first distributed to the respective counties in which the funds were generated until the benefiting counties receive a distribution of these funds equal to the amount of the funds received in the 1981-82 fiscal year, and all moneys in excess of the amount generated in the counties in excess of the amount received in the 1981-82 fiscal year shall be retained by the Treasurer of State for distribution as provided in subdivision (a)(2) of this section. Funds received by each benefiting county under this subsection shall be allocated in the same proportion, to be used for the same purposes as funds received by each county under the provisions of subdivision (a)(2) of this section.~~

~~(2) After the requirements of subdivision (a)(1) have been met each year, all additional funds so deposited into the State Treasury shall be credited by the Treasurer of State as follows:~~

~~(A) Fifty percent (50%) of the funds shall be credited to the General Revenue Fund Account of the State Apportionment Fund, for distribution to the various funds participating in the distribution of general revenues in the respective proportions to each such fund, to be used for the respective purposes as set forth in the Revenue Stabilization Law, § 19-5-101 et seq.;~~

~~(B) Fifty percent (50%) of the funds shall be distributed to the counties having land in the nonmilitary federal installation from which the sale or lease of minerals, oil, or gas has generated the funds, with each county to receive a proportionate part of the funds equal to the ratio of the total number of acres of land in the federal installation in each county as the acreage bears to the total number of acres of the federal installation in all counties having land in the federal installation to be distributed by the Treasurer of State as follows:~~

~~(i) Sixty percent (60%) of the funds to be transferred to the Public School Fund, to be distributed by the Department of Education to the school districts whose boundaries include a portion of the nonmilitary federal installation in the counties. Should there be more than one (1) school district whose boundaries include a portion of the federal installation within a county receiving these funds, then each school district in that county shall receive a proportionate share of the funds allocated by this section to the Public School Fund for the county, to be distributed as follows:~~

~~(a) Fifty percent (50%) of the funds shall be divided between the school districts based on the ratio of the total number of acres of land in each school district within the boundaries of the federal installation in the county as the acreage bears to the total number of acres in the federal installation in the county; and~~

~~(b) The other fifty percent (50%) of the funds shall be divided between the school districts based on the most recent average daily membership of each school district as defined in § 6-20-303 [Repealed.];~~

~~(ii) Fifteen percent (15%) of the funds shall be distributed to the County Aid Fund, to be distributed by the Treasurer of State to the county road funds of the counties to which these moneys are allocated;~~

~~(iii) Twenty-five percent (25%) of the funds shall be distributed to the County Aid Fund, for distribution by the Treasurer of State to the county treasurer of the county to which the funds are to be distributed. Upon receipt of these funds, the county treasurer of the county shall distribute the funds to the county general fund and to the respective cities, towns, school districts, community college districts, and county and municipal libraries in the county in a proportion that~~

~~each taxing unit shares in the real and personal property taxes collected in the county, with the exception that the school districts in the county and the county road fund which received a distribution as set out in subdivisions (a)(2)(B)(2)(i)-(iii) of section shall not be entitled to receive an additional share of the funds to be distributed under this subdivision.~~

~~(b) The provisions of this section shall govern with respect to such funds as are received by the Treasurer of State from the federal government on account of the sale of minerals, oil, and gas or the lease of minerals, oil, and gas on lands other than military lands belonging to the the federal government located in this state and shall supersede, and be in lieu of, the method provided for the distribution and use of federal Mineral Leasing Act moneys received by the State of Arkansas as provided in § 19-7-402~~ Moneys received by the Treasurer of State from the federal government for a sale, lease, royalty, bonus, or rental of oil, gas, or mineral lands belonging to the federal government and located in this state shall be distributed under this section.

(b) Moneys received under subsection (a) of this section by and after September 1, 2008, by the Treasurer of the State shall be credited by the Treasurer of State as follows:

(1) Fifty percent (50%) of the moneys received shall be credited to the General Revenue Fund Account of the State Apportionment Fund for distribution to various funds that participate in the distribution of general revenues in the respective proportion to each fund, to be used for the purposes under the Revenue Stabilization Law, § 19-5-101 et seq.; and

(2) Fifty percent (50%) of the moneys received shall be distributed to the counties in which the federal lands that generate the moneys are located according to federal reports that identify the counties with the federal lands that generate the moneys. Moneys under this subdivision (b)(2) shall be distributed by the Treasurer of the State as follows:

(A) Sixty percent (60%) of the moneys shall be distributed to the County Aid Fund, to be distributed by the Treasurer of State to the county treasurer of each county that has a school district with a boundary that includes a portion of the federal lands that generate the moneys.

(i) A county is responsible for distributing moneys under subdivision (b)(2)(A)(i) of this section to a school district with a boundary that includes a portion of the federal lands that generate the moneys.

(ii) If there is more than one (1) school district with a boundary that includes a portion of the federal lands that generate the moneys within a county receiving these moneys, then each school district in that county shall receive a proportionate share of the moneys based on the school district's portion of the acreage over the total acreage in all districts in that county; and

(B) Fifteen percent (15%) of the moneys received under subdivision (b)(2) of this section shall be distributed to the County Aid Fund, to be distributed by the Treasurer of State to the county treasurer for credit to the county road funds of the counties to which these moneys are allocated; and

(C) Twenty-five percent (25%) of the moneys received under subdivision (b)(2) of this section shall be distributed to the County Aid Fund, for distribution by the Treasurer of State to the county treasurer of the county to which the moneys are to be distributed.

(i) Except as provided under subdivision (b)(2)(C)(ii) of this section, on receipt of the moneys under subdivision (b)(2)(C) of this section, the county treasurer of the county shall distribute the moneys to the county general fund and to the respective cities, towns, school districts, community college districts, and county and municipal libraries in the county in the proportion that each taxing unit shares in the real and personal property taxes collected in the county.

(ii) A school district in the county that receives a distribution of funds under subdivisions (b)(2)(A) and (B) of this section and the county road fund that receives a distribution of funds under subdivisions (b)(2)(A)

and (B) of this section are not entitled to receive an additional distribution of the funds under subdivision (b)(2)(C) of this section.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 19-7-802 is repealed.

~~19-7-802. Federal military lands.~~

~~(a) Such funds as are received from and after April 15, 1983, by the Treasurer of State from the federal government on account of the sale of minerals, oil, and gas or the lease of minerals, oil, and gas on military lands belonging to the federal government located in this state, referred to in this section as "federal military lands", shall be deposited into the State Treasury, and the Treasurer of State shall credit funds as follows:~~

~~(1) Fifty percent (50%) of the funds shall be credited to the General Revenue Fund Account of the State Apportionment Fund, for distribution to the various funds participating in the distribution of general revenues in the respective proportions to each such fund, to be used for the respective purposes set forth in the Revenue Stabilization Law, § 19-5-101 et seq.;~~

~~(2) Fifty percent (50%) of the funds shall be distributed to the counties having land in the military reservation from which the sale or lease of minerals, oil, or gas has generated such funds, with each county to receive a proportionate part equal to the ratio of the total number of acres of federal military lands in each county as the land bears to the total acreage of the federal military lands in all the counties having such lands in them, to be distributed by the Treasurer of State as follows:~~

~~(A) Sixty percent (60%) of the funds to be transferred to the Public School Fund, to be distributed by the Department of Education to the school districts whose boundaries include a portion of the federal military lands in these counties. Should there be more than one (1) school district whose boundaries include a portion of the federal military lands within a county receiving these funds, then each school district in that county shall receive a proportionate share of the funds allocated by this section to the Public School Fund for the county, to be distributed as follows:~~

~~(i) Fifty percent (50%) of the funds shall be divided between the school districts based on the ratio of the total number of acres of federal military lands in each school district in the county as the acreage bears to the total number of acres in the federal military lands in the county; and~~

~~(ii) The other fifty percent (50%) of the funds shall be divided between the school districts based on the most recent average daily membership of each school district as defined in § 6-20-303 [repealed];~~

~~(B) Fifteen percent (15%) of the funds to the County Aid Fund, to be distributed by the Treasurer of State to the county road fund of the county to which the moneys are allocated; and~~

~~(C) Twenty-five percent (25%) of the funds to the County Aid Fund for distribution by the Treasurer of State to the county treasurer of the county to which the funds are to be distributed. Upon receipt of these funds, the county treasurer of the county shall distribute the funds to the county general fund and to the respective cities, towns, school districts, community college districts, and county and municipal libraries in the county in a proportion that each taxing unit shares in the real and personal property taxes as collected in the county, with the exception that the school districts in the county and the county road fund which received a distribution as set out in subdivisions (a)(2)(A) and (B) of this section shall not be entitled to receive an additional share of the funds to be distributed under subdivision (a)(2)(C) of this section.~~

~~(b) The provisions of this section shall govern with respect to such funds as are received by the Treasurer of State from the federal government on account of the sale of minerals, oil, and gas or the lease of minerals, oil, and gas on military lands belonging to the federal government located in this state and shall be in lieu of the method provided for the distribution and use of federal Mineral Leasing Act moneys received by the State of Arkansas from federal lands, other than federal~~

~~military lands, as provided in § 19-7-402.~~"

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 868 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1580 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1580

Amend House Bill No. 1580 as engrossed, H3/9/09:

Page 3, line 22 delete "mcf" and substitute "cf"

AND

Page 3, line 26 delete "mcf" and substitute "cf"

(SIGNED) SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1580 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 853 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 853

Amend Senate Bill No. 853 as originally introduced:

Page 8, line 24, delete "department" and substitute "Department of Higher Education"

AND

Page 8, delete line 28 and substitute the following language:
"teacher shortage as determined by the Department of Higher Education in consultation with the Department of Education."

AND

Page 9, delete line 18 and substitute the following language:
"Department of Higher Education in consultation with the Department of Education."

AND

Page 9, line 21, delete "department" and substitute "Department of Higher Education"

AND

Page 9, delete line 30 and substitute the following language:
"Higher Education in consultation with the Department of Education as having a critical shortage of teachers; or"

AND

Page 9, delete line 32 and substitute the following language:
"by the Department of Higher Education in consultation with the Department of Education as having a critical shortage of"

AND

Page 10, line 5, delete "department" and substitute "Department of Higher Education"

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHANE BROADWAY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 853 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 26 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 26

Amend Senate Bill No. 26 as engrossed, S3/12/09:

Add as cosponsors of the bill:
Representatives Cole, Powers

AND

Delete Sections 1-17 of the bill in their entirety and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 23 is amended to add an additional chapter to read as follows:

CHAPTER 115
ARKANSAS SCHOLARSHIP LOTTERY ACT

SUBCHAPTER 1
GENERAL PROVISIONS

23-115-101. Short title.
This chapter shall be known and may be cited as the "Arkansas Scholarship Lottery Act".

23-115-102. Legislative intent.
It is found and declared by the General Assembly that:
(1) Net proceeds of lotteries conducted under this chapter shall be used to:
(A) Fund and provide for scholarships and grants to citizens of the State of Arkansas enrolled in public and private nonprofit two-year and four-year colleges and universities located within the state; and
(B) Supplement, not supplant, nonlottery educational resources;
(2) Lotteries shall be operated and managed in a manner that:
(A) Provides continuing entertainment to the public;
(B) Maximizes revenues; and
(C) Ensures that the lotteries are operated with integrity, dignity, adequate internal controls, and free of political influence; and
(3) The Arkansas Lottery Commission shall be accountable to the General Assembly and to the public through a system of audits and reports.

23-115-103. Definitions.
As used in this chapter:
(1) "Adjudication" means agency process for the formulation of an order;

(2) "Administrative expenses" means operating expenses, excluding amounts set aside for prizes, regardless of whether the prizes are claimed and excluding amounts held as a fidelity fund under § 23-115-603;

(3) "Administrative order" means the final disposition of the Arkansas Lottery Commission in any matter other than a claim in contract or in tort, including without limitation licensing, in which the Arkansas Lottery Commission is required by law to make its determination after notice and a hearing;

(4)(A) "Casino gambling" means a location or business for the purposes of conducting illegal gambling activities, including without limitation activities under § 5-66-101 et seq. that are not authorized under this chapter.

(B) "Casino gambling" does not include the sale and purchase of tickets or shares;

(5) "Female-owned business" means a business:

(A) Whose management and daily business operations are under the control of one (1) or more females; and

(B) Either:

(i) Individually owned by a female who reports as her personal income for Arkansas income tax purposes the income of the business;

(ii) Which is a partnership in which a majority of the ownership interest is owned by one (1) or more females who report as their personal income for Arkansas income tax purposes more than fifty percent (50%) of the income of the partnership; or

(iii) Which is a corporation organized under the laws of this state in which a majority of the common stock is owned by one (1) or more females who report as their personal income for Arkansas income tax purposes more than fifty percent (50%) of the distributed earnings of the corporation;

(6) "Gift" means any payment, entertainment, advance, services, or anything of value, unless consideration of equal or greater value has been given therefor;

(7) "Immediate family" means the father, mother, sister, brother, husband, wife, child, grandmother, grandfather, grandchild, father-in-law, mother-in-law, sister-in-law, brother-in-law, stepchild, grandmother-in-law, grandfather-in-law, stepgrandchild, or any individual acting as parent or guardian;

(8) "Incompetency" means:

(A) Gross ignorance of official duties;

(B) Gross carelessness in the discharge of official duties; or

(C) Inability or unfitness to discharge promptly and properly official duties because of a serious physical or mental defect that did not exist at the time of the person's appointment;

(9) "License" means authorization granted by the Arkansas Lottery Commission to an individual to operate as a retailer, including without limitation the execution of a contract between the Arkansas Lottery Commission and the individual relating to obligations and terms for operating as a retailer;

(10) "Lobbying" means communicating directly or soliciting others to communicate with any member of the Arkansas Lottery Commission, the Director of the Arkansas Lottery Commission, any employee of the Arkansas Lottery Commission, or a member of the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee with the purpose of influencing the actions of the Arkansas Lottery Commission or the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee;

(11) "Local government" means:

(A) A county;

(B) A city of the first class or a city of the second class;

(C) An incorporated town; or

(D) Any other district or political subdivision or any board, commission, or agency of the political subdivisions under subdivisions (10)(A)-(C) of this section;

(12)(A) "Lottery" means a game of chance approved by the Arkansas Lottery Commission and operated under this chapter.

(B) "Lottery" includes without limitation:

(i) An instant ticket;

(ii) A draw game; and

(iii) Participation in a multistate or multisovereign game.

(C) "Lottery" does not include:

(i) Casino gambling;

(ii) A video lottery;

(iii) Pari-mutuel wagering on horse racing or greyhound racing governed by the Arkansas Horse Racing Law, § 23-110-101 et seq., or the Arkansas Greyhound Racing Law, § 23-111-101 et seq., whether the pari-mutuel wagering is on live racing, simulcast racing, or races conducted in the past and rebroadcast by electronic means;

(iv) Wagering on electronic games of skill under the Local Option Horse Racing and Greyhound Racing Electronic Games of Skill Act, 23-113-101 et seq.; or

(v) Conducting or participating in charitable bingo and raffles under the Charitable Bingo and Raffles Enabling Act, 23-114-101 et seq.;

(13) "Lottery proceeds" means all revenue derived from the sale of tickets or shares and all other moneys derived from a lottery, including without limitation fees collected by the commission under this chapter;

(14)(A) "Major procurement contract" means a gaming product or service costing more than seventy-five thousand dollars ($75,000), including without limitation:

(i) A major advertising contract;

(ii) An annuity contract;

(iii) A prize payment agreement;

(iv) A consulting service;

(v) Lottery equipment;

(vi) Tickets; and

(vii) Any other product and service unique to lotteries.

(B) "Major procurement contract" does not include a material, supply, equipment, or service common to the ordinary operations of the Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(C) If the commission executives a contract in which the cost of the contract is calculated on a contingent basis, the commission shall estimate the value of the contract to determine if it is a major procurement contract;

(15) "Member of a minority" means an individual who is a member of a race that comprises less than fifty percent (50%) of the total population of the state;

(16) "Minority-owned business" means a business that is owned by:

(A) An individual who is a member of a minority who reports as his or her personal income for Arkansas income tax purposes the income of the business;

(B) A partnership in which a majority of the ownership interest is owned by one (1) or more members of a minority who report as their personal income for Arkansas income tax purposes more than fifty percent (50%) of the income of the partnership; or

(C) A corporation organized under the laws of this state in which a majority of the common stock is owned by one (1) or more members of a minority who report as their personal income for Arkansas income tax purposes more than fifty percent (50%) of the distributed earnings of the corporation;

(17) "Net proceeds" means lottery proceeds less operating expenses;

(18) "Nonlottery state educational resources" means the same as defined in § 6-85-204;

(19) "Operating expenses" means all costs of doing business, including without limitation:

(A) Prizes, commissions, and other compensation paid to retailers;

(B) Contracts for products or services necessary for the operation of the lottery, including without limitation the execution of major procurement contracts;

(C) Advertising and marketing costs;

(D) Personnel costs;

(E) Capital costs or depreciation of property and equipment;

(F) Funds for compulsive gambling education and treatment;

(G) The payment of sums to the Arkansas State Claims Commission for the reconciliation of valid claims against the Arkansas Lottery Commission;

(H) Payments for the cost of a state and federal criminal background check;

(I) Payments to the Department of Higher Education to:

(i) Reimburse the Department of Higher Education for the costs of administering scholarship awards funded with net proceeds; and

(ii) Replenish nonlottery state educational resources expended by the Department of Higher Education on scholarship awards otherwise funded with net proceeds;

(J) Amounts annually transferred to a fidelity fund under § 23-115-603; and

(K) Amounts paid to governmental entities for goods or services provided to the Arkansas Lottery Commission, including without limitation services provided by the Division of Legislative Audit;

(20) "Person" means any individual, corporation, partnership, unincorporated association, or other legal entity;

(21)(A) “Public official” means a member of the General Assembly or an elected constitutional officer.

(B) “Public official” includes an individual during the time between the date he or she is elected and the date he or she takes office;

(22) "Retailer" means a person who sells tickets or shares on behalf of the Arkansas Lottery Commission under a license;

(23) "Share" means any intangible evidence of participation in a lottery;

(24) "Ticket" means any tangible evidence issued by a lottery to provide participation in a lottery;

(25)(A) "Vendor" means a person who provides or proposes to provide goods or services to the Arkansas Lottery Commission under a major procurement contract.

(B) “Vendor” does not include:

(i) An employee of the Arkansas Lottery Commission;

(ii) A retailer; or

(iii) A state agency or instrumentality.

(C) “Vendor” includes a corporation whose stock is publicly traded and that is the parent company of the contracting party in a major procurement contract; and

(26) “Video lottery” means a lottery game that allows a game to be played using an electronic computer and an interactive computer terminal device:

(A) That is equipped with a video screen and keys and a keyboard or other equipment allowing input by an individual player;

(B) Into which the player inserts coins, currency, vouchers, or tokens as consideration in order for play to be available; and

(C) Through which the player may receive free games, coins, tokens, or credits that may be redeemed for cash, annuitized payments over time, a noncash prize, or nothing, as may be determined wholly or predominantly by chance.

SUBCHAPTER 2
ARKANSAS LOTTERY COMMISSION

23-115-201. Arkansas Lottery Commission – Creation – Venue.

(a) There is created the Arkansas Lottery Commission to establish and oversee the operation of one (1) or more lotteries under this chapter.

(b) The commission is a self-supporting and revenue-raising agency of the state.

(c) The commission shall reimburse other governmental entities that provide goods or services to the commission.

23-115-202. Members – Duties.

(a)(1) The Arkansas Lottery Commission consists of the following members:

(A) Three (3) members appointed by the Governor;

(B) Three (3) members appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives; and

(C) Three (3) members appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate.

(2) The members of the commission shall elect annually:

(A) A chair; and

(B) Other officers necessary to carry on its business.

(b)(1) Of the initial appointees to the commission by the Governor:

(A) One (1) member shall serve a term of two (2) years;

(B) One (1) member shall serve a term of four (4) years; and

(C) One (1) member shall serve a term of six (6) years.

(2) Of the initial appointees to the commission by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate:

(A) One (1) member shall serve a term of two (2) years;

(B) One (1) member shall serve a term of four (4) years; and

(C) One (1) member shall serve a term of six (6) years.

(3) Of the initial appointees to the commission by the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

(A) One (1) member shall serve a term of two (2) years;

(B) One (1) member shall serve a term of four (4) years; and

(C) One (1) member shall serve a term of six (6) years.

(4) All succeeding appointments to the commission shall be for terms of six (6) years.

(5) The appointing authorities shall determine the length of terms of the initial members of the commission.

(6) A member of the commission shall not serve more than two (2) terms.

(c) A vacancy on the commission shall be filled by the appointing authority for the unexpired portion of the term in which it occurs.

(d)(1) The commission shall meet at least quarterly upon the call of the chair.

(2) A majority of the total membership of the commission constitutes a quorum.

(e) The following shall not be appointed as a member of the commission:

(1) A member of the General Assembly; or

(2) A member of the immediate family of a member of the General Assembly.

(f) Members of the commission may receive expense reimbursement under § 25-16-901 et seq.

23-115-203. Qualifications of commission members.

(a)(1) In making appointments to the Arkansas Lottery Commission, the appointing authorities under § 23-115-202 shall consider racial, gender, and geographical diversity among the membership as well as legal, financial, or marketing experience.

(2) Individuals appointed to the commission shall be residents of the State of Arkansas.

(b)(1) An individual considered for appointment to the commission shall apply to the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police for a state and federal criminal background check, to be conducted by the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police and the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

(2) The state and federal criminal background check shall conform to the applicable federal standards and shall include the taking of fingerprints.

(3) The applicant shall sign a consent to the release of information for the state and federal criminal background check.

(4) The commission shall be responsible for the payment of any fee associated with the state and federal criminal background check.

(5) Upon completion of the state and federal criminal background check, the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police shall forward to the appointing authority all releasable information obtained concerning the applicant.

(c) An individual shall not be appointed as a commission member if the individual has:

(1) Been convicted of a felony or a gambling offense in a state or federal court of the United States;

(2) Been convicted of a crime involving moral turpitude; or

(3) Entered into a plea agreement to avoid felony prosecution.

(d) Each member of the commission, before entering upon the discharge of the duties of a commissioner, shall file with the Secretary of State the constitutional oath of office.

(e) Upon the end of his or her term, a former member of the commission shall not:

(1) Represent a vendor or retailer before the commission for a period of two (2) years after the end of the former member's term; or

(2) Engage in lobbying on any matter related to the operation or conduct of lotteries under this chapter for a period of two (2) years after the end of the former member's term.

23-115-204. Lottery Retailer Advisory Board.

(a)(1) The Chair of the Arkansas Lottery Commission, subject to the approval of a majority of a quorum of the Arkansas Lottery Commission, shall appoint a Lottery Retailer Advisory Board to be composed of ten (10) retailers.

(2) In making appointments to the board, the chair may consider a broad spectrum of geographical, racial, gender, and business characteristics of retailers.

(3) The board shall advise the commission on retail aspects of lotteries and present the concerns of retailers throughout the state.

(b)(1) Except as provided in subdivision (b)(2) of this section, each member appointed to the board shall serve a term of two (2) years.

(2)(A) Five (5) of the initial appointees shall serve initial terms of one (1) year.

(B) The initial appointees shall draw lots to determine which five (5) members shall serve a one-year term.

(3) A member of the board shall not serve more than six (6) terms.

(c)(1) The board shall provide by rule for its operating procedures.

(2) Members shall serve without compensation or reimbursement of expenses.

(3) The board may report to the commission and the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee in writing at any time.

(4) The commission may invite the board to make an oral presentation to the commission at any meeting of the commission.

(d) The following shall not be appointed as a member of the board:

(1) A member of the immediate family of a member of the commission;

(2) A member of the immediate family of the director of the commission; or

(3) A member of the immediate family of an employee of the commission.

23-115-205. Commission powers.

(a) The Arkansas Lottery Commission has all powers necessary or convenient to its usefulness in carrying out this chapter that are not in conflict with the Arkansas Constitution or the United States Constitution, including without limitation the following powers:

(1) To adopt and alter a seal;

(2) To adopt, amend, and repeal rules for the regulation of its affairs and the conduct of its business, to prescribe the duties of officers and employees of the commission, and to perform other matters as the commission determines;

(3) To bring suits to enforce demands of the state under this chapter;

(4) To procure or to provide insurance;

(5) To hold copyrights, trademarks, and service marks and enforce the commission's rights with respect to those copyrights, trademarks, and service marks;

(6) To initiate, supervise, and administer the operation of lotteries in accordance with this chapter and rules adopted under this chapter;

(7) To enter into written agreements with one (1) or more other states or sovereigns for the operation, participation in marketing, and promotion of multistate or multisovereign games;

(8) To conduct market research as necessary or appropriate;

(9) To acquire or lease real property and make improvements to the real property and acquire by lease or by purchase personal property, including without limitation:

(A) Computers;

(B) Mechanical, electronic, and online equipment and terminals;

(C) Intangible property, including without limitation computer programs, computer systems, and computer software; and

(D) Broadcast equipment;

(10) To administer oaths, take depositions, issue subpoenas, and compel the attendance of witnesses and the production of books, papers, documents, and other evidence relative to any investigation or proceeding conducted by the commission;

(11) To employ:

(A) The Director of the Arkansas Lottery Commission; and

(B) An internal auditor;

(12) To select and contract with vendors;

(13) To select and license retailers;

(14) To enter into contracts or agreements with state or local law enforcement agencies for the performance of law enforcement, background investigations, and security checks;

(15) To conduct background investigations and, if considered necessary by the commission, credit investigations on each potential vendor and retailer;

(16) To supervise ticket or share validation and lottery drawings;

(17) To inspect at times determined solely by the commission the facilities of a vendor or a retailer to determine:

(A) The integrity of the vendor's product or the operations of the retailer; and

(B) Whether the vendor or the retailer is in compliance with its contract or license;

(18) To report any suspected violation of this chapter to the appropriate prosecuting attorney or the Attorney General and to any law enforcement agencies having jurisdiction over the violation;

(19) Upon request, to provide assistance to the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, the Legislative Auditor, the appropriate prosecuting attorney, the Attorney General, or a law enforcement agency investigating a violation of this chapter;

(20) To enter into contracts of terms and conditions that the commission determines;

(21) To establish and maintain banking relationships associated with the maintenance and investment of lottery proceeds, including without limitation the establishment of checking and savings accounts and trust funds;

(22)(A) To advertise and promote lotteries and scholarships and grants funded by net proceeds.

(B) The commission shall seek the advice of the Department of Higher Education when advertising to promote scholarships and grants funded by net proceeds;

(23) To approve, disapprove, amend, or modify the budget recommended by the director for the operation of the commission;

(24) To act as a retailer and to establish and operate a sales facility to conduct promotions that involve the sale of tickets or shares and any related merchandise;

(25)(A) To contract with one (1) or more independent testing laboratories to scientifically test and technically evaluate lottery games, lottery terminals, and lottery operating systems.

(B) An independent testing laboratory shall:

(i) Have a national reputation that is demonstrably competent; and

(ii) Be qualified to scientifically test and evaluate all components of a lottery game, lottery terminal, or lottery operating system.

(C) An independent testing laboratory shall not be owned or controlled by a vendor or a retailer; and

(26) To adopt and amend rules necessary to carry out and implement its powers and duties, organize and operate the commission, regulate the conduct of lotteries in general, and any other matters necessary or desirable for the efficient and effective operation of lotteries for the convenience of the public.

(b) The powers enumerated in subsection (a) of this section:

(1) Are in addition to those powers of the commission enumerated elsewhere in this chapter; and

(2) Do not limit or restrict any other powers of the commission.

(c) The commission may delegate to one (1) or more of its members, to the director, or to any agent or employee of the commission powers and duties as it deems proper.

23-115-206. Internal controls – Annual audit.

(a) To ensure the financial integrity of lotteries, the Arkansas Lottery Commission shall:

(1) Establish and maintain effective internal controls over financial reporting, including the monitoring of ongoing activities, and comply with the Arkansas Constitution and applicable laws, rules, contracts, agreements, and grants;

(2) Establish and maintain effective internal controls to prevent and detect fraud, including without limitation a system of internal audits;

(3) Include in any contract or license with a vendor or retailer for data processing services or other computer services a provision permitting the Division of Legislative Audit to have access and authority to audit the computer systems of the vendor or retailer;

(4) Notify the division of all known fraud or suspected fraud or all known or suspected illegal acts involving management or other employees of the commission or others with whom the commission contracts;

(5) Inform the division and the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State of any known material violations of the Arkansas Constitution, applicable statutes, rules, contracts, agreements, or grants;

(6) Prepare the financial statements, including the related notes to the financial statements, of the commission in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and in accordance with guidelines and timelines established by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State to permit incorporation into the state's financial statements and to permit the audit of the state's financial statements and the commission's financial statements in a timely manner;

(7) Make all financial records and related information available to the division, including the identification of significant vendor relationships in which the vendor has the responsibility for program compliance, in accordance with §§ 10-4-416 and 10-4-424;

(8)(A) Submit monthly and annual reports to the Governor and the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee disclosing the total lottery revenues, prize disbursements, operating expenses, net assets, and administrative expenses of the commission during the reporting period.

(B)(i) The initial annual report shall describe the organizational structure of the commission and summarize the functions performed by each organizational division within the commission.

(ii) Future annual reports shall describe any revisions to the organizational structure since the filing of the previous annual report;

(9) Maintain weekly or more frequent records of lottery transactions, including without limitation:

(A) The distribution of tickets or shares to retailers;

(B) Revenues received;

(C) Claims for lottery prizes;

(D) Lottery prizes paid;

(E) Lottery prizes forfeited; and

(F) Other financial transactions of the commission;

(10)(A) Submit to the Cochairs of the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee by April 30 of each year a copy of the annual operating budget for the commission for the next fiscal year.

(B) The proposed operating budget shall be accompanied by:

(i) An estimate of the net proceeds to be available for scholarships and grants during the succeeding fiscal year; and

(ii) The following information for each employment classification:

(a) The total number of persons currently employed;

(b) The number of white male employees;

(c) The number of white female employees;

(d) The total number of Caucasian employees;

(e) The number of black male employees;

(f) The number of black female employees;

(g) The number of other employees who are members of racial minorities; and

(h) The total number of minorities currently employed; and

(11) Adopt the same fiscal year as that used by state government.

(b)(1)(A) The division shall annually audit the commission.

(B) The division may conduct an investigation or audit or prepare special reports regarding the commission or related entities, scholarships, grants, vendors, retailers, or any other transactions or relationships connected or associated with the commission or its operations, duties, or functions upon the approval of the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee.

(2) The commission shall reimburse the division at an hourly rate set by the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee for work performed by the division relating to any audit, investigation, or special report regarding the commission and related entities, scholarships, grants, vendors, retailers, or other related matters.

(3)(A) If the commission, the General Assembly, the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee, or the Legislative Joint Auditing Committee requests additional audits or performance reviews of the fiscal affairs or operations of the commission to be conducted by a private certified public accountant or other consultant, the division shall select and contract with appropriate certified public accountants or consultants to provide the services.

(B) The division shall contract for the services which shall be paid directly to the contractor by the commission.

(C) A copy of any report or management correspondence prepared by the certified public accountants or consultants shall be forwarded to the commission, the division, and the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee.

(4) This chapter does not limit the statutory authority of the division or the responsibilities of the commission or related entities, board members, employees, vendors, retailers, or any other individuals or entities to cooperate with the division or provide information or records requested by the division.

23-115-207. Rulemaking.

(a) The Arkansas Lottery Commission may adopt rules regulating the conduct of lotteries in general, including without limitation rules specifying:

(1) The types of lotteries to be conducted;

(2)(A) The sale price of tickets or shares and the manner and method of sale.

(B)(i) All sales of tickets or shares are for cash only.

(ii) Payment by checks, credit cards, charge cards, or any form of deferred payment is prohibited;

(3) The number and amount of prizes;

(4) The method and location of selecting or validating winning tickets or shares;

(5) The manner and time of payment of prizes, including without limitation lump-sum payments or installments over a period of years;

(6)(A) The manner of payment of prizes to the holders of winning tickets or shares.

(B) Winners of five hundred dollars ($500) or less may claim prizes from any of the following:

(i) A retailer; or

(ii) The commission.

(C)(i) Winners of more than five hundred dollars ($500) shall claim prizes from the commission.

(ii) The commission may establish claim centers throughout the state as it deems necessary;

(7) The frequency of lotteries and drawings or selection of winning tickets or shares;

(8) The means of conducting drawings;

(9)(A) The method to be used in selling tickets or shares.

(B) The selling of tickets or shares may include the use of electronic or mechanical devices.

(C) If the commission elects to use electronic or mechanical devices to sell tickets or shares, the commission shall provide by rule:

(i) Specifications and required features for electronic or mechanical devices that may be used to sell tickets or shares; and

(ii) Procedures and requirements to prevent the use of electronic or mechanical devices by an individual under eighteen (18) years of age.

(D) A retailer who knowingly allows a person under eighteen (18) years of age to purchase a lottery ticket from an electronic or mechanical device is subject to the penalties under § 23-115-901;

(10) The manner and amount of compensation to retailers; and

(11) Any other matters necessary, desirable, or convenient toward ensuring the efficient and effective operation of lotteries, the continued entertainment and convenience of the public, and the integrity of the lotteries.

(b) The commission may adopt rules requiring the publication on a ticket or share of the odds of winning a particular lottery game.

(c)(1)(A) Except as provided in subdivision (c)(1)(B) of this section, the promulgation of rules under this chapter shall comply with the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, § 25-15-201 et seq.

(B) The commission shall not be required to file rules under § 10-3-309.

(2)(A) The promulgation of rules by the commission shall be exempt from § 10-3-309.

(B) The commission shall file its rules with the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee for review at least thirty (30) days before the expiration of the public comment period.

23-115-208. Sovereign immunity.

(a) This chapter does not waive the sovereign immunity of the State of Arkansas.

(b)(1) A claim in contract or in tort against the Arkansas Lottery Commission or its employees shall be presented to the Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(2) The Arkansas Lottery Commission shall promulgate rules concerning the consideration of claims in contract or in tort presented to the Arkansas Lottery Commission, including without limitation rules concerning the conduct of hearings on claims in contract or in tort.

(c)(1) A claimant may appeal the decision of the commission under subsection (b) of this section to the Arkansas State Claims Commission.

(2) The claimant may:

(A) Within forty (40) days after the decision is rendered, file with the Arkansas State Claims Commission a notice of appeal of the decision of the Arkansas Lottery Commission;

(B) Within forty (40) days after the decision is rendered, file with the Arkansas Lottery Commission a motion for reconsideration requesting the Arkansas Lottery Commission to reconsider its decision; and

(C) Within twenty (20) days after Arkansas Lottery Commission's reconsideration or denial of the motion for reconsideration, file with the Arkansas State Claims Commission a notice of appeal of the decision of the Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(3) When the Arkansas Lottery Commission notifies parties of a decision of the Arkansas Lottery Commission, it shall advise the parties of the right of appeal.

(d)(1)(A) Except as provided in subdivisions (d)(2)-(4) of this section, appeals of claims in contract or in tort against the Arkansas Lottery Commission or its employees shall be conducted by the Arkansas State Claims Commission in the same manner as a claim under § 19-10-201 et seq.

(B) The Arkansas State Claims Commission shall consider an appeal de novo.

(2) A decision of the Arkansas State Claims Commission relating to a claim in contract or in tort against the Arkansas Lottery Commission or its employees shall not be appealed to the General Assembly.

(3)(A) A valid claim in any amount against the Arkansas Lottery Commission shall not be referred to the General Assembly for an appropriation.

(B) The Clerk of the State Claims Commission shall notify the Arkansas Lottery Commission of the amount of the valid claim.

(C) Upon receipt of notification from the clerk, the Arkansas Lottery Commission shall deliver a check to the clerk, who shall deposit the sum as a nonrevenue receipt into the Miscellaneous Revolving Fund from which he or she shall disburse the amount of the claim to the claimant.

(4) Written reports under § 19-10-212 shall be filed with the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee.

23-115-209. Appealing administrative orders of the commission.

(a) A retailer, a vendor, or an applicant for a major procurement contract or a retailer license aggrieved by an administrative order of the Arkansas Lottery Commission may appeal that decision to Pulaski County Circuit Court.

(b) The court shall hear appeals from administrative orders of the commission, and based upon the record of the proceedings before the commission, may reverse the administrative order of the commission only if the person appealing the administrative order proves the administrative order to be:

(1) Clearly erroneous;

(2) Arbitrary and capricious;

(3) Procured by fraud;

(4) A result of substantial misconduct by the commission; or

(5) Contrary to the United States Constitution, the Arkansas Constitution, or this chapter.

(c) The circuit court may remand an appeal to the commission to conduct further hearings.

(d)(1) A person who appeals the award of a contract, including without limitation a major procurement contract, is liable for all costs of appeal and defense if the appeal is denied or the contract award upheld.

(2) If upon the motion of the commission the court finds the appeal to have been frivolous, the cost of appeal and defense shall include without limitation the following expenses of the commission resulting from institution of the appeal:

(A) Court costs;

(B) Bond;

(C) Legal fees; and

(D) Loss of income.

23-115-210. Removal of commission member.

(a)(1) A member of the Arkansas Lottery Commission may be removed by the appointing authority for:

(A) Misconduct;

(B) Incompetence; or

(C) Any malfeasance in office.

(2) The appointing authority shall appoint a qualified individual to replace the removed member of the commission to serve the remainder of his or her term.

(b) An order of removal of a commission member by the appointing authority shall:

(1) Be in writing;

(2) Be delivered to the removed commission member or counsel for the removed commission member; and

(3) Specifically set out the grounds relied upon for removal.

(c)(1) A removed commission member may institute proceedings for review by filing a petition in Pulaski County Circuit Court within thirty (30) days after delivery to him or her or his or her attorney of the appointing authority's order of removal.

(2) This petition shall not supersede or stay the order of removal, nor shall any court enter an order to this effect or one that would impair the authority of the appointing authority to appoint a commission member whose service begins immediately upon fulfillment of the normal requirements for assuming office.

(d)(1) When the matter is heard by the circuit court, it shall be tried de novo without a jury.

(2) The appointing authority shall have the burden of proof to show by clear and convincing evidence that cause under subdivision (a)(1) of this section existed for removal of the commission member.

(3)(A) If the circuit court determines that cause has been shown, it shall enter an order removing the commission member in question from office.

(B) If the circuit court determines that cause under subdivision (a)(1) of this section has not been shown by clear and convincing evidence, the circuit court shall order the removed commission member reinstated to his or her position and upon request shall award a reasonable attorney's fee and court costs to the reinstated party.

(e)(1) Subject to the restrictions of subsection (c) of this section on supersedeas or stay orders, a removed commission member may appeal the decision of the circuit court to the Supreme Court.

(2) The appointing authority may appeal the decision of the circuit court to the Supreme Court, but the appeal shall not preclude the circuit court, in its discretion, from entering an order reinstating the removed member.

(f) A commission action in which the appointed replacement commission member participates is not void, voidable, or in any way subject to invalidation on grounds of participation of the appointed replacement commission member or lack of participation by the removed commission member if the circuit court or the Supreme Court orders the removed commission member reinstated.

23-115-211. Certain sections inapplicable.

The following sections shall not apply the Arkansas Lottery Commission:

(1) Section 19-1-211;

(2) Section 19-1-301 et seq.;

(3) Section 19-1-609;

(4) Section 19-4-1802;

(5) Section 19-5-206; and

(6) Section 19-11-301 et seq.

SUBCHAPTER 3

EMPLOYEES OF ARKANSAS LOTTERY COMMISSION

23-115-301. Director – Appointment – Duties.

(a)(1)(A) The Arkansas Lottery Commission shall appoint the Director of the Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(B) The director is an employee of the commission and shall direct the day-to-day operations and management of the commission.

(2) The director is vested with powers and duties as specified by the commission and by law.

(3) The director serves at the pleasure of the commission.

(b)(1) An individual considered for appointment as director shall apply to the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police for a state and federal criminal background check to be conducted by the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police and the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

(2) The state and federal criminal background check shall conform to the applicable federal standards and shall include the taking of fingerprints.

(3) The applicant shall sign a consent to the release of information for the state and federal criminal background check.

(4) The commission shall be responsible for the payment of any fee associated with the state and federal criminal background check.

(5) Upon completion of the state and federal criminal background check, the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police shall forward to the commission all releasable information obtained concerning the applicant.

(c) The commission shall not employ as director an individual who has:

(1) Been convicted of a felony or a gambling offense in a state or federal court of the United States;

(2) Been convicted of a crime involving moral turpitude; or

(3) Entered into a plea agreement to avoid felony prosecution.

23-115-302. Duties of director.

(a) The Director of the Arkansas Lottery Commission shall direct and supervise all administrative and technical activities related to the operation of a lottery in accordance with this chapter and with rules adopted by the Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(b) The director shall:

(1) Facilitate the initiation and supervise and administer the operation of the lotteries;

(2) Direct personnel as deemed necessary;

(3) Employ and compensate persons and firms as deemed necessary;

(4) Appoint, select, and employ officers, agents, and employees, including professional and administrative staff and personnel and hearing officers, and fix their compensation and pay their expenses as authorized by Arkansas law;

(5) Promote or provide for the promotion of lotteries and any functions related to the operation of a lottery;

(6) Prepare a budget for the approval of the commission;

(7) Require bond from retailers and vendors in amounts as required by the commission;

(8) Report monthly to the commission and the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee a complete statement of lottery revenues and expenses for the preceding month and an accompanying statement of net assets; and

(9) Perform other duties generally associated with a director of a commission of an entrepreneurial nature.

(c) The director may for good cause suspend, revoke, or refuse to renew any contract or license entered into in accordance with this chapter and the rules of the commission.

(d) The director or his or her designee may conduct hearings and administer oaths to persons to assure the security and integrity of lottery operations or to determine the qualifications of or compliance by vendors and retailers.

23-115-303. Employees – Background investigation.

(a) As required by Arkansas Constitution Article 16, § 4, the General Assembly shall fix the salaries of all employees of the Arkansas Lottery Commission, including without limitation the Director of the Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(b) A commission employee shall not have a financial interest in a vendor doing business or proposing to do business with the commission.

(c) A commission employee with decision-making authority shall not participate in a decision involving a retailer with whom the commission employee has a financial interest.

(d)(1) A commission employee who leaves the employment of the commission shall not:

(A) Represent a vendor or retailer before the commission for a period of two (2) years after leaving the employment of the commission; or

(B) Engage in lobbying on any matter related to the operation or conduct of a lottery for a period of two (2) years after leaving the employment of the commission.

(2)(A) Subdivision (d)(1) of this section is supplemental to § 19-11-701 et seq.

(B) If any provision of § 19-11-701 et seq. would impose a restriction on a specific employee greater than the restrictions under subdivision (d)(1) of this section, the provision of § 19-11-701 et seq. shall apply.

(e)(1) Each person considered for employment by the commission shall apply to the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police for a state and federal criminal background check to be conducted by the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police and the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

(2) The state and federal criminal background check shall conform to the applicable federal standards and shall include the taking of fingerprints.

(3) The applicant shall sign a consent to the release of information for the state and federal criminal background check.

(4) The commission shall be responsible for the payment of any fee associated with the state and federal criminal background check.

(5) Upon completion of the state and federal criminal background check, the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police shall forward to the commission all releasable information obtained concerning the applicant.

(f) The commission shall not employ an individual who has:

(1) Been convicted of a felony or a gambling offense in a state or federal court of the United States;

(2) Been convicted of a crime involving moral turpitude; or

(3) Entered into a plea agreement to avoid felony prosecution.

(g)(1) The commission shall bond a commission employee with access to commission funds or lottery revenue in an amount as provided by the commission and may bond other commission employees as deemed necessary.

(2) Bonds under subdivision (g)(1) of this section shall be fidelity bonds in excess of the amount provided by the Governmental Bonding Board.

23-115-304. Commission employees – Participation in Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System.

(a) Employees of the Arkansas Lottery Commission shall be members of the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System.

(b) A commission employee's salary for retirement purposes shall be the amount determined by the commission as authorized by the General Assembly and shall not include any multipliers used to increase a person's salary as authorized by the General Assembly.

23-115-305. Regular salaries.

There is hereby established for the Arkansas Lottery Commission the following regular employees, the grades to be assigned to the respective positions, and the maximum annual salaries for each such position. The maximum annual salary for the positions assigned to grades shall be determined in accordance with, but shall not exceed, the maximum annual amount for the grade assigned herein, as established in § 21-5-209. Except for the purpose of determining the maximum annual salary rate, which is to be applicable to each of the positions to which a salary grade is assigned hereinafter, in accordance with § 21-5-209, all positions set forth herein shall be exempt from other provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act, § 21-5-201 et seq., or its successor, but shall not be exempt from the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act, § 21-5-101 et seq. or its successor.

Item No.	Class Code	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate
(01)		LOTTERY CMSN EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	1	$141,603
(02)		LOTTERY CMSN INTERNAL AUDITOR	1	$141,603
(03)		LOTTERY CMSN CHIEF OPERATING OFFICER	1	$126,050
(04)		LOTTERY CMSN INFORMATION TECH DIR	1	GRADE N912
(05)		LOTTERY CMSN ADMIN & OPERATIONS DIR	1	GRADE N912
(06)		LOTTERY CMSN CHIEF LEGAL COUNSEL	1	GRADE N910
(07)		LOTTERY CMSN CHIEF FISCAL OFFICER	1	GRADE N910
(08)		LOTTERY CMSM MARKETING & PROD DEV DIR	1	GRADE N909
(09)		LOTTERY CMSN SALES/RETAIL RELATIONS DIR	1	GRADE N909
(10)		LOTTERY CMSN PROCUREMENT DIRECTOR	1	GRADE N908
(11)		LOTTERY CMSN ADMIN ANALYST	2	GRADE C115
(12)		LOTTERY CMSN ADMIN SUPPORT SUPERVISOR	2	GRADE C113
(13)		LOTTERY CMSN ADMIN SUPPORT SPEC III	6	GRADE C112

23-115-306. Special salary allowances.

(a) The Arkansas Lottery Commission, upon approval of the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee, may make special salary allowances authorized by this section in amounts as the commission may determine equitable in view of the exacting duties which are involved as a part of the salary of the:

(1) Executive Director of the Arkansas Lottery Commission;

(2) Internal auditor of the commission; and

(3) Chief operating officer of the commission.

(b) An allowance under subsection (a) of this section shall not exceed an amount equal to two and one half (2 1/2) times the salary for the position authorized by the General Assembly.

23-115-307. Expansion pool.

(a) The Arkansas Lottery Commission is authorized an expansion pool of sixty (60) positions not to exceed the career service grade C130 and fifteen (15) positions not to exceed the professional and executive grade N922 to be used to establish additional positions of the proper title and salary if the commission does not have sufficient positions available to address growth needs.

(b) A position established under this section shall not exceed a salary rate in excess of the highest rate established by grade or by line item in this act.

(c) A position shall not be authorized from the expansion pool until the specific positions that are requested by the commission are reviewed by the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee.

(d) When seeking review of positions by the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee under this section, the commission shall provide an organizational chart indicating the current structure of the commission and its employees.

(e)(1) The requirement of review by the committee prior to authorizing positions from the expansion pool is not a severable part of this section.

(2) If the requirement of review by the committee is ruled unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, this section is void.

SUBCHAPTER 4
OPERATION OF LOTTERY

23-115-401. Minority-owned and female-owned businesses.

(a) It is the intent of the General Assembly that the Arkansas Lottery Commission encourage participation by minority-owned businesses and female-owned businesses.

(b) The commission shall adopt a plan that encourages to the greatest extent possible a level of participation by minority-owned businesses and female-owned businesses taking into account the total number of all retailers and vendors, including any subcontractors.

(c) The commission shall provide training programs and other educational activities to encourage minority-owned businesses and female-owned businesses to compete for contracts on an equal basis.

(d) The commission shall employ procurement officials to assist prospective vendors and retailers with entering into and competing for contracts, including without limitation the development and implementation of the plans and programs under subsections (b) and (c) of this section.

(e) The commission shall monitor the results of minority-owned business and female-owned business participation and shall report the results of minority-owned business and female-owned business participation to the Governor and the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee on at least an annual basis.

23-115-402. Restriction on sales.

(a)(1) Unless authorized to do so in writing by the Director of the Arkansas Lottery Commission, a person shall not sell a ticket or share at a price other than established by the Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(2)(A) Only a retailer holding a valid certificate of authority from the commission shall sell a ticket.

(B) This subsection does not prevent an individual who may lawfully purchase tickets or shares from making a gift of tickets or shares to another individual.

(b) This chapter does not prohibit the commission from designating certain of its agents and employees to sell or give tickets or shares directly to the public.

(c) Subject to prior approval by the commission, retailers may give away tickets or shares as a means of promoting goods or services to customers or prospective customers.

(d) A retailer shall not sell a ticket or share except from the locations evidenced by the retailer's license issued by the commission unless the commission authorizes in writing any temporary location not listed in the retailer's license.

(e)(1) Tickets or shares shall not be sold or given to individuals under eighteen (18) years of age.

(2) An individual under eighteen (18) years of age is not eligible to win a lottery prize.

(f) An individual is not eligible to win a lottery prize while the individual is incarcerated in:

(1) The Department of Correction;
(2) The Department of Community Correction; or
(3) A county or municipal jail or detention facility.

23-115-403. Attachments, garnishments, or executions withheld from lottery prizes – Validity of tickets or shares – Lottery prize restrictions – Unclaimed lottery prizes.

(a) Proceeds of a lottery prize are subject to Arkansas state income tax.

(b)(1) Except as otherwise provided in this chapter, attachments, garnishments, or executions authorized and issued under Arkansas law shall be withheld if timely served upon the Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(2) Subdivision (b)(1) of this section does not apply to a retailer.

(c) The commission shall adopt rules to establish a system of verifying the validity of tickets or shares claimed to win lottery prizes and to effect payment of lottery prizes, except that:

(1)(A) A lottery prize, any portion of a lottery prize, or any right of any individual to a lottery prize is not assignable.

(B) A lottery prize or any portion of a lottery prize remaining unpaid at the death of a lottery prize winner shall be paid to the estate of the deceased lottery prize winner or to the trustee of a trust established by the deceased lottery prize winner as settlor if:

(i) A copy of the trust document or instrument has been filed with the commission along with a notarized letter of direction from the settlor; and

(ii) No written notice of revocation has been received by the commission before the settlor's death.

(C) Following a settlor's death and before any payment to a successor trustee, the commission shall obtain from the trustee a written agreement to indemnify and hold the commission harmless with respect to any claims that may be asserted against the commission arising from payment to or through the trust.

(D) Under an appropriate judicial order, an individual shall be paid the lottery prize to which a winner is entitled;

(2) A lottery prize shall not be paid arising from claimed tickets that are:

(A) Stolen, counterfeit, altered, fraudulent, unissued, produced or issued in error, unreadable, not received, or not recorded by the commission within applicable deadlines;

(B) Lacking in captions that conform and agree with the play symbols as appropriate to the particular lottery involved; or

(C) Not in compliance with rules and public or confidential validation and security tests of the commission appropriate to the particular lottery involved;

(3)(A) A particular lottery prize in any lottery shall not be paid more than one (1) time.

(B) If there is a determination that more than one (1) claimant is entitled to a particular lottery prize, the sole remedy of the claimants is the award to each of them of an equal share in the lottery prize;

(4)(A) Within one hundred eighty (180) days after the drawing in which a cash lottery prize has been won, a holder of a winning cash ticket or share from an Arkansas lottery or from a multistate or multisovereign lottery shall claim the cash lottery prize.

(B)(i) In an Arkansas lottery in which a player may determine instantly if he or she has won or lost, a player who has won shall claim a cash lottery prize within ninety (90) days after the playing of the instant game.

(ii) In any multistate or multisovereign lottery in which a player may determine instantly if he or she has won or lost, a player who has won shall claim a cash lottery prize within one hundred eighty (180) days after the playing of the instant game.

(C) If a valid claim is not made for a cash lottery prize within the applicable period, the cash lottery prize constitutes an unclaimed lottery prize for purposes of this section.

(D) The commission at any time may alter the time periods under subdivisions (4)(A) and (B) of this section by rule; and

(5)(A) If practicable, an auditor chosen by the commission shall be present at a draw to determine the winners of a draw game to verify the accuracy of the results.

(B) The commission may select an auditor employed by the Division of Legislative Audit for the purposes of subdivision (c)(5) of this section.

(d)(1) A lottery prize shall not be paid upon a ticket or share purchased or sold in violation of this chapter.

(2) A lottery prize described in subdivision (d)(1) of this section is an unclaimed lottery prize for purposes of this section.

(e) The commission is discharged of all liability upon payment of a lottery prize.

(f)(1) A ticket or share shall not be purchased by and a lottery prize shall not be paid to any:

(A) Member of the commission;

(B) Employee of the commission; or

(C) Member of the immediate family of a member of the commission or an employee of the commission.

(2) If an officer, employee, agent, or subcontractor of a vendor has access to confidential information that may compromise the integrity of a lottery, a ticket or share shall not be purchased by and a lottery prize shall not be paid to the:

(A) Officer, employee, agent, or subcontractor of the vendor; or

(B) Immediate family of the officer, employee, agent, or subcontractor of the vendor.

(g)(1) Unclaimed prize money is not net lottery proceeds.

(2)(A) An annual amount of at least two hundred thousand dollars ($200,000) shall be directed to the Department of Health for the treatment of compulsive gambling disorder and educational programs related to compulsive gambling disorder.

(B) As part of its regulation of public health, the State Board of Health may promulgate rules to implement subdivision (g)(2)(A) of this section, including without limitation the creation of:

(i) Programs for the treatment of compulsive gambling disorder; and

(ii) Educational programs related to compulsive gambling disorder.

(3) Unclaimed lottery prize money remaining after the payment under subdivision (g)(2) of this section shall be:

(A) Added to the pool from which future lottery prizes are to be awarded; or

(B) Used for special lottery prize promotions.

23-115-404. Confidential information.

(a)(1) Except as provided in subdivision (a)(2) of this section, the Arkansas Lottery Commission shall comply with the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq.

(2) The following records or information in the possession of the commission shall be treated as confidential and are exempt from public disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq.:

(A) Information pertaining to the security of lottery games and lottery operations, including without limitation:

(i) Security measures, systems, or procedures; and

(ii) Security reports; and

(B) Any records exempt from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq.

(b) The Division of Legislative Audit shall have full access to the records of the commission.

23-115-405. Intelligence sharing, reciprocal use, or restricted use agreements.

(a) The Arkansas Lottery Commission may enter into an intelligence sharing, reciprocal use, or restricted use agreement with the United States Government, law enforcement agencies, lottery regulation agencies, and gaming enforcement agencies of other jurisdictions that provide for and regulate the use of information provided and received under the agreement.

(b) Records, documents, and information in the possession of the commission received under subsection (a) of this section are exempt from the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq., and shall not be released without the permission of the person or agency providing the records, documents, and information.

23-115-406. Authority of local government.

(a)(1) The authority of local government concerning all matters relating to the operation of lotteries is preempted by this chapter.

(2) Local government shall not take any action, including without limitation the adoption of an ordinance, relating to the operation of lotteries.

(b) This section does not prohibit local government from requiring a retailer to obtain an occupational license for any business unrelated to the sale of tickets or shares.

23-115-407. Video lotteries prohibited.

A video lottery shall not be used as part of a lottery under this chapter.

23-115-408. Video lotteries prohibited.

This chapter does not permit the use of a video lottery for any purposes by any institution or facility governed by the:

(1) Arkansas Horse Racing Law, § 23-110-101 et seq.;

(2) Arkansas Greyhound Racing Law, § 23-111-101 et seq.; or

(3) Local Option Horse Racing and Greyhound Racing Electronic Games of Skill Act, 23-113-101 et seq.

SUBCHAPTER 5
VENDORS

23-115-501. Vendors – Requirements when submitting a bid, proposal, or offer – Major procurement contract.

(a) The Arkansas Lottery Commission shall investigate the financial responsibility, security, and integrity of a vendor who is a finalist in submitting a bid, proposal, or offer as part of a major procurement contract.

(b) At the time of submitting a bid, proposal, or offer to the commission, the commission shall require the following items:

(1) A disclosure of the vendor's name and address and, as applicable, the names and addresses of the following:

(A)(i) If the vendor is a corporation, the officers, directors, and each stockholder of more than a ten percent (10%) interest in the corporation.

(ii) However, in the case of owners of equity securities of a publicly traded corporation, only the names and addresses of those known to the corporation to own beneficially five percent (5%) or more of the securities need be disclosed;

(B) If the vendor is a trust, the trustee and all persons entitled to receive income or benefits from the trust;

(C) If the vendor is an association, the members, officers, and directors; and

(D) If the vendor is a partnership or joint venture, all of the general partners, limited partners, or joint venturers;

(2) A disclosure of all the states and jurisdictions in which the vendor does business and the nature of the business for each state or jurisdiction;

(3) A disclosure of all the states and jurisdictions in which the vendor has contracts to supply gaming goods or services, including without limitation lottery goods and services, and the nature of the goods or services involved for each state or jurisdiction;

(4)(A) A disclosure of all the states and jurisdictions in which the vendor has applied for, has sought renewal of, has received, has been denied, has pending, or has had revoked a lottery or gaming license of any kind or had fines or penalties assessed to the vendor's license, contract, or operation and the disposition of each instance in each state or jurisdiction.

(B) If any lottery or gaming license or contract has been revoked or has not been renewed or any lottery or gaming license or application has been either denied or is pending and has remained pending for more than six (6) months, all of the facts and circumstances underlying the failure to receive a license shall be disclosed;

(5)(A) A disclosure of the details of any finding or plea, conviction, or adjudication of guilt in a state or federal court of the vendor for any felony or any other criminal offense other than a traffic violation committed by the persons identified under subdivision (b)(1) of this section.

(B)(i) The commission may request that any or all of the persons identified under subdivision (b)(1) of this section undergo a state and federal criminal background check.

(ii) If requested, a state and federal criminal background check shall be conducted in the manner under 23-115-601(e);

(6) A disclosure of the details of any bankruptcy, insolvency, reorganization, or corporate or individual purchase or takeover of another corporation, including without limitation bonded indebtedness, and any pending litigation of the vendor;

(7) A disclosure of the vendor's most recent financial report, including any reports on internal control over financial reporting, and the most recent audit report of the vendor's operation as a service organization; and

(8) Additional disclosures and information that the commission may determine to be appropriate for the procurement involved.

(c) If any portion of a vendor's contract is subcontracted, the vendor shall disclose all of the information required by this section for the subcontractor as if the subcontractor were itself a vendor.

(d)(1) The commission shall not enter into a major procurement contract with a vendor that:

(A) Has not complied with the disclosure requirements described in subsection (b) of this section;

(B) Has been found guilty of a felony related to the security or integrity of a lottery in this or any other jurisdiction; or

(C) Has an ownership interest in an entity that has supplied lottery goods or services under contract to the commission regarding the request for proposals pertaining to those particular goods or services.

(2) The commission may terminate a major procurement contract with a vendor that does not comply with requirements for periodically updating disclosures during the tenure of the major procurement contract as may be specified in the major procurement contract.

(3) This section shall be construed broadly and liberally to achieve full disclosure of all information necessary to allow for a full and complete evaluation by the commission of the competence, integrity, background, and character of vendors for major procurement contracts.

(e)(1) A vendor or an applicant for a major procurement contract shall not provide a gift to:

(A) The Director of the Arkansas Lottery Commission, a commission member, a commission employee, or a member of the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee; or

(B) A member of the immediate family of the director, a commission member, a commission employee, or a member of the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee.

(2) This subsection shall be enforced and penalties shall be assessed in the same manner as § 21-8-301 et seq.

(f)(1) A public official shall not knowingly own a financial interest in a vendor.

(2)(A) If a public official becomes aware that he or she owns a financial interest in a vendor, the public official shall divest the financial interest as soon as possible.

(B) A public official shall not divest the financial interest to a member of his or her immediate family.

23-115-502. Vendor – Performance bond or letter of credit.

(a)(1) At the execution of the major procurement contract with the Arkansas Lottery Commission, each vendor shall post a performance bond or letter of credit from a bank or credit provider acceptable to the commission in an amount as deemed necessary by the commission for that particular bid or major procurement contract.

(2) In lieu of the bond, to assure the faithful performance of its obligations, a vendor may deposit and maintain with the commission securities that are:

(A) Interest bearing or accruing; and

(B) Rated in one (1) of the three (3) highest classifications by an established, nationally recognized investment rating service.

(2) Securities eligible under this section are limited to:

(A) Certificates of deposit in an amount fully insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation issued by solvent banks or savings associations, if the solvent banks or savings associations are:

(i) Approved by the commission; and

(ii) Organized and existing under the laws of this state or under the laws of the United States;

(B) United States Government bonds, notes, and bills for which the full faith and credit of the United States Government is pledged for the payment of principal and interest;

(C) Federal agency securities by an agency or instrumentality of the United States Government; and

(D)(i) Corporate bonds approved by the commission.

(ii) The entity that issued the bonds shall not be an affiliate or subsidiary of the depositor.

(3) The securities shall be held in trust and shall have at all times a market value at least equal to the full amount estimated to be paid annually to the vendor under contract.

(b)(1) Each vendor shall be qualified to do business in this state and shall file appropriate tax returns as provided by the laws of this state.

(2) All major procurement contracts under this section shall be governed by the laws of this state except as provided in this chapter.

23-115-503. Cancellation, suspension, revocation, or termination of major procurement contract.

(a) A major procurement contract executed by the Arkansas Lottery Commission under this chapter shall specify the reasons for which the major procurement contract may be canceled, suspended, revoked, or terminated by the commission. The reasons shall include without limitation:

(1) Commission of a violation of this chapter or a rule of the commission;

(2) Commission of any fraud, deceit, or misrepresentation;

(3) Conduct prejudicial to public confidence in a lottery;

(4) The vendor's filing for or being placed in bankruptcy or receivership; or

(5) Any material change as determined in the sole discretion of the commission in any matter considered by the commission in executing the major procurement contract with the vendor.

(b)(1) If upon approval of the commission the Director of the Arkansas Lottery Commission or his or her designee determines that cancellation, denial, revocation, suspension, or rejection of renewal of a major procurement contract is in the best interest of lotteries, the public welfare, or the State of Arkansas, the director or his or her designee may cancel, suspend, revoke, or terminate, after notice and a right to a hearing, a major procurement contract issued under this chapter.

(2) The major procurement contract may be temporarily suspended by the director or his or her designee without commission approval or prior notice pending a hearing.

(3) A major procurement contract may be suspended, revoked, or terminated by the director or his or her designee for any one (1) or more of the reasons enumerated in this section.

(c) Hearings under this section shall be held in accordance with the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, § 25-15-201 et seq.

23-115-504. Political contributions by vendors.

(a) The General Assembly finds:

(1) That the integrity of the Arkansas Lottery Commission and lotteries is of utmost importance; and

(2) That the people of the State of Arkansas should have confidence and be assured that public officials are free of any untoward political influence by vendors.

(b) A vendor or an officer, employee, agent, or subcontractor of a vendor shall not make a political contribution to a public official or a candidate for election as a public official.

SUBCHAPTER 6
RETAILERS

23-115-601. Retailers.

(a) The General Assembly recognizes that to conduct a successful lottery, the Arkansas Lottery Commission must develop and maintain a statewide network of retailers that will serve the public convenience and promote the sale of tickets or shares and the playing of lotteries while ensuring the integrity of lottery operations, games, and activities.

(b) The commission shall make every effort to provide small retailers a chance to participate in the sales of tickets or shares.

(c) The commission shall provide for compensation to retailers in the form of commissions in an amount of not less than five percent (5%) of gross sales of tickets and shares and may provide for other forms of compensation for services rendered in the sale or cashing of tickets or shares.

(d)(1) For purposes of display, the commission shall issue a license to each person that it licenses as a retailer.

(2)(A) Every retailer shall post and keep conspicuously displayed in a location on the premises accessible to the public its license.

(B) A license is not assignable or transferable.

(e)(1) A person considered as a retailer shall apply to the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police for a state and federal criminal background check, to be conducted by the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police and the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

(2) The state and federal criminal background check shall conform to the applicable federal standards and shall include the taking of fingerprints.

(3) The applicant shall sign a consent to the release of information for the state and federal criminal background check.

(4) The commission shall be responsible for the payment of any fee associated with the state and federal criminal background check.

(5) Upon completion of the state and federal criminal background check, the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police shall forward to the commission all releasable information obtained concerning the applicant.

(f)(1) The commission shall develop a list of objective criteria upon which the qualification of retailers shall be based.

(2) The commission shall develop separate criteria to govern the selection of retailers of instant tickets.

(3) In developing the criteria, the commission shall consider certain factors, including without limitation:

(A) The applicant's financial responsibility;

(B) Security of the applicant's place of business or activity;

(C) Accessibility to the public;

(D) The applicant’s integrity; and

(E) The applicant’s reputation.

(4) The commission shall not consider political affiliation, activities, or monetary contributions to political organizations or candidates for any public office.

(5) The criteria shall include without limitation the following:

(A)(i) The applicant shall be current in filing all applicable tax returns to the State of Arkansas and in payment of all taxes, interest, and penalties owed to the State of Arkansas, excluding items under formal appeal under applicable statutes.

(ii) The Department of Finance and Administration shall provide to the commission the information required under subdivision (f)(5)(A)(i) of this section;

(B) The commission shall not select as a retailer any person who:

(i) Has been convicted of a criminal offense related to the security or integrity of a lottery in this or any other jurisdiction;

(ii)(a) Has been convicted of any illegal gambling activity, false statements, false swearing, or perjury in this or any other jurisdiction or convicted of any crime punishable by more than one (1) year of imprisonment or a fine of more than one thousand dollars ($1,000), or both.

(b) Subdivision (f)(5)(B)(ii)(a) of this section shall not apply if the person’s civil rights have been restored and at least five (5) years have elapsed from the date of the completion of the sentence without a subsequent conviction of a crime described in subdivision (f)(5)(B)(ii)(a) of this section;

(iii) Has been found to have violated this chapter or any rule, policy, or procedure of the commission unless:

(a) Ten (10) years have passed since the violation; or

(b) The commission finds the violation both minor and unintentional in nature;

(iv) Is a vendor or an employee or agent of a vendor doing business with the commission;

(v) Is a member of the immediate family of a member of the commission;

(vi) Has made a statement of material fact to the commission knowing the statement to be false; or

(vii)(a) Is engaged exclusively in the business of selling tickets or shares.

(b) Subdivision (f)(5)(B)(vii)(a) of this section does not preclude the commission from selling or giving away tickets or shares for promotional purposes;

(C)(i) A person applying to become a retailer shall be charged a uniform application fee determined by rule for each lottery outlet.

(ii) The application fee shall take into account the cost of a state and federal criminal background check under subsection (e) of this section; and

(D) All retailer licenses may be renewable annually in the discretion of the commission unless canceled or terminated by the commission.

(g)(1) A retailer or an applicant to be a retailer shall not provide a gift to:

(A) The Director of the Arkansas Lottery Commission, a commission member, or a commission employee; or

(B) A member of the immediate family of the director, a commission member, or a commission employee.

(2) This subsection shall be enforced and penalties shall be assessed in the same manner as § 21-8-301 et seq.

23-115-602. Retailer license.

(a) A retailer license is not transferable or assignable.

(b) A retailer shall not contract with any person for lottery goods or services except with the approval of the Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(c) Tickets and shares shall be sold only by the retailer stated on the retailer's license issued by the commission under this chapter.

23-115-603. Fidelity fund – Retailer fee – Reserve account to cover losses – Retailer bond.

(a)(1) The Arkansas Lottery Commission shall establish a fidelity fund separate from all other funds and shall assess each retailer an annual fee not to exceed one hundred dollars ($100) per sales location to be deposited into the fidelity fund.

(2) Moneys deposited into the fidelity fund may be:

(A) Invested or deposited into one (1) or more interest-bearing accounts;

(B) Used to cover losses the commission experiences due to nonfeasance, misfeasance, or malfeasance of a retailer; and

(C) Used to purchase blanket bonds covering the commission against losses from all retailers.

(3) At the end of each fiscal year, the commission shall pay to the trust account managed and maintained by the Department of Higher Education any amount in the fidelity fund that exceeds five hundred thousand dollars ($500,000), and the funds shall be considered net proceeds from a lottery.

(b)(1) A reserve account may be established as a general operating expense to cover amounts deemed uncollectable.

(2) The commission shall establish procedures for minimizing any losses that may be deemed uncollectable and shall exercise and exhaust all available options in those procedures before writing off amounts to this account.

(c)(1) The commission shall require a retailer to post an appropriate bond, as determined by the commission, using an insurance company acceptable to the commission.

(2) If applicable, the amount of the bond shall not exceed the district sales average of tickets for two (2) billing periods.

(d)(1) In its discretion, the commission may allow a retailer to deposit and maintain with the commission securities that are interest-bearing or accruing.

(2) Securities eligible under this subsection are limited to:

(A) Certificates of deposit in an amount fully insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation issued by solvent banks or savings associations organized and existing under the laws of this state or under the laws of the United States;

(B) United States Government bonds, notes, and bills for which the full faith and credit of the United States Government is pledged for the payment of principal and interest; or

(C) Federal agency securities by an agency or instrumentality of the United States Government.

(3) The securities shall be held in trust in the name of the commission.

23-115-604. Cancellation, suspension, revocation, or termination of retailer license.

(a) A retailer license executed by the Arkansas Lottery Commission under this chapter shall specify the reasons for which the retailer license may be canceled, suspended, revoked, or terminated by the commission. The reasons shall include without limitation:

(1) Commission of a violation of this chapter or a rule of the commission;

(2) Failure to accurately or timely account for tickets, lottery games, revenues, or prizes as required by the commission;

(3) Commission of any fraud, deceit, or misrepresentation;

(4) Insufficient sales;

(5) Conduct prejudicial to public confidence in a lottery;

(6) The retailer's filing for or being placed in bankruptcy or receivership;

(7) Any material change as determined in the sole discretion of the commission in any matter considered by the commission in executing the license with the retailer; or

(8) Failure to meet any of the objective criteria established by the commission under this chapter.

(b)(1) If upon approval of the commission the Director of the Arkansas Lottery Commission or his or her designee determines that cancellation, denial, revocation, suspension, or rejection of renewal of a retailer license is in the best interest of lotteries, the public welfare, or the State of Arkansas, the director or his or her designee may cancel, suspend, revoke, or terminate, after notice and a right to a hearing, a retailer license issued under this chapter.

(2)(A) The retailer license may be temporarily suspended by the director or his or her designee without commission approval or prior notice pending a hearing.

(3) A retailer license may be suspended, revoked, or terminated by the director or his or her designee for any one (1) or more of the reasons enumerated in subsection (a) of this section.

(4) Hearings under subsection (b) of this section shall be held in accordance with the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, § 25-15-201 et seq.

23-115-605. Retailers – Fiduciary duty – Protection against loss.

(a)(1) All proceeds from the sale of tickets or shares constitute a trust fund until paid to the Arkansas Lottery Commission either directly or through the commission's authorized collection representative.

(2) A retailer and officers of a retailer's business have a fiduciary duty to preserve and account for retail lottery proceeds, and retailers are personally liable for all lottery proceeds.

(3) For the purpose of this section, lottery proceeds include without limitation:

(A) Unsold instant tickets received by a retailer;

(B) Cash proceeds of the sale of any lottery products;

(C) Net of allowable sales commissions; and

(D) Credit for lottery prizes paid to winners by retailers.

(4) Sales proceeds and unused instant tickets shall be delivered to the commission or its authorized collection representative upon demand.

(b)(1) The commission shall require retailers to place all lottery proceeds due the commission in accounts in institutions insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation not later than the close of the next banking day after the date of their collection by the retailer until the date they are paid to the commission.

(2) At the time of the deposit, lottery proceeds shall be deemed to be the property of the commission.

(3) The commission may require a retailer to establish a single separate electronic funds transfer account when available for the purpose of:

(A) Receiving moneys from ticket or share sales;

(B) Making payments to the commission; and

(C) Receiving payments for the commission.

(4) Unless authorized in writing by the commission, each retailer shall establish a separate bank account for lottery proceeds that shall be kept separate and apart from all other funds and assets and shall not be commingled with any other funds or assets.

(c) When an individual who receives proceeds from the sale of tickets or shares in the capacity of a retailer becomes insolvent or dies insolvent, the proceeds due the commission from the individual or his or her estate have preference over all debts or demands.

(d) If the commission determines that a retailer failed to comply with subsection (b) of this section three (3) times within any consecutive twenty-four-month period, the commission may refer the retailer to the Department of Finance and Administration with a recommendation that the department pursue business closure against the retailer as a noncompliant taxpayer as provided in § 26-18-1001 et seq.

23-115-606. Retailer – Rental payments based on percentage of retail sales.

If a retailer's rental payments for the business premises are contractually computed, in whole or in part, on the basis of a percentage of retail sales and the computation of retail sales is not explicitly defined to include sales of tickets or shares, only the compensation received by the retailer from the Arkansas Lottery Commission may be considered the amount of the lottery retail sale for purposes of computing the rental payment.

SUBCHAPTER 7
PROCUREMENTS

23-115-701. Procurements – Major procurement contracts – Competitive bidding.

(a)(1) The Arkansas Lottery Commission may purchase, lease, or lease-purchase goods or services as necessary for effectuating the purposes of this chapter.

(2) The commission may make procurements that integrate functions, including without limitation:

(A) Lottery design;

(B) Ticket distribution to retailers;

(C) Supply of goods and services; and

(D) Advertising.

(3) In all procurement decisions, the commission shall:

(A) Take into account the particularly sensitive nature of lotteries; and

(B) Act to promote and ensure:

(i) Security, honesty, fairness, and integrity in the operation and administration of lotteries; and

(ii) The objectives of raising net proceeds for the benefit of scholarships and grants.

(b) Except as provided in subsections (c) and (d) of this section, the commission shall comply with the Arkansas Procurement Law, § 19-11-201 et seq.

(c)(1) The commission shall adopt rules concerning the procurement process for major procurement contracts.

(2) The commission shall arrange for the solicitation and receipt of competitive bids for major procurement contracts.

(3) The commission is not required to accept the lowest responsible bid for major procurement contracts but shall select a bid that provides the greatest long-term benefit to the state, the greatest integrity for the commission, and the best service and products for the public.

(d) In any bidding process, the commission may administer its own bidding and procurement or may utilize the services of the Department of Finance and Administration.

(e)(1) Each proposed major procurement contract shall be filed with the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee for review before the execution date of the major procurement contract.

(2) The committee shall provide the commission with its review as to the propriety of the major procurement contract within thirty (30) days after receipt of the proposed major procurement contract.

SUBCHAPTER 8
LOTTERY PROCEEDS

23-115-801. Lottery proceeds.

(a)(1) All lottery proceeds are the property of the Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(2)(A) The commission shall pay its operating expenses from its lottery proceeds.

(B)(i) An amount of lottery proceeds determined by the commission to maximize net proceeds shall be made available as prize money.

(ii)(a) Subdivision (a)(2)(B)(i) of this section does not create any lien, entitlement, cause of action, or other private right.

(b) In setting the terms of a lottery, the commission shall determine any rights of holders of tickets or shares.

(3) The percentage of lottery proceeds determined by the commission to be net proceeds shall equal an amount determined by the commission to maximize net proceeds.

(b)(1) On or before the fifteenth day of each month, the commission shall deposit the net proceeds from the lottery into one (1) or more trust accounts at one (1) or more financial institutions.

(2) The commission shall follow the investment policy guidelines of the State Board of Finance in selecting a financial institution and managing the net proceeds from the lottery deposited into a trust account.

(c)(1) The Director of the Department of Higher Education shall certify to the commission the amount of net proceeds from the lottery needed to:

(A) Fund the scholarships awarded to recipients under § 6-85-201 et seq. for an academic year; and

(B) Ensure that sufficient funds remain available to pay for scholarship awards for the recipients through the anticipated completion of the degree or certificate a recipient is seeking.

(2)(A)(i) The commission shall transfer the funds requested by the director under subdivision (c)(1) of this section into one (1) or more trust accounts at one (1) or more financial institutions meeting the requirements of subdivision (b)(2) of this section maintained by the department.

(ii) The director shall disburse trust account funds only in the name of the recipient:

(a) To an approved institution of higher education; or

(b) If a recipient transfers to another approved institution of higher education, to the approved institution of higher education where the recipient transferred.

(3) By August 1 of each year, the director shall provide to the commission and to the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee for the academic year just ended an accounting of all trust accounts maintained by the department, including without limitation:

(A) Total deposits to all trust accounts;

(B) Total disbursements from the trust accounts; and

(C) The balance remaining in the trust accounts.

(d)(1) The General Assembly finds that:

(A) The administration of scholarships with proceeds from the lottery are expenses of the commission; and

(B) Because the department has the expertise and experienced staff needed to efficiently and appropriately administer the scholarships, the commission shall use the services of the department to administer scholarships funded with net proceeds from the lottery.

(2) The commission shall reimburse the department for the costs of administering the scholarship awards funded with net proceeds from the lottery after review of the reimbursement amount by the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee.

(3) The department shall refund to the Higher Education Grants Fund Account the amount of a reimbursement received from the commission under this subsection for services provided and funded from the fund account.

23-115-802. Scholarship shortfall reserve trust account.

(a) The Arkansas Lottery Commission shall maintain a scholarship shortfall reserve trust account.

(b)(1) An amount equal to ten percent (10%) of the total amount of net proceeds disbursed during the preceding fiscal year in the form of scholarships and grants for higher education shall be deposited from lottery proceeds each year until the amount in the scholarship shortfall reserve trust account equals fifty million dollars ($50,000,000).

(2) Thereafter, only an amount necessary to maintain the scholarship shortfall reserve trust account in an amount equal to fifty million dollars ($50,000,000) shall be deposited into the scholarship shortfall reserve trust account.

(c)(1) If net proceeds in any year are not sufficient to meet the amount allocated for higher education scholarships, the scholarship shortfall reserve trust account may be drawn upon to meet the deficiency.

(2) If it becomes necessary to draw from the scholarship shortfall reserve trust account in any fiscal year, the Department of Higher Education shall review the scholarship and grant program and shall reduce the program to accommodate available lottery proceeds, exclusive of the scholarship shortfall reserve trust account.

(d) This section is effective on July 1, 2010.

23-115-803. Disposition of funds.

(a)(1) To effectuate the Arkansas Lottery Commission's purposes, the commission may borrow moneys from the State of Arkansas or accept and expend moneys from the State of Arkansas and shall repay any sums borrowed from the state as soon as practicable.

(2) As used in this section, "purposes" includes without limitation the payment of the initial expenses of initiation, administration, and operation of the commission and lotteries.

(3) The commission shall not issue bonds for any purpose.

(b)(1) The commission shall be self-sustaining and self-funded.

(2)(A) Except as provided in subsection (a) of this section, moneys in the General Revenue Fund Account of the State Apportionment Fund shall not be used or obligated to pay the expenses of the commission or prizes of a lottery.

(B) A claim for the payment of an expense of a lottery or prizes of a lottery shall not be made against any moneys other than moneys credited to the commission's operating account.

SUBCHAPTER 9
PENALTIES

23-115-901. Sale of ticket or share to person under 18 years of age prohibited — Penalty.

(a) A retailer who knowingly sells a ticket or share to a person under eighteen (18) years of age or permits a person under eighteen (18) years of age to play a lottery is guilty of a violation and subject to the following penalties:

(1) A fine not to exceed two hundred fifty dollars ($250) for a first violation within a forty-eight-month period;

(2) For a second violation within a forty-eight-month period:

(A) A fine not to exceed five hundred dollars ($500); and

(B) Suspension of the retailer license issued under § 23-115-601 et seq. for a period not to exceed two (2) days;

(3) For a third violation within a forty-eight-month period:

(A) A fine not to exceed one thousand dollars ($1,000); and

(B) Suspension of the retailer license issued under § 23-115-601 et seq. for a period not to exceed seven (7) days;

(4) For a fourth or subsequent violation within a forty-eight-month period:

(A) A fine not to exceed two thousand dollars ($2,000); and

(B) Suspension of the retailer license issued under § 23-115-601 et seq. for a period not to exceed fourteen (14) days; and

(5) For a fifth or subsequent violation within a forty-eight-month period, the retailer license issued under § 23-115-601 et seq. may be revoked.

(b) An employee of a retailer who violates this section is subject to a fine not to exceed one hundred dollars ($100) per violation.

(c) It is an affirmative defense to a prosecution under this section that the retailer reasonably and in good faith relied upon representation of proof of age in making the sale.

(d) A person convicted of violating any provision of this section whose retailer license is suspended or revoked upon conviction shall surrender to the court his or her retailer license and the court shall transmit the retailer license to the Arkansas Lottery Commission and instruct the commission:

(1) To suspend or revoke the person's retailer license or to not renew the license; and

(2) Not to issue any new retailer license to that person for the period of time determined by the court in accordance with this section.

23-115-902. Fraud — Penalty.

(a)(1) A person who, with a purpose to defraud, falsely makes, alters, forges, utters, passes, or counterfeits a ticket is guilty of a Class D felony.

(2) A person convicted for violating subdivision (a)(1) of this section is subject to an additional fine of not more than fifty thousand dollars ($50,000).

(b)(1) A person who purposely influences or attempts to influence the winning of a lottery prize through the use of coercion, fraud, deception, or tampering with lottery equipment or materials is guilty of a Class D felony.

(2) A person convicted for violating subdivision (b)(1) of this section is subject to an additional fine of not more than fifty thousand dollars ($50,000).

23-115-903. False statement on license application — Penalty.

(a) A person shall not knowingly make:

(1) A material false statement in an application for a license or proposal to conduct a lottery; or

(2) A material false entry in any book or record that is compiled, maintained, or submitted to the Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(b)(1) A person who violates this section is guilty of a Class D felony.

(2) A person convicted for violating subsection (a) of this section is subject to an additional fine of not more than twenty five thousand dollars ($25,000) or the dollar amount of the material false entry or material false statement, whichever is greater.

23-115-904. Inconsistent statutes inapplicable.

(a) Section 5-66-101 et seq. and all other laws and parts of laws inconsistent with this chapter are expressly declared not to apply to any person engaged in, conducting, or otherwise participating in lotteries.

(b) A person is not guilty of any criminal offense set forth in § 5-66-101 et seq. or any other law relating to illegal gambling to the extent the person relied on any rule, order, finding, or other determination by the Arkansas Lottery Commission that the activity was authorized by this chapter.

SUBCHAPTER 10
DEBTORS OWING MONEY TO THE STATE

23-115-1001. Legislative intent.

(a) The purposes of this subchapter are to establish:

(1) A policy and to provide a system whereby all claimant agencies of this state in conjunction with the Arkansas Lottery Commission shall cooperate in identifying debtors who owe money to the state through its various claimant agencies or to persons on whose behalf the state and its claimant agencies act and who qualify for lottery prizes under this chapter from the commission; and

(2) Procedures for setting off against any prize the sum of any debt owed to the state or to persons on whose behalf the state and its claimant agencies act.

(b) This subchapter shall be liberally construed to effectuate the purposes stated in subsection (a) of this section.

23-115-1002. Definitions.

As used in this subchapter:

(1) “Claimant agency” means a state agency, department, board, bureau, commission, or authority:

(A) To which a person owes a debt; or

(B) That acts on behalf of a person to collect a debt;

(2) "Debt" means a:

(A) Liquidated sum due and owing any claimant agency when the sum has accrued through contract, subrogation, tort, or operation of law regardless of whether there is an outstanding judgment for the sum; or

(B) Sum that is due and owing any person and is enforceable by the state;

(3) "Debtor" means an individual owing money to or having a delinquent account with a claimant agency when the obligation has not been:

(A) Adjudicated as satisfied by court order;

(B) Set aside by court order; or

(C) Discharged in bankruptcy; and

(4) "Prize" means the proceeds of any lottery prize awarded under this chapter.

23-115-1003. Collection remedy.

The collection remedy authorized by this subchapter is in addition to and not in substitution for any other remedy available by law.

23-115-1004. List of debtors – Withholding winnings – Ranking of liens.

(a)(1) A claimant agency may submit to the Arkansas Lottery Commission a list of the names of all debtors owing in excess of one hundred dollars ($100) to the claimant agency or to persons on whose behalf the claimant agency is acting.

(2) The full amount of the debt is collectible from any prize without regard to limitations on the amounts that may be collectible in increments through garnishment or other proceedings.

(3) The list shall constitute a valid lien upon and claim of lien against the prize of any debtor named in the list.

(4) The list shall contain:

(A) The name of the each debtor;

(B) The social security number of each debtor if available; and

(C) Any other information that would assist the commission in identifying each debtor named in the list.

(b)(1) The commission shall withhold any prizes subject to the lien created by this section and send notice to the winner by certified mail, return receipt requested, of the action and the reason the prizes were withheld.

(2)(A) However, if the winner appears and claims prizes in person, the commission shall notify the winner at that time by hand delivery of the action.

(B) If the debtor does not protest the withholding of the prizes in writing within thirty (30) days of receipt of the notice, the commission shall pay the prizes to the claimant agency.

(C) If the debtor protests the withholding of the prizes within thirty (30) days of receipt of the notice, the commission shall:

(i) File an action in interpleader in the circuit court of the county where the debtor resides;

(ii) Pay the disputed sum into the registry of the circuit court; and

(iii) Give notice to the claimant agency and debtor of the initiation of the action.

(c) The liens created by this section are ranked by priority as follows:

(1) Taxes due the state;

(2) Delinquent child support; and

(3) All other judgments and liens in order of the date entered or perfected.

(d) The commission is not required to deduct claimed debts from prizes paid out by retailers or entities other than the commission.

(e) Any list of debt provided under this section shall be provided periodically as the commission shall provide by rule, and the commission is not obligated to retain the lists or deduct debts appearing on the lists beyond the period determined by the rules.

(f) The commission may prescribe forms and promulgate rules it deems necessary to implement this section.

(g) The commission and any claimant agency shall incur no civil or criminal liability for good faith adherence to this section.

(h) The claimant agency shall pay the commission for all costs incurred by the commission in setting off debts in the manner provided in this subchapter.

23-115-1005. Confidential information.

(a)(1) Notwithstanding any other confidentiality statute, the Arkansas Lottery Commission may provide to a claimant agency all information necessary to accomplish and effectuate the intent of this subchapter.

(2) Information shall be used by a claimant agency only in the pursuit of its debt collection duties and practices.

(b) Confidential information obtained by a claimant agency from the commission under this section shall retain its confidentiality.

(c) An employee or prior employee of a claimant agency who unlawfully discloses any information for any other purpose, except as otherwise specifically authorized by law, is guilty of a Class A misdemeanor.

23-115-1006. Application.

This subchapter applies only to prizes of more than five hundred dollars ($500).

SUBCHAPTER 11

ARKANSAS LOTTERY COMMISSION LEGISLATIVE OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE

23-115-1101. Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee.

(a) The Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee is established.

(b) The Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee shall consist of the following members of the General Assembly appointed as follows:

(1) Six (6) members of the House of Representatives shall be appointed to the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee by the Speaker of the House of Representatives; and

(2) Six (6) members of the Senate shall be appointed to the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate.

(c) In making appointments, each appointing officer shall select members who have appropriate experience and knowledge of the issues to be examined by the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee and may consider racial, gender, and geographical diversity among the membership.

(d) The Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee shall:

(1) Review whether expenditures of lottery proceeds have been in accordance with this chapter;

(2) Review proposed rules of the Arkansas Lottery Commission;

(3) Review proposed major procurement contracts;

(4) Review reports filed with the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee by the Department of Higher Education, including without limitation reports filed under § 6-85-205 and § 6-85-220;

(5) Perform its duties under § 6-85-221; and

(6) Study other lottery matters as the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee considers necessary to fulfill its mandate.

(e)(1) By November 1 of each year, the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee shall provide to the General Assembly:

(A) Any analysis or findings resulting from its activities under this section that the committee deems relevant; and

(B) Its recommendations for any changes to the:

(i) Scholarship award amounts;

(ii) Number or type of scholarships; and

(iii) Scholarship eligibility requirements.

(2) The Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee may make interim reports to the General Assembly regarding the expenditure of net lottery revenues.

(f)(1) The President Pro Tempore of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives shall each designate a Cochair of the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee.

(2) The Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee shall meet at least quarterly upon the joint call of the Cochairs of the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee.

(3) Six (6) members of the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee constitute a quorum.

(4) No action may be taken by the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee except by a majority vote at a meeting at which a quorum is present.

(g) Members of the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee are entitled to per diem and mileage at the same rate authorized by law for attendance at meetings of interim committees of the General Assembly and shall be paid from the same source.

23-115-1102. Filing of information with Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee.

(a) It is the intent of the General Assembly that the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee perform the monitoring and oversight functions of the Legislative Council for the Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(b) All contracts, rules, reports, or other information required by law to be filed by the commission with the Legislative Council:

(1) Shall not be filed with the Legislative Council; and

(2) Shall be filed with the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee.

(c) The Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee shall perform all duties or functions of the Legislative Council required by law concerning the contracts, rules, reports, or other information filed with the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee under subsection (b) of this section.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code Title 5, Chapter 66, Subchapter 1 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

5-66-120. Application to Arkansas Scholarship Lottery Act.

This chapter does not apply to a lottery under the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery Act, § 23-115-101 et seq.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 82, Subchapter 10 is repealed.

~~6-82-1001. Legislative findings and declarations of public necessity.~~

~~The General Assembly hereby recognizes that taking the proper course work in high school is essential for success in college. Arkansas high school students who complete the recommended precollegiate or technical preparation core curriculum score significantly higher on standardized preadmissions tests and are more likely to be successful in college. Because the State of Arkansas also benefits from the academic success of well-prepared college students, there is hereby established the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program, a college scholarship plan to promote academic achievement and encourage academically prepared Arkansas high school graduates to enroll in the state's colleges and universities and to encourage students to enter the field of teaching for the purpose of teaching in subject matter areas of critical teacher shortage or in geographical areas of critical teacher shortage in the state.~~

~~6-82-1002. Definitions.~~

~~As used in this subchapter:~~

~~(1) "Approved institution" means a publicly supported or private, nonprofit postsecondary institution with its primary headquarters located in Arkansas that is eligible to receive Title IV federal student aid funds or any nursing school with its primary headquarters located in Arkansas that is eligible to participate in Title IV federal student aid programs and has been approved by the Department of Higher Education as eligible to participate in the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program;~~

~~(2) "Eligible student" means any student who:~~

~~(A) Meets the criteria set out by this subchapter; and~~

~~(B) Is deemed to be eligible by rules and regulations authorized by this subchapter and promulgated by the Department of Higher Education;~~

~~(3) "Financial need" means the family income of program applicants as determined by the Department of Higher Education through evaluation of program applications and supporting documentation;~~

~~(4)(A) "Full-time undergraduate student" means a resident of Arkansas who attends an approved institution of higher education and who is enrolled for at least twelve (12) credit hours the first semester and fifteen (15) credit hours thereafter or the equivalent, as defined by the Department of Higher Education, in a program of study that leads to or is creditable toward a baccalaureate degree, an associate degree in nursing, or a nursing school diploma.~~

~~(B) A recipient receiving an Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship for the eighth semester shall not be required to be enrolled in fifteen (15) hours and shall be considered a "full-time undergraduate student" if the recipient is enrolled in the appropriate number of course credit hours to earn a degree at the end of that semester;~~

~~(5) "Recipient" means an applicant awarded a scholarship funded through the program;~~

~~(6) "Tuition" means charges levied for attendance at an eligible institution of higher education, including mandatory fees charged to all full-time students by an approved institution; and~~

~~(7) "Unemancipated child" or "unemancipated children" means a dependent child or dependent children as defined by the United States Department of Education for student aid purposes.~~

~~6-82-1003. Creation.~~

~~There is hereby created and established the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program.~~

~~6-82-1004. Authority of Department of Higher Education.~~

~~(a) The Department of Higher Education is authorized by this subchapter to develop and promulgate rules and regulations for the administration of the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program, consistent with the purposes and requirements of this subchapter.~~

~~(b) The rules and regulations shall include student eligibility criteria based on the provisions of this subchapter, the method for selecting scholarship recipients, rules for determining continuing eligibility, procedures for making payment to recipients, and such other administrative procedures which may be necessary for the implementation and operation of the program.~~

~~(c) The Department of Higher Education is authorized to expend each year for data processing and other administrative costs of this program up to one and five-tenths percent (1.5%) of the amount appropriated for the programs.~~

~~(d) Applicants must certify that they are drug-free and must pledge in writing on the application form to refrain from the use or abuse of illegal substances in order to maintain eligibility for this program.~~

~~(e)(1) The Department of Education and the Department of Higher Education are directed to develop appropriate informational materials on the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program and to ensure their distribution to Arkansas students in grades seven through twelve (7-12) each year as part of the packet of materials on precollegiate preparation distributed by the Department of Education as mandated by § 6-61-217.~~

~~(2) This shall be accomplished through the use of school counselors or other appropriate school personnel.~~

~~(f) The Director of the Department of Higher Education is authorized to review and evaluate the operation of the program with regard to eligibility criteria and size of the scholarship award to ensure that the program's operation meets the intent of this legislation.~~

~~(g) The Department of Higher Education is authorized to determine the necessary procedures for the awarding of scholarships should the number of eligible applicants exceed the funds available.~~

~~(h) The Department of Higher Education shall report to the General Assembly annually regarding the implementation of the provisions of this subchapter.~~

~~6-82-1005. Eligibility.~~

~~(a) Eligibility for the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program shall be based on the criteria set forth in this section as well as program rules and regulations adopted pursuant to this subchapter by the Department of Higher Education.~~

~~(b) An applicant shall be eligible for an award from this program if the applicant meets all of these criteria:~~

~~(1) The applicant graduated from an Arkansas high school on or after March 5, 1991;~~

~~(2) The applicant has been a resident of the State of Arkansas for at least twelve (12) months prior to graduation from an Arkansas high school, and the applicant's parent or parents or guardian or guardians have maintained Arkansas residency for the same period of time;~~

~~(3) The applicant is a citizen of the United States or is a permanent resident alien;~~

~~(4) The applicant is accepted for admission at an approved institution of higher education as a full-time first-time freshman as defined by the department and enrolls in an approved institution within twelve (12) months of the applicant's high school graduation;~~

~~(5)(A)(i) Except as provided in subdivision (b)(5)(B) of this section, the applicant has successfully completed the core curriculum established by the State Board of Education and the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board pursuant to § 6-61-217.~~

~~(ii) An applicant who graduates from an Arkansas high school after December 31, 2001, but before December 1, 2009, and who meets the provisions of subdivisions (b)(1)-(4) of this section but who has not completed the core curriculum defined in this subdivision (b)(5)(A) by the end of the senior year of high school due to the unavailability of the courses in the applicant's high school shall have a grace period of twelve (12) months from the date of high school graduation in which to make up any course deficiencies required for program eligibility.~~

~~(B) An applicant who graduates from an Arkansas high school after December 31, 2009, shall have:~~

~~(i) Successfully completed the Smart Core Curriculum as established by the Department of Education; and~~

~~(ii)(a) Demonstrated proficiency in the application of knowledge and skills in reading and writing literacy and mathematics by passing the end-of-course examinations as may be developed by the Department of Education and as may be designated by the Department of Higher Education for this purpose.~~

~~(b) "End-of-course" examinations means those examinations defined in § 6-15-419;~~

~~(6)(A) The applicant who graduates from an Arkansas high school after December 31, 2001, must have achieved the following:~~

~~(i) A grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale in the set of core curriculum courses if enrolling at an approved four-year institution; or~~

~~(ii) A grade point average of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale in the set of core curriculum courses if enrolling at an approved two-year institution; and~~

~~(iii)(a) These revised grade point average requirements may be reduced to no lower than a 2.5 on a 4.0 scale by a rules change by the Department of Higher Education if it is determined by the department, based on the most recent evaluation of the program's operation, that the change to a 3.0 or 2.75 grade point average on a 4.0 scale would unduly reduce the number of low-income or disadvantaged students who would otherwise be eligible for the program.~~

~~(b) At the Department of Higher Education's discretion, the Department of Higher Education may make such a reduction for admissions to institutions with a high percentage of students receiving full Pell Grants upon petition to the Department of Higher Education by the institution.~~

~~(B) The applicant scored nineteen (19) or above on the American College Test composite or the equivalent as defined by the Department of Higher Education.~~

~~(C)(i) The Department of Higher Education is authorized to develop selection criteria through program rules and regulations that combine an applicant's American College Test or equivalent score and grade point average in the core curriculum into a selection index.~~

~~(ii) Notwithstanding the provisions of subdivisions (b)(6)(A) and (b)(6)(B) of this section, this selection index shall be employed as an alternative selection process for applicants who achieve a grade point average above 2.75 if attending an approved two-year institution or 3.0 if attending a four-year institution on a 4.0 scale in the set of core curriculum courses defined in subdivision (b)(5)(A) of this section or for applicants who have an American College Test composite or equivalent score greater than nineteen (19).~~

~~(D)(i) The applicant demonstrates financial need as defined by the department.~~

~~(ii) In calculating financial need for applicants who graduate from an Arkansas high school after December 31, 1998, but before January 1, 2001, the following criteria shall be used:~~

~~(a) An applicant whose family includes one (1) unemancipated child shall have average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding seventy thousand dollars ($70,000) per year at the time of application to the program;~~

~~(b) An applicant whose family includes two (2) unemancipated children shall have average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding seventy-five thousand dollars ($75,000) per year at the time of application to the program;~~

~~(c) An applicant whose family includes three (3) or more unemancipated children shall have average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding eighty thousand dollars ($80,000) per year at the time of application to the program, plus for families with more than three (3) unemancipated children, an additional five thousand dollars ($5,000) per year for each additional child;~~

~~(d) Any applicant whose family includes more than one (1) unemancipated child enrolled full time at an approved institution of higher education shall be entitled to an additional ten thousand dollars ($10,000) of adjusted gross income for each additional child when the department calculates financial need; and~~

~~(e) If the applicant is an adopted child who was at least twelve (12) years of age at the time of adoption and if the applicant's family includes unemancipated adopted children who were at least twelve (12) years of age at the time of adoption, the adoptive family shall be entitled to an additional ten thousand dollars ($10,000) of adjusted gross income per adopted unemancipated child.~~

~~(iii) In calculating financial need for applicants who graduated from an Arkansas high school after December 31, 2000, but before December 31, 2004, the following criteria shall be used:~~

~~(a) An applicant whose family includes one (1) unemancipated child shall have average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) per year at the time of application to the program;~~

~~(b) An applicant whose family includes two (2) unemancipated children shall have average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding fifty-five thousand dollars ($55,000) per year at the time of application to the program;~~

~~(c) An applicant whose family includes three (3) or more unemancipated children shall have average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding sixty thousand dollars ($60,000) per year at the time of application to the program, plus for families with more than three (3) unemancipated children an additional five thousand dollars ($5,000) per year for each additional child; and~~

~~(d) Any applicant whose family includes more than one (1) unemancipated child enrolled full time at an approved institution of higher education shall be entitled to an additional ten thousand dollars ($10,000) of adjusted gross income for each additional unemancipated child enrolled full time at an approved institution of higher education when the Department of Higher Education calculates financial need.~~

~~(iv) In calculating financial need for applicants who graduate from an Arkansas high school after December 31, 2006, a Free Application for Federal Student Aid or a subsequent application required by the United States Department of Education for federal financial aid shall be filed by the applicant or other proof of family income as defined by the Department of Higher Education. The following criteria shall be used:~~

~~(a) An applicant whose family includes one (1) unemancipated child shall have an average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding sixty-five thousand dollars ($65,000) per year at the time of application to the program;~~

~~(b) An applicant whose family includes two (2) unemancipated children shall have an average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding seventy thousand dollars ($70,000) per year at the time of application to the program;~~

~~(c) An applicant whose family includes three (3) or more unemancipated children shall have an average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding seventy-five thousand dollars ($75,000) per year at the time of application to the program, plus for families with more than three (3) unemancipated children, an additional five thousand dollars ($5,000) per year for each additional child; and~~

~~(d) Any applicant whose family includes more than one (1) unemancipated child enrolled full time at an approved institution of higher education shall be entitled to an additional ten thousand dollars ($10,000) of adjusted gross income for each additional unemancipated child enrolled full time at an approved institution of higher education when the Department of Higher Education calculates financial need.~~

~~(c)(1) The Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board shall have the authority to increase these financial need family income limitations if sufficient additional funds become available.~~

~~(2) Financial need criteria necessary for the selection of recipients, including those defined as emancipated or independent by federal student aid regulations, shall be established through rules and regulations issued by the department.~~

~~(d) Recipients of Arkansas Governor's Distinguished Scholarships are prohibited from receiving Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarships.~~

~~(e) As an additional component to the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship:~~

~~(1) Each applicant for the scholarship shall agree that for each year the scholarship is awarded he or she may volunteer to serve as a literacy tutor for a minimum of twenty (20) clock hours each semester in a public school or a faith-based educational institution serving students in prekindergarten through grade six (PreK-6);~~

~~(2) A recipient who agrees to volunteer as a literacy tutor:~~

~~(A) Shall complete the prerequisite training in literacy and college readiness skills provided under § 6-82-1006(d) before he or she begins tutoring; and~~

~~(B) May receive college credit for the tutoring as determined by the institution of higher education awarding the scholarship; and~~

~~(3) An enrolled college student who participates in the tutorial program and fails to meet the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship academic eligibility requirement for the fall or spring semester shall be given the probationary opportunity during the subsequent spring or summer term to continue his or her education and improve academic performance prior to losing scholarship funding in the subsequent semester.~~

~~6-82-1006. Duration — Amount.~~

~~(a) A recipient who graduated from high school before January 1, 2001, shall receive a scholarship for one (1) academic year renewable for up to three (3) additional academic years if the recipient meets continuing eligibility criteria established by the Department of Higher Education and if sufficient funds are available for that purpose.~~

~~(b) A recipient who graduated from high school after December 31, 2000, shall receive a scholarship for one (1) academic year renewable for up to three (3) additional academic years if the recipient meets the following continuing eligibility criteria:~~

~~(1) The recipient earns a cumulative grade point average of 2.75 or above on a 4.0 scale at an approved institution;~~

~~(2) The recipient has completed a total of at least twenty-seven (27) hours during the first full academic year and a total of at least thirty (30) hours per academic year thereafter; and~~

~~(3) The recipient meets any other continuing eligibility criteria established by the department.~~

~~(c)(1) For recipients who graduated from high school between January 1, 1995, and December 31, 1996, the amount of the annual scholarship awarded to each recipient shall be the lesser of one thousand five hundred dollars ($1,500) or the annual tuition charged by the approved institution in which the recipient is enrolled.~~

~~(2) For recipients who graduated from high school between January 1, 1997, and December 31, 1998, the amount of the annual scholarship awarded to each recipient shall be the lesser of two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500) or the annual tuition charged by the approved institution in which the recipient is enrolled.~~

~~(3) For recipients who graduated from high school after December 31, 1998, the amount of the annual scholarship awarded to each recipient shall be two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500).~~

~~(4) Beginning with awards made for the 2005-2006 academic year for recipients who graduated from high school after December 31, 2001, the amount of the annual scholarship awarded to each recipient shall be graduated as follows:~~

~~(A) A recipient in his or her freshman year shall be awarded an amount not to exceed two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500);~~

~~(B) A recipient in his or her sophomore year shall be awarded an amount not to exceed two thousand seven hundred fifty dollars ($2,750);~~

~~(C) A recipient in his or her junior year shall be awarded an amount not to exceed three thousand dollars ($3,000); and~~

~~(D) A recipient in his or her senior year shall be awarded an amount not to exceed three thousand five hundred dollars ($3,500).~~

~~(d)(1) A recipient who agrees to volunteer as a literacy tutor under § 6-82-1005(e) shall receive the prerequisite training in literacy and college readiness from an accredited Arkansas institution of higher education.~~

~~(2) The Department of Education shall develop the training modules for the prerequisite literacy training.~~

~~6-82-1007. Nursing school eligibility.~~

~~(a)(1) The General Assembly recognizes that the State of Arkansas is experiencing a critical shortage of nurses; and~~

~~(2) It is the intent of this section to allow the Department of Higher Education the opportunity to include associate degree granting and diploma schools of nursing in the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program under specific circumstances.~~

~~(b) The department shall make awards to applicants attending either an associate degree or diploma school preparing registered nurses that is approved by the Arkansas State Board of Nursing and which would not otherwise be an approved institution of higher education if:~~

~~(1) The applicant has qualified for an Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship and is simultaneously enrolled in an approved two-year college or a four-year college or university prior to or at the time of entry into the nursing school and the applicant then transfers the scholarship to an approved school of nursing after completing the two-year requirements as set forth by the department's rules and regulations;~~

~~(2) The nursing school has been approved by the Arkansas State Board of Nursing and is specifically recognized by the department as a school of nursing eligible to participate in the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program; and~~

~~(3) The recipient meets continuing eligibility requirements in § 6-82-1006.~~

~~(c) The scholarships awarded to recipients under this section shall be subject to § 6-18-1004(g)~~.

~~(d) The Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board and the department shall promulgate regulations necessary for the implementation of this section.~~

~~6-82-1008. Awards not funded.~~

~~(a)(1) Any applicant who graduated after December 31, 2001, who was eligible to receive an academic challenge award but did not receive the award because of insufficient funding in the program may be eligible to receive an award to begin in a year other than the freshman year.~~

~~(2) Any student enrolled in an institution of higher education must have achieved at least a 2.0 cumulative grade point average to be eligible for a deferred award.~~

~~(b) The Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board and the Department of Higher Education shall promulgate regulations necessary for the implementation of this section.~~

~~(c) Any award made under this section shall have funding priority as follows:~~

~~(1) Awards shall be made first to individuals who made application prior to the original deadline during the individual's senior year in high school, received an award letter from the department but did not receive an award because of insufficient funding, and are now eligible under this section;~~

~~(2) Awards shall be made, second, to the current-year high school graduates who are for the first time eligible to receive an Arkansas Academic Challenge Award; and~~

~~(3) If sufficient funds are available after funding awards under subdivisions (c)(1) and (c)(2) of this section, awards may be made to individuals who did not apply during their senior year in high school but would have been eligible if the individuals had applied prior to that year's deadline and who are now eligible under this section.~~

~~6-82-1009. Priority for teaching commitment.~~

~~(a) During times of funding shortages under the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program, the Department of Higher Education shall give a priority to awards to applicants meeting all eligibility requirements under the program who agree to accept a forgivable loan, as set forth in this section in lieu of a scholarship, and who agree to:~~

~~(1) Teach, as required under § 6-82-1010, in a subject matter area designated by the Department of Education as having a critical shortage of teachers; or~~

~~(2) Teach, as required under § 6-82-1010, in a geographical area of the state designated by the Department of Education as having a critical shortage of teachers.~~

~~(b) The Department of Higher Education shall make awards under this subchapter as follows:~~

~~(1) First, to applicants who agree to the provisions of § 6-82-1009; and~~

~~(2) Second, to applicants eligible under § 6-82-1005(b).~~

~~(c) Forgivable loans awarded under this section shall be paid from appropriations to the program.~~

~~6-82-1010. Teaching requirements.~~

~~(a)(1) At the beginning of the first school year in which a recipient of a forgivable loan under § 6-82-1009 is eligible for employment as a licensed teacher, that recipient shall begin to render service as a licensed teacher in a public school district in the state:~~

~~(A) In a subject matter area designated by the Department of Education as having a critical shortage of teachers if the recipient's award was made under § 6-82-1009(a)(1); or~~

~~(B) In a geographical area of the state designated by the Department of Education as having a critical shortage of teachers if the recipient's award was made under § 6-82-1009(a)(2).~~

~~(2)(A) Any recipient receiving a forgivable loan under § 6-82-1009 who received four (4) annual awards, or the equivalent of four (4) annual awards, shall render four (4) years' service as a licensed teacher.~~

~~(B) Any person who received a forgivable loan under § 6-82-1009 in an amount less than four (4) annual awards, or the equivalent of four (4) annual awards, shall render one (1) year's service as a licensed teacher for each year that the person received a full-time student forgivable loan or for the number of academic hours equivalent to one (1) school year, as determined by the Department of Higher Education, for which a part-time student received a forgivable loan.~~

~~(b) Any person receiving a forgivable loan shall execute a note made payable to the Department of Higher Education for an amount equal to the scholarship award each semester that shall bear interest at a rate to be determined by the Department of Higher Education and set forth in the note after completion of the program or immediately after termination of the forgivable loan, whichever is earlier.~~

~~(c) Any person failing to complete a program of study which will enable the person to become a licensed teacher shall begin repaying the note according to the terms of the note for the sum of all forgivable loan awards made to that person less the corresponding amount of any awards for which service has been rendered.~~

~~(d)(1)(A) Except as provided in subdivision (d)(1)(B) of this section, any person failing to complete the teaching obligation as required by this subchapter shall become immediately liable to the Department of Higher Education for the sum of all forgivable loan awards made to that person less the corresponding amount of any awards for which service has been rendered according to the note's terms.~~

~~(B) The Department of Higher Education may defer payment on the note if an employment position is not immediately available upon a teacher's completion of licensure requirements or for other just cause as determined by the Department of Education.~~

~~(C) After the period of deferral, the person shall begin or resume teaching duties as required under this section or shall become liable to the Department of Higher Education under this section.~~

~~(e) If a claim for payment under this section is placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, the obligor shall be liable for an additional amount equal to a reasonable attorney's fee.~~

~~(f) The obligations made by the recipient of a forgivable loan under § 6-82-1009 and this section shall not be voidable by reason of the age of the student at the time of receiving the forgivable loan award.~~

~~6-82-1011. End-of-course assessment requirements.~~

~~The Department of Higher Education may recognize a sub-score of nineteen (19) or higher in the applicable subject area on the American College Test as meeting the requirements for passing end-of-course examinations under the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program and the Arkansas Governor's Scholars Program for a student who:~~

~~(1) Has not had an opportunity to take an end-of-course examination;~~

~~(2) Has not passed the end-of-course examination; or~~

~~(3) Is attending a private school or home school.~~

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code Title 6 is amended to add an additional chapter to read as follows:

CHAPTER 85

ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM

SUBCHAPTER 1

ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM — PART 1

6-85-101. Legislative findings and declarations of public necessity.

The General Assembly hereby recognizes that taking the proper coursework in high school is essential for success in college. Arkansas high school students who complete the recommended precollegiate or technical preparation core curriculum score significantly higher on standardized preadmission tests and are more likely to be successful in college. Because the State of Arkansas also benefits from the academic success of well-prepared college students, there is hereby established the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program, a college scholarship plan to promote academic achievement and encourage academically prepared Arkansas high school graduates to enroll in the state's colleges and universities and to encourage students to enter the field of teaching for the purpose of teaching in subject matter areas of critical teacher shortage or in geographical areas of critical teacher shortage in the state.

6-85-102. Creation.

There is hereby created and established the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program — Part 1.

6-85-103. Applicability — Expiration.

(a) This subchapter is applicable to students who:

(1) Applied for a scholarship under the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program, § 6-82-1001 et seq. [repealed] and maintain eligibility under this subchapter; or

(2) Apply for a scholarship under this subchapter for the academic year 2009-2010, receive the scholarship, and maintain eligibility thereafter.

(b) Except to the extent of the award amount under § 6-85-107(b)(2), a recipient of a scholarship under this subchapter shall not receive an additional scholarship under the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program — Part 2, § 6-85-201 et seq.

(c) This subchapter will expire on June 30, 2015.

6-85-104. Definitions.

As used in this subchapter:

(1) "Approved institution" means an institution of higher education approved by the Department of Higher Education to participate in the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program that is either:

(A) A state-supported institution of higher education;

(B) A private, nonprofit institution of higher education with its primary headquarters located in Arkansas that is eligible to receive Title IV federal student aid funds; or

(C) A nursing school with its primary headquarters located in Arkansas that is eligible to participate in Title IV federal student aid programs and has been;

(2) "Eligible student" means any student who:

(A) Meets the criteria set out by this subchapter; and

(B) Is deemed to be eligible by rules authorized by this subchapter and promulgated by the Department of Higher Education;

(3) "Financial need" means the family income of program applicants as determined by the Department of Higher Education through evaluation of program applications and supporting documentation;

(4)(A) "Full-time undergraduate student" means a resident of Arkansas who attends an approved institution and who is enrolled for at least twelve (12) credit hours the first semester and fifteen (15) credit hours thereafter or the equivalent, as defined by the Department of Higher Education, in a program of study that leads to or is creditable toward a baccalaureate degree, an associate degree in nursing, or a nursing school diploma.

(B) A recipient receiving an Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship for the eighth semester shall not be required to be enrolled in fifteen (15) hours and shall be considered a "full-time undergraduate student" if the recipient is enrolled in the appropriate number of course credit hours to earn a degree or diploma at the end of that semester;

(5) "Recipient" means an applicant awarded a scholarship funded through the program;

(6) "Tuition" means charges levied for attendance at an approved institution, including mandatory fees charged to all full-time undergraduate students by an approved institution; and

(7) "Unemancipated child" means a dependent child as defined by the United States Department of Education for student aid purposes.

6-85-105. Authority of Department of Higher Education.

(a) The Department of Higher Education is authorized by this subchapter to develop and promulgate rules for the administration of the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program, consistent with the purposes and requirements of this subchapter.

(b) The rules shall include student eligibility criteria based on the provisions of this subchapter, the method for selecting scholarship recipients, rules for determining continuing eligibility, procedures for making payment to recipients, and other administrative procedures that may be necessary for the implementation and operation of the program.

(c) Until the end of fiscal year 2011, the Department of Higher Education is authorized to expend each year for data processing and other administrative costs of this program up to one and five-tenths percent (1.5%) of the amount appropriated for the programs.

(d) Applicants must certify that they are drug-free and must pledge in writing on the application form to refrain from the use or abuse of illegal substances in order to maintain eligibility for this program.

(e)(1) The Department of Education and the Department of Higher Education are directed to develop appropriate informational materials on the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program and to ensure their distribution to Arkansas students in grades seven through twelve (7-12) each year as part of the packet of materials on precollegiate preparation distributed by the Department of Education as mandated by § 6-61-217.

(2) The distribution of information shall be accomplished through the collaboration of school counselors and other appropriate school personnel.

(f) The Director of the Department of Higher Education is authorized to review and evaluate the operation of the program with regard to eligibility criteria and size of the scholarship award to ensure that the program's operation meets the intent of this subchapter.

(g) The Department of Higher Education is authorized to determine the necessary procedures for the awarding of scholarships should the number of eligible applicants exceed the funds available.

(h) The Department of Higher Education shall report to the General Assembly annually regarding the implementation of the provisions of this subchapter.

6-85-106. Eligibility.

(a) Eligibility for the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program is based on the criteria under this section and rules promulgated under this subchapter by the Department of Higher Education.

(b) An applicant is eligible for an award from this program if the applicant meets all of these criteria:

(1) The applicant graduated from an Arkansas high school;

(2) The applicant has been a resident of the State of Arkansas for at least twelve (12) months before graduation from an Arkansas high school, and the applicant's parent or guardian has maintained Arkansas residency for the same period of time;

(3) The applicant is a citizen of the United States or is a lawful permanent resident;

(4) The applicant is accepted for admission at an approved institution as a full-time first-time freshman as defined by the department and enrolls in an approved institution within twelve (12) months of the applicant's high school graduation;

(5)(A)(i) Except as provided in subdivision (b)(5)(B) of this section, the applicant has successfully completed the core curriculum established by the State Board of Education and the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board under § 6-61-217.

(ii) An applicant who graduates from an Arkansas high school on or before December 31, 2009, and who meets the provisions of subdivisions (b)(1)-(4) of this section but who has not completed the core curriculum defined in this subdivision (b)(5)(A) by the end of the senior year of high school due to the unavailability of the courses in the applicant's high school shall have a grace period of twelve (12) months from the date of high school graduation in which to make up any course deficiencies required for program eligibility.

(B) An applicant who graduates from an Arkansas high school after December 31, 2009, shall have:

(i) Successfully completed the Smart Core Curriculum as established by the Department of Education; and

(ii)(a) Demonstrated proficiency in the application of knowledge and skills in reading and writing literacy and mathematics by passing the end-of-course assessments developed by the Department of Education.

(b) “End-of-course” assessments means those assessments defined in § 6-15-419.

(C) All applicants shall have achieved:

(i) Either:

(a) A grade point average of 3.0 on a 4.0 scale in the set of core curriculum courses if enrolling at an approved four-year institution; or

(b) A grade point average of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale in the set of core curriculum courses if enrolling at an approved two-year institution; and

(ii) A minimum composite score of nineteen (19) or higher on the American College Test or the equivalent as defined by the Department of Higher Education.

(D)(i) The grade point average requirements of subdivision (b)(5)(C) of this section may be reduced to no lower than a 2.5 on a 4.0 scale by a rules change by the Department of Higher Education if it is determined by the department, based on the most recent evaluation of the program's operation, that the change to a 3.0 or 2.75 grade point average on a 4.0 scale would unduly reduce the number of low-income or disadvantaged students who would otherwise be eligible for the program.

(ii) At the Department of Higher Education's discretion, the Department of Higher Education may make the reduction for admissions to institutions with a high percentage of students receiving full Pell Grants upon petition to the Department of Higher Education by the institution.

(E)(i) The Department of Higher Education may develop selection criteria through program rules that combine an applicant's American College Test or equivalent score and grade point average in the core curriculum into a selection index.

(ii) Notwithstanding the provisions of subdivision (b)(5)(D) of this section, this selection index shall be employed as an alternative selection process for applicants who achieve a grade point average higher than 2.75 if attending an approved two-year institution or 3.0 if attending a four-year institution on a 4.0 scale in the set of core curriculum courses defined in subdivision (b)(5)(A) of this section or for applicants who have an American College Test composite or equivalent score greater than nineteen (19).

(6)(A) An applicant shall demonstrate financial need as defined by the Department of Higher Education.

(B) The department shall use the following criteria in calculating financial need for applicants who graduated from an Arkansas high school after December 31, 2000, but before December 31, 2004:

(i) An applicant whose family includes one (1) unemancipated child shall have average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) per year at the time of application to the program;

(ii) An applicant whose family includes two (2) unemancipated children shall have average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding fifty-five thousand dollars ($55,000) per year at the time of application to the program;

(iii) An applicant whose family includes three (3) or more unemancipated children shall have average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding sixty thousand dollars ($60,000) per year at the time of application to the program, plus for families with more than three (3) unemancipated children, an additional five thousand dollars ($5,000) per year for each additional child; and

(iv) Any applicant whose family includes more than one (1) unemancipated child enrolled full time at an approved institution shall be entitled to an additional ten thousand dollars ($10,000) of adjusted gross income for each additional unemancipated child enrolled full time at an approved institution when the Department of Higher Education calculates financial need.

(C) In calculating financial need for applicants who graduate from an Arkansas high school after December 31, 2006, a Free Application for Federal Student Aid or a subsequent application required by the United States Department of Education for federal financial aid shall be filed by the applicant or other proof of family income as defined by the Department of Higher Education. The following criteria shall be used:

(i) An applicant whose family includes one (1) unemancipated child shall have an average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding sixty-five thousand dollars ($65,000) per year at the time of application to the program;

(ii) An applicant whose family includes two (2) unemancipated children shall have an average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding seventy thousand dollars ($70,000) per year at the time of application to the program;

(iii) An applicant whose family includes three (3) or more unemancipated children shall have an average family adjusted gross income over the previous two (2) years not exceeding seventy-five thousand dollars ($75,000) per year at the time of application to the program, plus for families with more than three (3) unemancipated children, an additional five thousand dollars ($5,000) per year for each additional child; and

(iv) Any applicant whose family includes more than one (1) unemancipated child enrolled full time at an approved institution of higher education shall be entitled to an additional ten thousand dollars ($10,000) of adjusted gross income for each additional unemancipated child enrolled full time at an approved institution of higher education when the Department of Higher Education calculates financial need.

(c)(1) The Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board shall have the authority to increase these financial need family income limitations if sufficient additional funds become available.

(2) Financial need criteria necessary for the selection of recipients, including those defined as emancipated or independent by federal student aid regulations, shall be established through rules issued by the department.

(d) Recipients of Arkansas Governor's Distinguished Scholarships are prohibited from receiving Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarships.

(e) As an additional component to the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship:

(1) Each applicant for the scholarship shall agree that for each year the scholarship is awarded he or she may volunteer to serve as a literacy tutor for a minimum of twenty (20) clock hours each semester in a public school or a faith-based educational institution serving students in prekindergarten through grade six (preK-6);

(2) A recipient who agrees to volunteer as a literacy tutor:

(A) Shall complete the prerequisite training in literacy and college readiness skills provided under § 6-85-107(c) before he or she begins tutoring;

(B) May receive college credit for the tutoring as determined by the institution of higher education where the recipient is enrolled and

(C) Shall receive the prerequisite training in literacy and college readiness from an accredited Arkansas institution of higher education based on training modules developed by the Department of Education.

(3) An enrolled college student who participates in the tutorial program and fails to meet the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship academic eligibility requirement for the fall or spring semester shall be given the probationary opportunity during the subsequent spring or summer term to continue his or her education and improve academic performance prior to losing scholarship funding in the subsequent semester.

6-85-107. Duration — Amount.

(a) A recipient who graduated from high school after December 31, 2000, shall receive a scholarship for one (1) academic year renewable for up to three (3) additional academic years if the recipient meets the following continuing eligibility criteria:

(1) The recipient earns a cumulative grade point average of 2.75 or higher based on a 4.0 scale at an approved institution;

(2) The recipient has completed a total of at least twenty-seven (27) hours during the first full academic year and a total of at least thirty (30) hours per academic year thereafter; and

(3) The recipient meets any other continuing eligibility criteria established by the Department of Higher Education.

(b)(1) Beginning with awards made for the 2005-2006 academic year and thereafter for recipients who graduated from high school after December 31, 2001, the amount of the annual scholarship awarded to each recipient shall be graduated as follows:

(A) A recipient in his or her freshman year shall be awarded an amount not to exceed two thousand five hundred dollars ($2,500);

(B) A recipient in his or her sophomore year shall be awarded an amount not to exceed two thousand seven hundred fifty dollars ($2,750);

(C) A recipient in his or her junior year shall be awarded an amount not to exceed three thousand dollars ($3,000); and

(D) A recipient in his or her senior year shall be awarded an amount not to exceed three thousand five hundred dollars ($3,500).

(2) A recipient under this subchapter shall receive the greater of the award under subdivision (b)(1) of this section or the award amount for the same academic year for a full-time recipient under the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program – Part 2, § 6-85-201 et seq.

6-85-108. Nursing school eligibility.

(a)(1) The General Assembly recognizes that the State of Arkansas is experiencing a critical shortage of nurses; and

(2) It is the intent of this section to allow the Department of Higher Education the opportunity to include associate degree granting and diploma schools of nursing in the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program under specific circumstances.

(b) The department shall make awards to applicants attending either an associate degree or diploma school preparing registered nurses that is approved by the Arkansas State Board of Nursing and which would not otherwise be an approved institution if:

(1) The applicant has qualified for an Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship and is simultaneously enrolled in an approved two-year college or a four-year college or university prior to or at the time of entry into the nursing school and the applicant then transfers the scholarship to an approved school of nursing after completing the two-year requirements as set forth by the department's rules and regulations;

(2) The nursing school has been approved by the Arkansas State Board of Nursing and is specifically recognized by the department as a school of nursing eligible to participate in the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program; and

(3) The recipient meets continuing eligibility requirements in § 6-85-106.

(c) The scholarships awarded to recipients under this section shall be subject to § 6-85-105(g).

(d) The Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board and the department shall promulgate rules necessary for the implementation of this section.

6-85-109. Priority for teaching commitment.

(a) During times of funding shortages under the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program, the Department of Higher Education shall give a priority to awards to applicants meeting all eligibility requirements under the program who agree to accept a forgivable loan, as set forth in this section in lieu of a scholarship, and who agree to teach, as required under § 6-85-110, in a:

(1) Subject matter area designated by the Department of Education as having a critical shortage of teachers; or

(2) Geographical area of the state designated by the Department of Education as having a critical shortage of teachers.

(b) The Department of Higher Education shall make awards under this subchapter as follows:

(1) First, to applicants who agree to the provisions of this section; and

(2) Then to applicants eligible under § 6-85-106(b).

(c) Forgivable loans awarded under this section shall be paid from appropriations to the program.

6-85-110. Teaching requirements.

(a)(1) At the beginning of the first school year in which a recipient of a forgivable loan under § 6-85-109 is eligible for employment as a licensed teacher, that recipient shall begin to render service as a licensed teacher in a public school district in the state:

(A) In a subject matter area designated by the Department of Education as having a critical shortage of teachers if the recipient's award was made under § 6-85-109(a)(1); or

(B) In a geographical area of the state designated by the Department of Education as having a critical shortage of teachers if the recipient's award was made under § 6-85-109(a)(2).

(2)(A) Any recipient receiving a forgivable loan under § 6-85-109 who received four (4) annual awards, or the equivalent of four (4) annual awards, shall render four (4) years' service as a licensed teacher.

(B) Any person who received a forgivable loan under § 6-85-109 in an amount less than four (4) annual awards, or the equivalent of four (4) annual awards, shall render one (1) year's service as a licensed teacher for each year that the person received a full-time student forgivable loan or for the number of academic hours equivalent to one (1) school year, as determined by the Department of Higher Education, for which a part-time student received a forgivable loan.

(b) Any person receiving a forgivable loan shall execute a note made payable to the Department of Higher Education for an amount equal to the scholarship award each semester that shall bear interest at a rate to be determined by the Department of Higher Education and set forth in the note after completion of the program or immediately after termination of the forgivable loan, whichever is earlier.

(c) Any person failing to complete a program of study which will enable the person to become a licensed teacher shall begin repaying the note according to the terms of the note for the sum of all forgivable loan awards made to that person less the corresponding amount of any awards for which service has been rendered.

(d)(1) Except as provided in subdivision (d)(2) of this section, any person failing to complete the teaching obligation as required by this subchapter shall become immediately liable to the Department of Higher Education for the sum of all forgivable loan awards made to that person less the corresponding amount of any awards for which service has been rendered according to the note's terms.

(2) The Department of Higher Education may defer payment on the note if an employment position is not immediately available upon a teacher's completion of licensure requirements or for other just cause as determined by the Department of Education.

(3) After the period of deferral, the person shall begin or resume teaching duties as required under this section or shall become liable to the Department of Higher Education under this section.

(e) If a claim for payment under this section is placed in the hands of an attorney for collection, the obligor shall be liable for an additional amount equal to a reasonable attorney's fee.

(f) The obligations made by the recipient of a forgivable loan under § 6-85-109 and this section shall not be voidable by reason of the age of the student at the time of receiving the forgivable loan award.

6-85-111. End-of-course assessment requirements.

The Department of Higher Education may recognize a sub-score of nineteen (19) or higher in the applicable subject area on the American College Test as meeting the requirements for passing end-of-course assessments under the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program and the Arkansas Governor's Scholars Program for a student who:

(1) Has not had an opportunity to take an end-of-course assessment;

(2) Has not passed the end-of-course assessment; or

(3) Is attending a private school or home school.

SUBCHAPTER 2

ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM — PART 2

6-85-201. Findings.

The General Assembly finds that:

(1) In approving Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 87, the citizens of this state provided an opportunity to increase the resources provided for higher education scholarships and grants through a state lottery; and

(2) The net proceeds from the state lottery, in addition to existing nonlottery state educational resources for scholarships and grants, will:

(A) Encourage associate degree recipients and university juniors to complete a baccalaureate degree;

(B) Provide opportunities for students more than one (1) year out of high school to enter or reenter higher education;

(C) Provide an improved system of communication to students and parents about opportunities for higher education scholarships and grants in Arkansas; and

(D) Provide an evaluation and analysis of all state funding for scholarships and grants and how the funding advances the state’s goals for higher education.

6-85-202. Creation.

The Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program — Part 2 is hereby created and established.

6-85-203. Applicability.

(a) This subchapter is applicable to students who apply for a scholarship under the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program — Part 2 for the academic year 2010-2011, and each academic year thereafter.

(b) Except to the extent of an award amount under § 6-85-107(b)(2), a recipient of a scholarship under the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program — Part 1, § 6-85-101 et seq., is not eligible for an additional scholarship under this subchapter.

(c) Recipients of Arkansas Governor's Distinguished Scholarships are prohibited from receiving Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarships under this subchapter.

6-85-204. Definitions.

As used in this subchapter:

(1) "ACT" means the ACT Assessment administered by ACT, Inc.;

(2) "ACT equivalent" means the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT), COMPASS, Accuplacer, or other nationally normed test that is correlated with the ACT and approved by the Department of Higher Education for use by institutions of higher education to assess a person's college readiness;

(3) "Approved institution of higher education" means an institution of higher education approved by the Department of Higher Education to participate in the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program — Part 2 and that is:

(A) A state-supported two-year or four-year college or university; or

(B) A private, nonprofit two-year or four-year college or university with its primary headquarters located in Arkansas that is eligible to receive Title IV federal student aid funds;

(4) "General Educational Development test" means a test measuring the knowledge and skills usually learned in high school that is administered by a state-approved institution or organization;

(5) "High school grade point average" means the numbered grade average on a student's high school transcript calculated using the first seven (7) of the last eight (8) semesters the student completed prior to graduating high school;

(6) "Lawful permanent resident" means a non-United States citizen who resides in the United States under a legally recognized and lawfully recorded permanent residence and who may receive state public benefits under 8 U.S.C. § 1622;

(7) "Net proceeds from the state lottery" means lottery proceeds less operating expenses, as defined in § 23-115-103;

(8) "Nonlottery state educational resources" means the funding available for state-supported scholarships and grants for students enrolled in two-year and four-year institutions of higher education in this state that:

(A) The General Assembly makes available from general revenue to the Higher Education Grants Fund Account without consideration of the availability of proceeds from the state lottery; and

(B) The Department of Finance and Administration estimates is available for distribution to the Higher Education Grants Fund Account during a fiscal year from the Educational Excellence Trust Fund;

(9) "Nontraditional student" means a student who is not a traditional student;

(10) "Personally identifiable student data" means any information that, alone or in combination with other available information, is linked or linkable to a specific student that would allow a reasonable person in the school community to identify the student with reasonable certainty;

(11) "Postsecondary grade point average" means the cumulative numbered grade average for college credit courses as calculated using a 4.0 scale;

(12) "Qualified certificate program" means a program that is:

(A) Offered by an approved institution of higher education;

(B) Shorter in duration than an associate degree for which credit hours are awarded that are creditable toward an associate degree; and

(C) Recognized by the United States Department of Education for financial aid purposes;

(13) "Recipient" means an applicant awarded a scholarship funded through the program;

(14) "State-supported student financial assistance" means a state-supported scholarship, grant, tuition waiver, or tuition reimbursement funded with state funds or net proceeds from the state lottery awarded by:

(A) The Department of Higher Education; or

(B) A scholarship or grant awarded by an institution of higher education in this state in whole or in part by state funds, including without limitation:

(i) Scholarships awarded on the basis of entrance exam scores or high school academic achievement;

(ii) Tuition waivers based on age, military service, occupation, or other factors;

(iii) Out-of-state tuition waivers for undergraduate students from contiguous states in close proximity to a college or university;

(iv) Scholarships for transfers from two-year institutions;

(v) Performance scholarships for band, musical performing groups, arts, theater, forensics, and similar activities that are not awarded on the basis of entrance exam scores or high school academic achievement; and

(vi) Any other publicly-funded program under which students are not charged or are reimbursed by the institution of higher education for tuition, fees, books, or other costs of attendance; and

(15) "Traditional student" means a student who will enter postsecondary education as a full-time first-time freshman within twelve (12) months after graduating from high school and remains continuously enrolled as a full-time student.

6-85-205. Authority and duties of the Department of Higher Education.

(a)(1) The Department of Higher Education shall develop and promulgate rules for the administration of the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program consistent with the purposes and requirements of this subchapter.

(2) At least ten (10) business days before the date the Department of Higher Education files with the Bureau of Legislative Research under § 25-15-204 a proposed rule or proposed change to a rule promulgated under this subchapter, the Department of Higher Education shall file a copy of the proposed rule or proposed change to a rule with the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee.

(b) The rules developed and promulgated by the Department of Higher Education under this section shall pertain to:

(1) Student eligibility criteria based on this subchapter;

(2) The method for selecting scholarship recipients and for determining continuing eligibility;

(3) The procedures for making payment to an approved institution of higher education where the recipient is enrolled; and

(4) Other administrative procedures that may be necessary for the implementation and operation of the program.

(c) The Department of Higher Education shall implement a complete financial aid management system that uses a single application form that may be accessed as a web-based application for all Arkansas state-supported student financial assistance administered by the Department of Higher Education, including:

(1) Scholarships awarded under this subchapter or other state law that are funded with net proceeds from the state lottery; and

(2) Scholarships, grants, or other financial assistance for higher education students funded with nonlottery state educational resources.

(d)(1) The Department of Education and the Department of Higher Education are directed to develop appropriate informational materials on the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program and to ensure distribution of the materials to Arkansas students in grade seven through grade twelve (7-12) each year as a part of the packet of materials on precollegiate preparation distributed by the Department of Education as required by § 6-61-217.

(2) The distribution of materials shall be accomplished through the collaboration of school counselors and other appropriate public school or Department of Higher Education personnel.

(e) The Director of the Department of Higher Education shall review and evaluate the operation of the program with regard to eligibility criteria and size of the scholarship award to ensure that the program's operation meets the intent of this subchapter.

(f) The Department of Higher Education may determine the necessary procedures for the awarding of scholarships if the number of eligible applicants exceeds the funds available based on the criteria under this subchapter.

(g)(l) The Department of Higher Education shall report to the General Assembly annually regarding the implementation of this subchapter.

(2) By August 1 of each year, the Department of Higher Education shall provide to the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee an unaudited financial report on the administration of the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program for the fiscal year just ended.

6-85-206. Basic eligibility requirements.

The basic requirements for an applicant to be eligible for an award from the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program — Part 2 are:

(1)(A) The applicant has been an Arkansas resident for at least the twelve (12) months immediately preceding the date the applicant will enroll in an approved institution of higher education, and if the applicant is less than eighteen (18) years of age, a parent or guardian of the applicant or a combination of the applicant and a parent or guardian of the applicant has maintained Arkansas residency for the same period of time.

(B) To be considered an Arkansas resident, an applicant shall demonstrate residency by evidence deemed sufficient to the Department of Higher Education, including without limitation information provided by the applicant on the Free Application for Federal Student Aid or a subsequent application required by the United States Department of Education for federal financial aid;

(2) The applicant is a citizen of the United States or is a lawful permanent resident;

(3)(A) The applicant is accepted for admission at an approved institution of higher education as a full-time student or part-time student in a program of study that leads to or is creditable toward:

(i) A baccalaureate degree;

(ii) An associate degree;

(iii) A certificate from a qualified certificate program; or

(iv) A nursing school diploma or associate degree under § 6-85-213.

(B) A full-time student shall enroll in at least twenty-seven (27) semester hours the first academic year and thirty (30) semester hours per academic year thereafter or the equivalent, as described in this subchapter, or the equivalent as defined by the Department of Higher Education.

(C) A part-time student shall complete at least six (6) semester hours but fewer than the minimum number of semester hours for a full-time student, as defined by the Department of Higher Education;

(4) The applicant has not earned a baccalaureate degree;

(5) The applicant does not owe a refund on a federal or state student financial aid grant for higher education;

(6) The applicant is not in default on a state or federal student financial aid loan for higher education;

(7) The applicant has not borrowed, as determined by the approved institution of higher education to be attended, in excess of the annual loan limits under the Federal Family Educational Loan Program Systems, William D. Ford Federal Direct Loan Program, Income Contingent Loan Demonstration Program, Stafford Loan Program, Parent Loan for Undergraduate Students Program, or Supplemental Loan for Students Program in the same academic year for which the student has applied for assistance under this subchapter;

(8) The applicant is not incarcerated at the time of the application for or during the time the applicant receives a scholarship under this subchapter;

(9) The applicant has complied with United States Selective Service System requirements for registration;

(10) The applicant has completed and submitted to the United States Department of Education a Free Application for Federal Student Aid or a subsequent application required by the United States Department of Education for federal financial aid; and

(11) The applicant certifies that he or she is drug-free and pledges in writing on the application form to refrain from the use or abuse of illegal substances in order to become eligible and maintain eligibility for this program.

6-85-207. Additional eligibility requirements for traditional students.

In addition to the requirements of §6-85-206, an applicant is eligible as a traditional student if the applicant:

(1)(A) Graduated from an Arkansas public high school and has:

(i) Successfully completed the Smart Core curriculum established by the Department of Education; and

(ii) Either:

(a) Achieved a high school grade point average of at least 2.5; or

(b) Had a minimum composite score of nineteen (19) on the ACT or the equivalent score on an ACT equivalent.

(B) Graduated from an Arkansas public high school before the 2013-2014 school year, but did not complete the Smart Core curriculum, he or she shall have achieved a high school grade point average of at least 2.5 and either:

(i) Have a minimum composite score of nineteen (19) on the ACT or the equivalent score on an ACT equivalent; or

(ii) Scored proficient or higher on all state-mandated end-of-course assessments, including without limitation, end-of-course assessments on:

(a) Algebra I;

(b) Geometry;

(c) Biology; and

(4) Literacy, beginning with the 2013-2014 school year;

(2) Graduated from an Arkansas public high school that is annually identified in the report by the Department of Education under § 6-15-421 as a school in which twenty percent (20%) or more of the students received a letter grade of "B" or higher but did not score proficiency or higher on the end-of-course assessment on the first attempt, whether or not the applicant completed the Smart Core curriculum, achieved a high school grade point average of at least 2.5 and either:

(A) Has a minimum composite score of nineteen (19) on the ACT or the equivalent score on an ACT equivalent; or

(B) Scores proficient or higher on all state-mandated end-of-course assessments, including without limitation, end-of-course assessments on:

(i) Algebra I;

(ii) Geometry;

(iii) Biology; and

(iv) Literacy, beginning with the 2013-2014 school year.

(3) Has a disability identified under the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act, 20 U.S.C. § 1400 et seq., as it existed on July 1, 2009, and graduated from an Arkansas public high school but did not complete the Smart Core curriculum because the applicant's individualized education program under § 6-41-217 did not require it, achieved a high school grade point average of at least 2.5 and either:

(A) Has a minimum composite score of nineteen (19) on the ACT or the equivalent score on an ACT equivalent; or

(B) Scored proficient or higher on all state-mandated end-of-course assessments, including without limitation, end-of-course assessments on:

(i) Algebra I;

(ii) Geometry;

(iii) Biology; and

(iv) Literacy, beginning with the 2013-2014 school year.

(4) An applicant who graduated from a private or out-of-state high school or completed a high school curriculum at a home school shall have achieved a minimum composite score of nineteen (19) on the ACT or the equivalent score on an ACT equivalent.

6-85-208. Additional eligibility requirements for a nontraditional student.

(a) An applicant is eligible as a nontraditional student if, in addition to the requirements of § 6-85-206, the applicant:

(1)(A) Graduated from an Arkansas high school and achieved a 2.5 high school grade point average; or

(2) Had a minimum composite score of nineteen (19) on the ACT or the equivalent score on an ACT equivalent; or

(3) Has completed at least twelve (12) semester hours of courses granting three (3) or more hours of credit at an approved institution of higher education and earned a postsecondary grade point average of at least 2.5.

(b) A nontraditional student applicant who graduated from a private or out-of-state high school or completed a high school curriculum at a home school shall have achieved a minimum composite score of nineteen (19) on the ACT or the equivalent score on an ACT equivalent.

6-85-209. Additional eligibility requirements for a student near completion.

In addition to the requirements of § 6-85-206, an applicant is eligible as a student near completion if at the time of applying for the scholarship the applicant:

(1) Is enrolled in a two-year or four-year approved institution of higher education;

(2) Is within twenty-five percent (25%) of the requirements for completion of an associate degree or baccalaureate degree; and

(3) Has achieved a postsecondary grade point average of at least 2.5.

6-85-210. Continuing eligibility.

(a) A recipient who meets continuing eligibility criteria under this subchapter shall receive a scholarship for one (1) academic year renewable annually until the recipient first:

(1) Earns a baccalaureate degree;

(2)(A) Attempts a total of one hundred thirty (130) semester hours in eight (8) semesters at any approved institution of higher education as an undergraduate full-time student.

(B) If the recipient's undergraduate degree requires additional hours, the Department of Higher Education, in conjunction with the institution of higher education where the recipient is enrolled, shall determine the maximum period of time for renewal of the scholarship; or

(3) Attempts a total of one hundred thirty (130) semester hours in sixteen (16) semesters at any approved institution of higher education as an undergraduate part-time student.

(b) To maintain eligibility for an Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship under this subchapter, a recipient shall meet the following requirements:

(1) A recipient shall continue to meet the eligibility requirements of this subchapter while a recipient of a scholarship under this subchapter;

(2)(A)(i) A recipient shall meet the satisfactory academic progress standards required to receive other financial aid at the approved institution of higher education where the recipient is enrolled, as determined by the Department of Higher Education in conjunction with the institution of higher education where the recipient is enrolled.

(ii) By accepting scholarship funds under this subchapter, the receiving institution certifies that students will be enrolled in courses that will meet satisfactory academic progress standards leading toward a certificate, an associate degree, or a baccalaureate degree.

(B) A recipient shall be continuously enrolled unless the Department of Higher Education has approved a leave of absence for:

(i) A medical condition of the student or a member of the student's immediate family;

(ii) A personal or family emergency;

(iii) Military service under § 6-61-112;

(iv) A commitment for twelve (12) months or more for community, national, or global humanitarian service; or

(v) Any other reason approved by the Department of Higher Education.

(C)(i) A traditional student recipient is continuously enrolled in an approved institution of higher education if he or she completes twenty-seven (27) semester hours in the first year as a recipient and completes thirty (30) semester hours each academic year thereafter.

(ii) A nontraditional student recipient is continuously enrolled if he or she maintains at an approved institution of higher education in consecutive semesters, not including any summer term:

(a) Full-time enrollment if the student receives a scholarship under this subchapter for a full-time student; or

(b) Part-time enrollment if the student is receiving a scholarship under this subchapter for a part-time student;

(3) A recipient who enrolls in one (1) or more remedial courses shall complete all remedial courses required by the approved institution of higher education by the time the student completes the first thirty (30) semester hours attempted after receiving the scholarship;

(4) A recipient shall earn a postsecondary grade point average of 2.5 or higher at an approved institution of higher education;

(5) A recipient shall be enroll in courses that lead toward a baccalaureate degree program after attempting the lesser of:

(A) Sixty-six (66) semester hours; or

(B) The completion of an associate degree program, unless the number of hours required to complete the associate degree program exceeds sixty-six (66) semester hours, in which case, the higher number of hours for completion shall be used for this subdivision (b)(5); and

(6) A recipient shall meet any other continuing eligibility criteria established by the Department of Higher Education.

(c)(1) If a recipient becomes ineligible for the scholarship because the recipient's postsecondary grade point average no longer meets the minimum requirement for the scholarship, the recipient may regain eligibility under this subsection (c) one (1) time only.

(2) Except as provided under § 6-85-211(a)(3) and unless the requirements of this subsection are waived by the Department of Higher Education, to regain eligibility for the scholarship:

(A) A full-time student shall:

(i) Complete at least fifteen (15) semester hours of courses for credit for which the approved institution of higher education certifies that the courses meet the satisfactory academic progress standards of the institution; and

(ii) Achieve a 2.5 grade point average for the semester hours completed under this subdivision; and

(B) A part-time student shall:

(i) Complete at least six (6) semester hours of courses for credit for which the approved institution of higher education certifies that the courses meet the satisfactory academic progress standards of the institution; and

(ii) Achieve a 2.5 grade point average for the semester hours completed under this subdivision.

(d)(1) If a recipient becomes ineligible for the scholarship because the recipient has not completed the required number of hours for continuing eligibility, the recipient may regain eligibility under this subsection (d) for one (1) time only.

(2)(A) Except as provided under § 6-85-211(a)(3) and unless the requirements of this subsection are waived by the Department of Higher Education, to regain eligibility for the scholarship, the recipient shall complete the number of hours needed to regain eligibility.

(B) The recipient shall complete the required number of hours during the summer term at the student's own expense.

(e) If a recipient is subject to losing a scholarship under subsection (c) or (d) of this section due to a catastrophic event experienced by the recipient or a family member of the recipient, the department may waive the requirements of this subsection and determine the appropriate requirements for the recipient to either retain or regain the scholarship.

6-85-211. Literacy tutoring.

(a) As an additional component to the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship:

(1) Each applicant for the scholarship shall agree that for each year the scholarship is awarded he or she may volunteer to serve as a literacy tutor for a minimum of twenty (20) clock hours each semester in a public school or a faith-based educational institution serving students in prekindergarten through grade six (preK-6);

(2) A recipient who agrees to volunteer as a literacy tutor:

(A) Shall complete the prerequisite training in literacy and college readiness skills provided under this section before he or she begins tutoring; and

(B) May receive college credit for the tutoring as determined by the institution of higher education where the recipient is enrolled; and

(3) An enrolled college student who participates in the tutorial program and fails to meet the academic eligibility requirement under this subchapter for the fall or spring semester shall be given the probationary opportunity during the subsequent spring or summer term to continue his or her education and improve academic performance before losing scholarship funding in the subsequent semester.

(b) A recipient who agrees to volunteer as a literacy tutor under this section shall receive the prerequisite training in literacy and college readiness from an approved institution of higher education based on training modules developed by the Department of Education.

6-85-212. Scholarship award amounts.

(a)(1) The General Assembly may use net proceeds from the state lottery to fund the scholarships awarded under this subchapter and to supplement the state-supported student financial assistance that the General Assembly determines are necessary to meet the state's objective for broadening and increasing access of Arkansas citizens to higher education.

(b) Net proceeds from the state lottery used to fund scholarships under this subchapter shall:

(1) Be used exclusively for the purposes set out in Amendment 87 of the Arkansas Constitution and this subchapter; and

(2) Supplement and shall not supplant nonlottery state educational resources.

(c) It is General Assembly's intent that before increasing award amounts for scholarships under this subchapter, the number of scholarships awarded to nontraditional students under § 6-85-208 and to students near completion under § 6-85-209 be increased.

(d) The scholarships established under this subchapter are subject to available funding and do not create for any student an entitlement to financial assistance to enable the student's attendance at an approved institution of higher education.

(e)(1) For the 2010-2011 academic year, the General Assembly shall determine the scholarship award amount by February 28, 2010, based on the amount of net proceeds from the state lottery reasonably projected to be available for scholarships in the 2010-2011 academic year.

(2)(A) The Department of Higher Education shall award an aggregate amount of scholarship awards to nontraditional students beginning with the 2010-2011 academic year up to eight million dollars ($8,000,000).

(B) Priority for scholarships awarded to nontraditional students is based on the applicant's level of progress toward completion of a certificate, an associate degree, or a baccalaureate degree, or on other criteria established by the Department of Higher Education.

(3) The scholarship award for a full-time student enrolled in a two-year approved institution of higher education is one-half (1/2) of the scholarship award amount for a full-time undergraduate student enrolled in a four-year approved institution of higher education.

(4)(A) The scholarship award amount for a part-time recipient shall be:

(i) One-half of the award amount for a full-time recipient, if the recipient is enrolled in six (6) semester hours but less than nine (9) semester hours; or

(ii) Three-quarters (3/4) of the award amount for a full-time recipient, if the recipient is enrolled in nine (9) semester hours but less than the number of hours required for a full-time recipient.

(B) The per semester hour award amount is calculated as the per-semester hour amount of an award to a traditional student based on fifteen (15) semester hours as calculated by the Department of Higher Education;

(c)(1) By November 1 of each year, the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee shall provide to the General Assembly its recommendations for any changes to the:

(A) Award amounts;

(B) Number or type of scholarships; and

(C) Eligibility requirements.

(2) The committee may base its recommendations for scholarship award amounts on the following guidelines and any additional information the committee finds relevant to making the recommendations:

Annual 2-yr institution award amount	Annual 4-yr institution award amount	If net lottery proceeds are greater than	Or equal to
$1,250	$2,500	$ 49,308,626	$ 60,405,551
$1,500	$3,000	$ 60,405,551	$ 71,502,476
$1,750	$3,500	$ 71,502,476	$ 82,599,401
$2,000	$4,000	$ 82,599,401	$ 93,696,326
$2,250	$4,500	$ 93,696,326	$104,793,251
$2,500	$5,000	$104,793,251	$115,890,177
$2,750	$5,500	$115,890,177	$126,987,102
$3,000	$6,000	$126,987,102	

(d) After the 2010-2011 academic year, the determination of the amount of net proceeds from the state lottery available for each semester is based on the Arkansas Lottery Commission's certification of net proceeds made in July of the immediately preceding calendar year.

(e) The department shall ensure that sufficient funds remain available to pay for scholarship awards through anticipated completion of the degree or certificate a recipient is seeking and report the balance of those funds to the General Assembly before the amount of awards under this subchapter are increased by the General Assembly.

(f) All awards under this subchapter are subject to the prohibition under § 6-80-105 against using public funds in a student financial package in excess of the recognized cost of attendance at the institution where the student is enrolled.

(g)(1) If the department has less than a sufficient amount to provide for the scholarship commitments under this subchapter, the department first shall use the department's Scholarships and Grants Contingency Appropriation to fund the shortfall.

(2) The department then shall give priority for continued financial support under this subchapter to a recipient who has continuing eligibility superior to first-time applicants.

(3) If the funding is still insufficient to fully fund the scholarships created under this subchapter, the department shall award scholarships after considering applicants:

(A) With the highest level of progress toward completion of a certificate, an associate degree, or a baccalaureate degree;

(B) With the highest high school or postsecondary grade point average, as applicable to the applicant; and

(C) Who are enrolled in or intend to enroll in an program of study that is:

(i) In an area of critical workforce need as determined by the department; or

(ii) Is in a science, technology, engineering, or mathematics field.

6-85-213. Nursing school eligibility.

(a)(1) The General Assembly recognizes that the State of Arkansas is experiencing a critical shortage of nurses.

(2) It is the intent of this section to allow the Department of Higher Education the opportunity, under specific circumstances, to include a school of nursing that:

(A) Prepares students as registered nurses;

(B) Grants associate degrees or nursing diplomas;

(C) Is approved by the Arkansas State Board of Nursing; and

(D) Would not otherwise be an approved institution of higher education in the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program.

(b)(1) The department shall make awards to applicants attending a school of nursing under this section if:

(A) The applicant has qualified for an Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship and is simultaneously enrolled in an approved two-year college or a four-year college or university before or at the time of entry into the nursing school and the applicant then transfers the scholarship to an approved school of nursing after completing the two-year requirements under the department's rules;

(B) The nursing school has been approved by the board and is specifically recognized by the department as a school of nursing eligible to participate in the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program; and

(C) The recipient meets continuing eligibility requirements in § 6-85-210.

(2) The department shall pay scholarship awards under this section only from nonlottery state educational resources.

6-85-214. Accountability — Transparency — Legislative oversight.

(a) The General Assembly finds that:

(1) The continual evaluation of the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program and of all state-supported scholarship and grant programs by the General Assembly is critical for maximizing the benefits to the state and its citizens of state financial aid for higher education and meeting state objectives for higher education; and

(2) Accountability and transparency in the implementation of state-supported scholarship programs are fundamental to a proper evaluation of the programs.

(b) The General Assembly finds that the collection of data and the reports required under §§ 6-85-215 — 6-85-220 are necessary to ensure accountability and transparency.

6-85-215. Student consent form.

(a)(1)(A) A student receiving any state-supported student financial assistance for which an institution of higher education is required to provide information under this section shall complete and sign a consent form authorizing the release of the student's individual personal information to the Bureau of Legislative Research and authorizing:

(i) The institution of higher education to provide the bureau with academic progress information for the scholarship recipient; and

(ii) The department to release the student’s individual personal information to the bureau.

(B) If a student is less than eighteen (18) years of age, the student’s parent or guardian shall complete and sign the consent form.

(2)(A) The student may opt out of the release of information. A decision to opt out applies only to the release of information under this section and does not apply to information released under any other section of this subchapter or under any other law.

(B) In order to provide better statistical data, each institution shall report the number of students who opt out.

(3) The consent form shall state that:

(i) The purpose for the bureau collecting data is to guide the General Assembly’s evaluation of the need for adjustments to scholarship program eligibility and funding levels;

(ii) Personally identifiable student data will not be released by the bureau or the department; and

(iii) The student may opt out of the release of information, and that opting out will not affect the student's eligibility for a scholarship.

(4) The form shall list the categories of information authorized for release under this section.

(5) The Director of the Bureau of Legislative Research may:

(A) Seek an opinion from the Family Policy Compliance Office of the United States Department of Education concerning the student consent requirement and opt out under this section; or

(B) Request the Department of Higher Education to seek the opinion on behalf of the bureau.

(b) The information consented to be released by the student shall include:

(1) A unique student identifier;

(2) Status for Federal PELL grant;

(3) Postsecondary grade point average;

(4) Number of semester hours attempted;

(5) Number of semester hours completed;

(6) Gender, race, ethnicity, and age;

(7) High school graduated from or General Educational Development test score;

(8) High school grade point average; and

(9) ACT score or ACT equivalent score, if available.

(c) This section does not apply to scholarships or other forms of student financial assistance that are completely privately funded.

(d) Approved institutions of higher education shall undertake any procedures necessary to ensure the collection of the information under this section and shall provide it to the Bureau of Legislative Research in a mutually agreed upon electronic format by November 1 of each school year for students awarded for that academic year state-supported student financial assistance.

(e)(1) The student data provided to the bureau under this section are not subject to release under the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq.

(2) The bureau shall not release any personally identifiable student data received under this section.

(f) The bureau shall inform the Department of Higher Educationof any data used in the preparation of reports and provide the department at least two (2) working days to review any student-related data used in preparation of reports before publicly releasing that student-related data without personally identifiable data.

6-85-216. Institution report to the department.

(a)(1) An approved institution of higher education that enrolls students receiving scholarships under this subchapter annually shall provide information, and semiannually provide updated information, to the Department of Higher Education regarding all state-supported student financial assistance whether or not the state-supported student financial assistance is awarded under this subchapter.

(2) The information shall be provided in the form of individual student records and shall include without limitation information regarding:

(A) State-supported student financial assistance;

(B) Demographic student data; and

(C) Disaggregated data on remedial courses.

(b) The department shall establish by rule the:

(1) Specific data required;

(2) Manner of reporting the information required; and

(3) Technology or software required for reporting.

(c) The department shall use the information provided under this section to conduct the research and analysis needed to support the annual report of the Director of the Department of Higher Education to the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee under § 6-85-205.

6-85-217. Information provided to the bureau by the Department of Higher Education.

(a)(1) The Department of Higher Education shall provide to the Bureau of Legislative Research the following data when requested for the purpose of assisting the General Assembly with evaluation and analysis under this subchapter:

(A) Existing individual student data;

(B) Institutional data;

(C) Financial data;

(D) Aggregate student scholarship and grant application and award data; and

(E) Other data needed to track scholarship and grant students from year to year.

(b)(1) To maintain confidentiality of individual student records in accordance with the Family Educational Right to Privacy Act, 20 U.S.C. § 1232g, the Department of Higher Education shall establish a system for removing or recoding any personally identifiable student data in student records that are used by the bureau for research and evaluation of scholarships and grants funded with net proceeds from the state lottery and those funded with nonlottery state educational resources.

(2) The bureau shall assist the Department of Higher Education by providing input concerning the development or modification of the system.

(3)(A) The Director of the Bureau of Legislative Research may seek an opinion from Family Policy Compliance Office of the United States Department of Education concerning the department's system, any proposed modification of the system, or any request for information made by the bureau under this section.

(B) The director may request the Department of Higher Education to seek the opinion on behalf of the bureau.

(c) The Department of Higher Education shall make its staff reasonably accessible for consultation with the bureau’s staff in developing and responding appropriately to bureau requests under this section.

(d)(1) The Department of Higher Education shall provide data to the bureau in a database or spreadsheet format.

(2) The Department of Higher Education shall provide other information and records requested by the bureau as soon as possible and in whatever reasonable form requested.

(e)(1) The student data provided to the bureau under this section are not subject to release under the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq.

(2) The bureau shall not release any personally identifiable student data received under this section.

(f) The bureau’s staff shall inform the Department of Higher Education of any data used in the preparation of reports and provide the department at least two (2) working days to review any student-related data used in preparation of reports before publicly releasing that student-related data without personally identifiable student data.

6-85-218. Advisory council.

(a) An advisory council is created to provide recommendations to the Department of Higher Education and the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee for the implementation of this subchapter.

(b) The advisory council shall be composed of the members determined under subsection (c) of this section and:

(1) One (1) member of the House of Representatives selected by the Speaker of the House of Representatives;

(2) One (1) member of the Senate selected by the Speaker Pro Tempore of the Senate; and

(3) The Director of the Bureau of Legislative Research, or his or her designee.

(c) The Department of Higher Education shall determine the remaining composition of the advisory council, which shall include without limitation representation from:

(1) The department;

(2) Institutions of higher education eligible to become approved for participation in the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program Part 2;

(3) Professional associations for student financial aid administration and student services officers; and

(4) Any other group the department deems advisable.

(d) The director or his or her designee shall serve as chair of the advisory council and shall call meetings as need to fulfill the purpose of the advisory council.

(e) Members of the advisory council shall serve without compensation but may be reimbursed by the department for reasonable travel expenses incurred to attend meetings.

(f) By August 1, 2009, and as requested thereafter, the advisory council shall report its recommendations to the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee.

6-85-219. Reports to legislative committees.

(a)(1) Quarterly during fiscal years 2010 and 2011, the Department of Higher Education shall report to the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee:

(A) The information required by subsection (b) of this section to the extent the information is available;

(B) The costs of administering scholarships funded with net proceeds from the state lottery;

(C) Projected levels of state funding for scholarships and grants;

(D) Recommendations for changes to the program, including without limitation, adjustments to eligibility requirements of the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program and award levels; and

(E) Other data the committee or the General Assembly may require.

(2) The Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee may specify criteria related to any item of information required by this section.

(b)(1) Annually by July 1, the department shall report to the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee in the manner and format that the committee requires on all state-supported student financial assistance awarded by the department and awarded by approved institutions of higher education.

(2) The information provided shall include without limitation:

(A) Current year expenditures for scholarships and grants under the program;

(B) Projected obligations for succeeding years from each scholarship or grant funding source;

(C) Fund balances for the:

(i) Higher Education Grants Fund Account; and

(ii) Trust accounts maintained by the Director of the Department of Higher Education to hold the net proceeds from the state lottery;

(D) An evaluation of whether the net proceeds from the state lottery available for the program supplements and does not supplant nonlottery state educational resources;

(F) Recommendations for changes to the program, including without limitation:

(i) Adjustments to the eligibility requirements of the program; and

(ii) Increases or decreases in the amounts awarded for an Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship based on the amount of net proceeds from the state lottery available; and

(H) Any other information that the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee or the General Assembly may request.

(c) The department shall report to the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee, the House Committee on Education, the Senate Committee on Education, and the Joint Budget Committee on the compliance with § 6-85-216 by each approved institution of higher education.

(d) The Bureau of Legislative Research shall report to the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee, the House Committee on Education, the Senate Committee on Education, and the Joint Budget Committee on:

(1) The compliance with § 6-85-216 by approved institutions of higher education; and

(2) The status of reporting by the department under § 6-85-217.

6-85-220. Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee - Annual report.

(a) The Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee shall:

(1) Oversee the development and implementation of Arkansas Code requirements with regard to the Arkansas Academic Challenge Scholarship Program;

(2) Review whether and how the use of net state lottery proceeds helps to accomplish state objectives for higher education;

(3) Review the ongoing data collection, research, and evaluation of the program;

(4) Review the annual report of the Director of the Department of Higher Education under this section;

(5) Review and recommend changes to the:

(A) Number of awards for each scholarship and grant;

(B) Award levels;

(C) Eligibility requirements; and

(D) Overall administration of the program; and

(6) Review and recommend policies for scholarships and grants funded with nonlottery state educational resources, including without limitation ways to ensure that net proceeds from the state lottery are used to supplement and not supplant nonlottery state educational resources.

(b) By November 1 of each year, the committee shall report its findings and recommendations to the Arkansas Lottery Commission, the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the Governor, the House Committee on Education, and the Senate Committee on Education.

SECTION 5. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 5, Subchapter 4 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

6-5-405. Professional development for higher education awareness.

(a) As used in this section, “state-supported student financial assistance” means:

(1) A state-supported scholarship or grant awarded by the Department of Higher Education; and

(2) A scholarship, grant, or tuition waiver awarded by an institution of higher education in this state funded in whole or in part with state funds.

(b) Beginning with the 2009 calendar year, professional development on the availability of, eligibility requirements for, and the process of applying for state-supported student financial assistance shall be required for:

(1) All public school superintendents and assistant superintendents; and

(2) The following licensed personnel at a public school where students are enrolled in grade seven through grade twelve (7-12):

(A) Principals;

(B) Assistant principals; and

(C) Guidance counselors.

(c)(1) The first course shall be a three-hour course to be taken within calendar year 2009, or within the first year of employment.

(2) After the first three-hour course is completed, a one-hour course is required to be completed annually.

(d) The professional development hours required under this section shall be counted toward the sixty (60) hours of the professional development required for licensed school personnel under the Standards for Accreditation of Arkansas Public Schools and School Districts.

SECTION 6. TEMPORARY. DO NOT CODIFY. The General Assembly requests that:

(1) The Arkansas Association of Educational Administrators and the Arkansas Education Association, in cooperation with the Department of Higher Education, each provide three (3) hours of professional development on the availability of, eligibility requirements for, and the process of applying for state-supported student financial assistance for higher education at the respective association's annual convention, beginning with the 2009 annual convention;

(2) The Arkansas School Boards Association provide continuing education on the availability of, eligibility requirements for, and the process of applying for s state-supported student financial assistance for higher education at its meetings; and

(3) The Arkansas Education Television Network, in coordination with the Department of Higher Education, prepare a program of three (3) hours of professional development to be available during 2009 covering the availability, eligibility requirements for, and the process of applying for state-supported student financial assistance for higher education.

SECTION 7. TEMPORARY. DO NOT CODIFY.

(a) The Director of the Department of Higher Education shall determine the amount of excess net proceeds from the state lottery by calculating the difference between:

(1) The amount committed to scholarships awarded under the Academic Challenge Scholarship Program — Part 1 and the scholarships for traditional students and nontraditional students under the Academic Challenge Scholarship Program — Part 2; and

(2) The amount of net proceeds from the state lottery reasonably projected for the 2010-2011 academic year as determined by the director after consultation with the Arkansas Lottery Commission. Legislative Oversight Committee, the House Committee on Education, and the Senate Committee on Education.

(b) The amount of excess net proceeds from the state lottery shall only be available for one (1) or more of the following:

(1) Awarding scholarships to students near completion;

(2) Increasing state-supported student financial assistance under the Higher Education Opportunities Grant Program, § 6-82-1701 et seq. and the Workforce Improvement Grant Program, § 6-82-1601 et seq., or other state-supported student financial assistance programs for nontraditional students; or

(3) Establishing a reserve fund.

(c) By July 15, 2010, the Director of the Department of Higher Education shall prepare a report on the projected distribution of excess net proceeds from the state lottery based on:

(1) The award amounts set by the General Assembly in February 2010 under this act;

(2) The amount of excess net proceeds from the state lottery reasonably projected to be available for funding scholarships under this act;

(3) The number of applications accepted for the 2010-2011 academic year under this act;

(4) The number of applicants on the waiting lists for scholarships to be awarded under this act;

(5) Of the applicants on the waiting list, whether the applicants are traditional students, nontraditional students, or students near completion;

(d) The director shall provide the report to the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee, the House Committee on Education, and the Senate Committee on Education for review.

(e)(1) The department shall maintain a list of students near completion and shall award scholarships first in order of those nearest completion.

(2) The amount of the award per student per year shall be determined by dividing the number of hours until completion by thirty (30) and multiplying by the amount the legislature sets for the award for baccalaureate students.

(3) The amount of the award for associate degree students shall be determined by dividing the number of hours until completion by fifteen (15) and multiplying by the amount the legislature sets for two-year students.

SECTION 8. Arkansas Code § 6-61-220(b), concerning the reporting of students who require remediation in their first year of postsecondary education, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(3)(A) For the purpose of analysis by the Bureau of Legislative Research to guide the General Assembly's evaluation of the need for adjustments to eligibility and funding levels for state-supported student financial assistance, the Office of Accountability of the Department of Education shall provide annually to the bureau all individual student demographic and test result data on ACT or ACT equivalent college placement exams.

(B) The office shall provide the data in a database or spreadsheet format that omits personally identifiable information.

SECTION 9. Arkansas Code § 3-4-404(21), concerning Class B violations by holders of alcoholic beverages permits, is amended to read as follows:

(21)(A) Conducting or permitting gambling on premises.

(B) Conducting or permitting gambling under subdivision (21)(A) of this section does not include:

(i) Charitable bingo and raffles under the Charitable Bingo and Raffles Enabling Act, § 23-114-101 et seq.; or

(ii) A lottery under the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery Act, § 23-115-101 et seq.;

SECTION 10. Arkansas Code § 3-5-221 (d)(1)(A), concerning prohibited practices under laws pertaining to beer and light wine, is amended to read as follows:

(d)(1) It shall be unlawful for a licensee or for any agent, servant, or employee of a licensee:

(A)(i) To suffer or permit any dice to be thrown for money or for anything of value or to suffer or permit gambling with cards, dominoes, raffle, or other games of chance or any form of gambling in the place designated by the license or in any booth, room, yard, garden, or other place appurtenant thereto.

(ii) Forms of gambling under subdivision (d)(1)(A)(i) of this section do not include:

(a) Charitable bingo and raffles under the Charitable Bingo and Raffles Enabling Act, § 23-114-101 et seq.; or

(b) A lottery under the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery Act, § 23-115-101 et seq.;

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SECTION 11. Arkansas Code § 3-5-307(5), concerning certain prohibited practices under laws pertaining to beer, is amended to read as follows:

(5)(A) Permit gambling or games of chance upon the licensed premises.

(B) Permitting gambling or games of chance under subdivision (5)(A) of this section does not include:

(i) Charitable bingo and raffles under the Charitable Bingo and Raffles Enabling Act, § 23-114-101 et seq.; or

(ii) A lottery under the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery Act, § 23-115-101 et seq.;

SECTION 12. Arkansas Code § 3-9-236(15), concerning miscellaneous unlawful practices by on-premises consumption permit holders, is amended to read as follows:

(15)(A) Keep on the permitted premises a slot machine or any gambling or gaming device, machine, or apparatus, except as provided in ~~subdivision (15)(B)~~ subdivisions (15)(B)-(C) of this section.

(B)(i) An event held by a nonprofit organization that is exempt from taxation under § 26 U.S.C. 501(c)(3) shall be exempt from subdivision (15)(A) of this section if:

~~(i)~~(a) The nonprofit organization registers the event with the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division at least sixty (60) days before the event;

~~(ii)~~(b) All proceeds of the event are for the benefit of the nonprofit organization;

~~(iii)~~(c) The games in the event do not use money but may use some form of play money;

~~(iv)~~(d) No cash or any other item of value is won or awarded as a prize; and

~~(v)~~(e) The event is for amusement and not for gambling purposes in violation of Arkansas law or Arkansas Constitution, Article 19, § 14.

~~(C)(i)~~(ii)(a) This ~~section~~ subdivision (15)(B) shall apply to only one (1) event held by a nonprofit organization during a calendar year.

~~(ii)~~(b) No licensed premises shall be allowed more than ten (10) events under this subdivision (15)(B) per calendar year.

~~(D)(i)~~(iii)(a) A violation of this ~~section~~ subdivision (15)(B) by a nonprofit organization is a ~~misdemeanor~~ violation and is punishable by a fine of one thousand dollars ($1,000).

~~(ii)~~(b) If a nonprofit organization commits a second violation of this subdivision (15)(B), the nonprofit organization shall be ineligible to sponsor an event under this ~~section~~ subdivision (15)(B).

~~(E)~~(iv) The division may promulgate appropriate rules to carry out the intent of this subdivision (15)(B).

(C) A gambling or a gaming device, machine, or apparatus under subdivision (15)(A) of this section do not include:

(i) Charitable bingo and raffles under the Charitable Bingo and Raffles Enabling Act, § 23-114-101 et seq.; or

(ii) A lottery under the Arkansas Scholarship Lottery Act, § 23-115-101 et seq.;

SECTION 13. Arkansas Code § 10-3-314 is amended to read as follows:

10-3-314. Report on claim filed with State Claims Commission.

(a) ~~It~~ Except as provided by subsection (b) of this section, it is the intent of the General Assembly that when any state agency, board, commission, or institution of higher education admits liability to a claim filed with the State Claims Commission and the claim involves a contract with a state agency, board, commission, or institution of higher education or the claim exceeds seven thousand five hundred dollars ($7,500) that such agency, board, commission, or institution of higher education file a written report thereof with the Litigation Subcommittee of the Legislative Council. The report shall include a concise statement of facts with an explanation of the agency's liability. Provided further, such report shall be filed with the litigation subcommittee within thirty (30) days after the claim has been adjudicated by the State Claims Commission.

(b) The Arkansas Lottery Commission shall file its written report under subsection (a) of this section with the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee.

SECTION 14. Arkansas Code § 19-4-201(b)(2), concerning budget requests for certain agencies, is amended to read as follows:

(2) Budget requests for administration and operation of the legislative branch, the judicial branch, the elective constitutional offices, the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department, the Arkansas Lottery Commission, and the Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission shall be submitted directly to the Legislative Council without any recommendation by the Governor.

SECTION 15. Arkansas Code § 19-4-607(a), concerning the review and approval of annual operations plans, is amended to read as follows:

(a) Each state agency other than the elected constitutional officers, the legislative branch and its staff offices, the judicial branch and its staff offices, the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department, the Arkansas Lottery Commission, the state-supported institutions of higher education, and the Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission shall prepare an annual operations plan for the operation of each of its assigned programs for submission to the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State.

SECTION 16. Arkansas Code § 19-4-801(2)(B), concerning the definition of "state agency" as applied to the expenditure of cash funds, is amended to read as follows:

(B) “State agency” shall not include the:

(i) Governor;

(ii) Secretary of State;

(iii) Attorney General;

(iv) Treasurer of State;

(v) Auditor of State;

(vi) Commissioner of State Lands;

(vii) Supreme Court and its justices;

(viii) Circuit courts and circuit judges;

(ix) Prosecuting attorneys;

(x) Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission;

(xi) Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department;

(xii)(a) Arkansas Lottery Commission.

(b) However, the Arkansas Lottery Commission shall be considered a state agency for the purposes of §§ 19-4-810 - 19-4-1816;

~~(xii)~~(xiii) General Assembly; and

~~(xiii)~~(xiv) Respective staffs of ~~these~~ the officers and agencies listed in this subdivision (2)(B).

SECTION 17. Arkansas Code § 19-4-1303 is amended to read as follows:

19-4-1303. Exemptions.

Funds disbursed by the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department, ~~and~~ the Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission, and the Arkansas Lottery Commission and the funds appropriated in the general appropriation bill provided for in the Arkansas Constitution, Article 5, § 30, shall be exempt from this subchapter.

SECTION 18. Arkansas Code § 19-4-1415(b)(5), concerning certain exemptions for the construction of buildings and facilities, is amended to read as follows:

(5) The Board of Trustees of the University of Arkansas, ~~and~~ the Board of Trustees of Arkansas State University, and the Arkansas Lottery Commission shall be exempt from review and approval by the authority and any regulations promulgated by it, provided that the institutions shall have adopted policies and procedures involving the awarding and oversight of the contracts for design and construction services.

SECTION 19. Arkansas Code § 19-4-1612(b)(2), concerning overtime pay for state employees, is amended to read as follows:

(2)(A) The Chief Fiscal Officer of the State will specify those specific employees or groups of employees other than employees of the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department and the Arkansas Lottery Commission eligible to receive overtime compensation, the circumstances under which overtime pay is to be allowed, and such other matters which the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State may deem appropriate and necessary to comply with the Federal Fair Labor Standards Act as regards the payment of overtime compensation.

(B) The Director of the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department shall make these determinations as to employees of the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department.

(C) The Director of the Arkansas Lottery Commission shall make these determinations as to employees of the Arkansas Lottery Commission.

SECTION 20. Arkansas Code § 19-11-203(14)(Z) and (A)(A), concerning the definition of exempt commodities and services, is amended to read as follows:

(Z) Capital improvements valued at less than twenty thousand dollars ($20,000), subject to minimum standards and criteria of the Arkansas Building Authority; ~~and~~

(AA) Services related to work force development, incumbent work force training, or specialized business or industry training; and

(BB) Major procurement contracts of the Arkansas Lottery Commission under § 23-115-103.

SECTION 21. Arkansas Code § 19-11-220(a), concerning agency procurement officials, is amended to read as follows:

(a) In addition to any state agency authorized by regulation to have an agency procurement official, each of the following state agencies may elect to have such an official for commodities, technical and general services, and professional and consultant services, which are not within the exclusive jurisdiction of the State Procurement Director and which are not under state contract:

(1) Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department;
(2) Arkansas Lottery Commission;
~~(2)~~(3) Arkansas State University-Beebe;
~~(3)~~(4) Arkansas State University;
~~(4)~~(5) Arkansas State University System;
~~(5)~~(6) Arkansas Tech University;
~~(6)~~(7) Henderson State University;
~~(7)~~(8) Southern Arkansas University;
~~(8)~~(9) University of Arkansas at Fayetteville;
~~(9)~~(10) University of Arkansas Fund entities;
~~(10)~~(11) University of Arkansas at Little Rock;
~~(11)~~(12) University of Arkansas at Monticello;
~~(12)~~(13) University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff;
~~(13)~~(14) University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences;
~~(14)~~(15) University of Central Arkansas;
~~(15)~~(16) Arkansas State University-Mountain Home;
~~(16)~~(17) Arkansas State University-Newport;
~~(17)~~(18) Black River Technical College;
~~(18)~~(19) Cossatot Community College of the University of Arkansas;
~~(19)~~(20) East Arkansas Community College;
~~(20)~~(21) National Park Community College;
~~(21)~~(22) Arkansas Northeastern College;
~~(22)~~(23) Mid-South Community College;
~~(23)~~(24) North Arkansas College;
~~(24)~~(25) Northwest Arkansas Community College;
~~(25)~~(26) Ouachita Technical College;
~~(26)~~(27) Ozarka College;
~~(27)~~(28) Phillips Community College of the University of Arkansas;
~~(28)~~(29) University of Arkansas Community College at Morrilton;
~~(29)~~(30) Pulaski Technical College;
~~(30)~~(31) Rich Mountain Community College;
~~(31)~~(32) SAU-Tech;
~~(32)~~(33) Southeast Arkansas College;
~~(33)~~(34) South Arkansas Community College;
~~(34)~~(35) University of Arkansas Community College at Batesville;
~~(35)~~(36) University of Arkansas Community College at Hope;
~~(36)~~(37) University of Arkansas at Fort Smith; and
~~(37)~~(38) Department of Higher Education.

SECTION 22. Arkansas Code § 19-11-1003, concerning exemptions from laws pertaining to professional and consultant services contracts, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(d) This subchapter does not apply to major procurement contracts of the Arkansas Lottery Commission under § 23-115-103.

SECTION 23. Arkansas Code Title 19, Chapter 11, Subchapter 11 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

19-11-1103. Exemptions.

This subchapter does not apply to major procurement contracts of the Arkansas Lottery Commission under § 23-115-103.

SECTION 24. Arkansas Code § 26-18-1001, concerning business closure authority and notice, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(e) After written notice delivered to a lottery retailer by the United States Postal Service or by hand delivery, the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration may pursue a remedy under this subchapter against a lottery retailer as a noncompliant taxpayer upon receiving a referral from the Arkansas Lottery Commission under § 23-115-605.

SECTION 25. TEMPORARY LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE COFIDIED. (a) Initial appointments to the Arkansas Lottery Commission under § 23-115-202 shall be made within thirty (30) days of the effective date of this act.

(b) The Arkansas Lottery Commission shall hold its first meeting within forty-five (45) days of the effective date of this act.

SECTION 26. NOT TO BE CODIFIED. If any provision of this act or its application to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the invalidity does not affect other provisions or applications of this act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this act are severable under § 1-2-117.

SECTION 27. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that the people of the State of Arkansas overwhelmingly approved the establishment of lotteries at the 2008 General Election; that lotteries will provide funding for scholarships to the citizens of this state; that the failure to immediately implement this act will cause a reduction in lottery proceeds that will harm the educational and economic success of potential students eligible to receive scholarships under the act; and that the state lotteries should be implemented as soon as possible to effectuate the will of the citizens of this state and implement lottery-funded scholarships as soon as possible. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or

(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

(SIGNED) SENATOR TERRY SMITH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 26 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 829 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

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Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 829

Amend Senate Bill No. 829 as originally introduced:

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Delete the title in its entirety and substitute:

"AN ACT TO PERMIT CITIES OF THE FIRST CLASS WITH A POPULATION EXCEEDING FIFTY THOUSAND (50,000) TO REGULATE PROPERTY OWNERS OR THEIR AGENTS WHO HAVE VEHICLES TOWED FROM THE PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO PERMIT CITIES OF THE FIRST CLASS WITH A POPULATION EXCEEDING FIFTY THOUSAND (50,000) TO REGULATE PROPERTY OWNERS OR THEIR AGENTS WHO HAVE VEHICLES TOWED FROM THE PROPERTY."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 27-50-1101 is amended to read as follows:

27-50-1101. Nonconsensual towing of vehicles.

(a)(1)(A) When ~~any vehicles~~ a vehicle of a type subject to registration under the laws of this state ~~are~~ is found abandoned on private or public property within this state or ~~are~~ is parked on private or public property within this state without the authorization of the property owners or other persons controlling the property, the property ~~owners or agents~~ owner or his or her agent may have the vehicle removed from the property by a towing and storage firm licensed by and subject to the rules of the Arkansas Towing and Recovery Board.

(B)(i) A city of the first class with a population that exceeds fifty thousand (50,000) by ordinance may regulate the manner that a property owner or other person controlling the property removes a pleasure vehicle subject to licensure under § 27-14-601(a)(1):

(a) By limiting:

(1) The distance from the location of removal to the destination of storage;

(2) The amount of towing and storage charges, including the towing charge, the storage charge, the administrative fee, and any other fee that may be charged, to be assessed against the owner or operator of the vehicle removed from the property, with the difference between the charges allowed by the city and the actual charges to be assessed to the property owner or other person controlling the property that requested the removal of the vehicle; and

(3) The request for removal of a vehicle from the property to a towing and storage firm that accepts payment methods of cash, credit cards, or debit cards; and

(b) By requiring signage under § 27-51-1305 to include:

(1) The name, address, and telephone number of the towing and storage firm that may provide removal services from the parking lot;

(2) The amount of towing and storage charges, including the towing charge, the storage charge, sales tax, administrative fees, and any other fee that is to be charged, that may be assessed against the owner or operator of the vehicle; and

(3) Disclosing whether the towing and storage firm will accept the payment methods of cash, checks, credit cards, or debit cards.

(ii) An ordinance enacted under this subdivision (a)(1)(B) shall not conflict with this section and shall only apply to the towing and storage of a pleasure vehicle subject to licensure under § 27-14-601(a)(1).

~~(B)~~(C) Prior to the removal of an abandoned ~~vehicles or of vehicles~~ vehicle or vehicle parked without authority as provided by this section, the towing and storage firm shall obtain in writing from the property owners or agents a written statement that includes at a minimum the following:

(i) Identification of the property owner or agent, including name, address, and telephone number;

(ii) A statement that the property from which the vehicle is to be removed is property owned or otherwise under the control of the agent requesting the removal;

(iii) That the vehicle is deemed abandoned or has been parked on the property without authorization, as the case may be;

(iv) The make, model, and vehicle identification number of the vehicle to be removed;

(v) The location to which the vehicle will be removed, including the name, address, and telephone number of the towing and storage firm removing the vehicle; and

(vi) The signature of the property owner or agent requesting removal of the vehicle.

~~(C)~~(D) A copy of the written statement shall be left with the property owner or the on-site agent, who shall make the written statement available for inspection upon request by any person claiming an interest in the removed vehicle.

~~(D)~~(E) The towing and storage firm removing the vehicle shall retain a copy of the written statement for three (3) years and make the statement available during regular business hours upon request to any person claiming an interest in the removed vehicle or upon request to any law enforcement officer or board investigator.

~~(E)~~(F) ~~Vehicles~~ Unless other arrangements have been made with a repair business, a vehicle on the premises of ~~an automobile~~ a repair business shall be deemed abandoned if either:

(i) ~~the~~ The vehicle is unclaimed by the ~~vehicle~~ owner within forty-five (45) days; or

(ii) ~~the~~ The debt is not paid within forty-five (45) days from the time the repair work is complete.

~~(F)(i)~~(G) ~~No~~ A towing and storage firm shall not remove any abandoned vehicle or improperly parked vehicle without the authorization of the property owner or on-site agent as provided in this section except as may otherwise be authorized by the provisions of § 27-50-1201 et seq. or as directed by any law enforcement officer.

~~(ii) A property owner may designate in writing a licensed towing and storage firm as its agent for the purposes of the removal of abandoned vehicles or vehicles parked on private property without the authorization of the property owners or other persons controlling the property.~~

~~(G)~~(H) ~~No~~ A towing and storage firm removing a vehicle as provided by this section shall not pay any compensation related to the removal of the vehicle, whether as a referral fee or otherwise, to the owner or agent requesting the removal of the vehicle.

(2)(A) Any person towing a vehicle as provided by this section and any person towing a vehicle without the authorization of the owner ~~of the vehicle~~ or ~~of~~ the owner's agent, including towing pursuant to a directive of repossession from a holder of a security interest in the vehicle, shall notify the local police department or sheriff's ~~department~~ office within whose jurisdiction the vehicle was removed of the ~~vehicle's~~ removal within two (2) hours of taking possession of the vehicle.

(B) The towing and storage firm may not charge a storage fee for the vehicle for the time it is stored prior to the notification required to the local police department or sheriff's ~~department~~ office.

(C) Each police department or sheriff's ~~department~~ office receiving notification of the removal of a vehicle as provided in this subsection shall maintain a log recording the following information related to the vehicle: ~~the make, model, and vehicle identification number of the vehicle, the date, time, and location of the removal, and the name, address, and telephone number of the person removing the vehicle~~

(i) Make;

(ii) Model;

(iii) Vehicle identification number or serial number;

(iv) Date, time, and location of the removal; and

(v) Name, address, and telephone number of the person removing the vehicle.

(D) Each police department or sheriff's ~~department~~ office ~~receiving~~ that receives notification of the removal of a vehicle as provided in this subsection shall within twenty-four (24) hours of notification provide to the towing and storage firm information supplied from the records of the Office of Motor Vehicle, the Arkansas Crime Information Center, or, if there is evidence in the vehicle indicating that the vehicle is registered in another state, the motor vehicle records from that state, ~~that provide the vehicle identification number or serial number,~~ the name and address of the last registered owner, and the name and address of the holder of any recorded lien on the vehicle.

(E)(i) In the event that readily available records fail to disclose the name of the owner of the vehicle or any lienholder of record, the towing and storage firm shall perform a good faith search to locate documents or other evidence of ownership and lienholder information on or within the unattended or abandoned vehicle.

(ii) For purposes of this subsection, a “good faith search” means that the towing and storage firm checks the unattended or abandoned vehicle for any type of license plate, license plate record, temporary permit, inspection sticker, decal, or other evidence that indicates a possible state of registration and title.

(3) Following removal of an abandoned vehicle or vehicle parked without authority, possession of the vehicle, notice requirements to owners and lienholders, and procedures for sale of unclaimed vehicles shall be governed by the provisions of §§ 27-50-1208 — 27-50-1210.

(b) A city attorney may refer a possible violation of this section or an ordinance enacted under this section to the Arkansas Towing and Recovery Board for investigation.

~~(b)(1)~~(c)(1) It shall be unlawful for a person to:

(A) Direct the removal of or to remove a vehicle in violation of this section; and

(B) Violate or aid or abet any violation of this section.

(2)(A) A person who pleads guilty or nolo contendere to or is found guilty of any violation of this section is guilty of a Class B misdemeanor.

(B) The information related to a plea of guilty or nolo contendere to or conviction for a violation as provided under subdivision (b)(1)(A) shall be reported to the Arkansas Towing and Recovery Board.

(3) ~~Each~~ The removal of each vehicle ~~removal~~ in violation of this section shall constitute a distinct and separate offense."

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 829 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 830 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 830

Amend Senate Bill No. 830 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 27-50-1101 is amended to read as follows:

27-50-1101. Nonconsensual towing of ~~vehicles~~ a vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery.

(a)(1)(A) When ~~any vehicles~~ a vehicle of a type subject to registration under the laws of this state, an implement, or a piece of machinery ~~are~~ is found abandoned on private or public property within this state or ~~are~~ is parked on private or public property within this state without the authorization of the property owners or other persons controlling the property, the property ~~owners or agents~~ owner or his or her agent may have the vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery removed from the property by a towing and storage firm licensed by and subject to the rules of the Arkansas Towing and Recovery Board.

(B)(i) A city of the first class, city of the second class, or incorporated town by ordinance may regulate the manner that a property owner or other person controlling the property removes a vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery:

(a) By limiting:

(1) The distance from the location of removal to the destination of storage; and

(2) The amount of towing and storage charges, including the towing charge, the storage charge, the administrative fee, and any other fee that may be charged, to be assessed against the owner or operator of the vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery removed from the property, with the difference between the charges allowed by the city and the actual towing and storage charges to be assessed to the property owner or other person controlling the property that requested the removal of the vehicle; and

(3) The request for removal of a vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery from the property to a towing and storage firm that accepts payment methods of cash, credit cards, or debit cards; and

(b) By requiring signage under § 27-51-1305 to include:

(1) The name, address, and telephone number of the towing and storage firm that may provide removal services from the parking lot;

(2) The amount of towing and storage charges that may be assessed against the owner or operator of the vehicle, implement or other machinery; and

(3) Disclosing whether the towing and storage firm will accept the payment methods of cash, checks, credit cards, or debit cards.

(ii) An ordinance enacted under this subdivision (a)(1)(B)

shall not conflict with this section.

~~(B)~~(C) Prior to the removal of an abandoned ~~vehicles or of vehicles~~ vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery or a vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery parked without authority as provided by this section, the towing and storage firm shall obtain in writing from the property owners or agents a written statement that includes at a minimum the following:

(i) Identification of the property owner or agent, including name, address, and telephone number;

(ii) A statement that the property from which the vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery is to be removed is property owned or otherwise under the control of the agent requesting the removal;

(iii) That the vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery is deemed abandoned or has been parked on the property without authorization, as the case may be;

(iv) The make, model, and vehicle identification number or serial number of the vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery to be removed;

(v) The location to which the vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery will be removed, including the name, address, and telephone number of the towing and storage firm removing the vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery; and

(vi) The signature of the property owner or agent requesting removal of the vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery.

~~(C)~~(D) A copy of the written statement shall be left with the property owner or the on-site agent, who shall make the written statement available for inspection upon request by any person claiming an interest in the removed vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery.

~~(D)~~(E) The towing and storage firm removing the vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery shall retain a copy of the written statement for three (3) years and make the statement available during regular business hours upon request to any person claiming an interest in the removed vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery or upon request to any law enforcement officer or board investigator.

~~(E)~~(F) ~~Vehicles~~ Unless other arrangements have been made with a repair business, a vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery on the premises of ~~an automobile~~ a repair business shall be deemed abandoned if either:

(i) ~~the~~ The vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery is unclaimed by the ~~vehicle~~ owner within forty-five (45) days; or

(ii) ~~the~~ The debt is not paid within forty-five (45) days from the time the repair work is complete.

~~(F)(i)~~(G) ~~No~~ A towing and storage firm shall not remove any abandoned vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery or improperly parked vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery without the authorization of the property owner or on-site agent as provided in this section except as may otherwise be authorized by the provisions of § 27-50-1201 et seq. or as directed by any law enforcement officer.

~~(ii) A property owner may designate in writing a licensed towing and storage firm as its agent for the purposes of the removal of abandoned vehicles or vehicles parked on private property without the authorization of the property owners or other persons controlling the property.~~

~~(G)~~(H) ~~No~~ A towing and storage firm removing a vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery as provided by this section shall not pay any compensation related to the removal of the vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery, whether as a referral fee or otherwise, to the owner or agent requesting the removal of the vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery.

(2)(A) Any person towing a vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery as provided by this section and any person towing a vehicle, implement, or piece of

machinery without the authorization of the owner ~~of the vehicle~~ or ~~of~~ the owner's agent, including towing pursuant to a directive of repossession from a holder of a security interest in the vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery, shall notify the local police department or sheriff's ~~department~~ office within whose jurisdiction the vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery was removed of the ~~vehicle's~~ removal within two (2) hours of taking possession of the vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery.

(B) The towing and storage firm may not charge a storage fee for the vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery for the time it is stored prior to the notification required to the local police department or sheriff's ~~department~~ office.

(C) Each police department or sheriff's ~~department~~ office receiving notification of the removal of a vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery as provided in this subsection shall maintain a log recording the following information related to the vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery: ~~the make, model, and vehicle identification number of the vehicle, the date, time, and location of the removal, and the name, address, and telephone number of the person removing the vehicle~~

(i) Make;

(ii) Model;

(iii) Vehicle identification number or serial number;

(iv) Date, time, and location of the removal; and

(v) Name, address, and telephone number of the person removing the vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery.

(D)(i) Each police department or sheriff's ~~department~~ office ~~receiving~~ that receives notification of the removal of a vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery as provided in this subsection shall within twenty-four (24) hours of notification provide to the towing and storage firm information supplied from the records of the Office of Motor Vehicle, the Arkansas Crime Information Center, or, if there is evidence in the vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery indicating that ~~the vehicle~~ it is registered in or from another state, the ~~motor vehicle~~ registration records from that state, ~~that provide the vehicle identification number or serial number,~~ the name and address of the last registered owner, and the name and address of the holder of any recorded lien on the vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery.

(ii) If the information under subdivision (a)(2)(D)(i) of this section is not available for an implement or piece of machinery, the police department or sheriff's office that receives notice of the removal shall provide at a minimum whether any record exists in the records of the Office of Motor Vehicle or the Arkansas Crime Information Center regarding the implement or piece of machinery.

(E)(i) In the event that readily available records fail to disclose the name of the owner of the vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery or any lienholder of record, the towing and storage firm shall perform a good faith search to locate documents or other evidence of ownership and lienholder information on or within the unattended or abandoned vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery.

(ii) For purposes of this subsection, a "good faith search" means that the towing and storage firm checks the unattended or abandoned vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery for any type of license plate, license plate record, temporary permit, inspection sticker, decal, or other evidence that indicates a possible state of registration and title or other information related to the owner.

(3)(A)(i) Following removal of an abandoned vehicle or vehicle parked without authority, possession of the vehicle, notice requirements to owners and lienholders, and procedures for sale of unclaimed vehicles shall be governed by the provisions of §§ 27-50-1208 — 27-50-1210.

(B)(i) The following procedures for the sale of an abandoned and unattended vehicle that is removed from a property as provided under §§ 27-50-1208 — 27-50-1210 shall apply in the same manner to an abandoned and

unattended implement or piece of machinery:

(A) Possession of the implement or piece of machinery;

(B) Notice to owners and lienholders; and

(C) Procedures for sale.

(ii) The towing and storage company shall have a first priority possessory lien on the implement or piece of machinery and its contents for all reasonable charges for towing, recovery, and storage subject to the limits provided by ordinance if one is in effect.

(iii) Except as provided under subdivision (a)(3)(B)(iv) of this section, the lien against the implement or piece of machinery shall be perfected and all of the procedures related to the implement or piece of machinery shall be handled in the same manner as provided under § 27-50-1208(b)—(e) for abandoned and unattended vehicles.

(iv) If information on the owner or owners of an implement or piece of machinery that is in the possession of a towing and storage company is not available pursuant to subdivision (a)(2)(D)—(E) of this section, the towing and storage company shall provide notice by publication in a newspaper of general circulation in the region from where the implement or piece of machinery was removed.

(C)(i) Notwithstanding any provision of law to the contrary and to the extent that the city of the first class, city of the second class, or incorporated town enacted an ordinance that limits the amount of towing and storage charges assessed against the owner or operator of the vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery, the towing and storage company shall have a first priority possessory lien limited to the amount allowed under the ordinance.

(ii) The towing and storage company may assess any remaining charges to the property owner or other person controlling the property who requested the vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery be removed from the property.

(b) A city attorney may refer a possible violation of this section or an ordinance enacted under this section to the Arkansas Towing and Recovery Board for investigation.

~~(b)(1)~~(c)(1) It shall be unlawful for a person to:

(A) Direct the removal of or to remove a vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery in violation of this section; and

(B) Violate or aid or abet any violation of this section.

(2)(A) A person who pleads guilty or nolo contendere to or is found guilty of any violation of this section is guilty of a Class B misdemeanor.

(B) The information related to a plea of guilty or nolo contendere to or conviction for a violation as provided under subdivision (b)(1)(A) shall be reported to the Arkansas Towing and Recovery Board.

(3) ~~Each~~ The removal of each vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery ~~removal~~ in violation of this section shall constitute a distinct and separate offense.

SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that there are issues related to towing and storage that have arisen that call into question the adequacy of state law; that there have been numerous incidents where a vehicle, implement, or piece of machinery was towed from an area that lacked proper signage to provide notice to the operator that parking was prohibited; that property owners have had vehicles, implements, or pieces of machinery removed to distant locations from the area in which found abandoned or improperly parked; and that, as a result, the towing and storage charges exceeded the usual and customary amount in the community; and this act is immediately necessary so that a city of the first class, city of the second

class, or incorporated town can enact ordinances to regulate the property owners and to protect the health and safety of their citizens related to towing and storage. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or

(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 830 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 787 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 787

Amend Senate Bill No. 787 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 25 through 27 and substitute the following:

"(a)(1)(A) A maternity patient at the time of preadmission at a hospital or birthing center shall be provided printed information related to the types of birthing methods and their associated risks including vaginal delivery and cesarean section deliveries.

(B) The information also shall be made available to the general public upon request."

AND

Page 1, line 34, delete "midwives" and substitute "certified nurse-midwives"

AND

Page 2, delete line 18 and substitute the following:
"birthing center, on the basis of twenty-four (24) hours a day or daytime; and
(N) The annual percentage of women breastfeeding upon discharge."

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 787 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 9, BY SENATOR ALTES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 9 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 26, BY SENATOR T. SMITH ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 868, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 26 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 868 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 728, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 728 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 787, BY SENATOR MADISON,

SENATE BILL NO. 949, BY SENATOR WYATT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 787 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 949 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 829, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 830, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 829 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 830 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 850, BY SENATOR BROADWAY ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 853, BY SENATOR BROADWAY ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 896, BY SENATOR ALTES,
SENATE BILL NO. 1006, BY SENATOR KEY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 850 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 853 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 896 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 1006 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1372, BY REPRESENTATIVE ROEBUCK,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1372 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1580, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY AND SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1580 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

March 13, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on March 13, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 007

Senate Bill No. 315, - ACT 393,	Senate Bill No. 252, - ACT 426,
Senate Bill No. 309, - ACT 394,	Senate Bill No. 284, - ACT 427,
Senate Bill No. 113, - ACT 422,	Senate Bill No. 381, - ACT 428,
Senate Bill No. 217, - ACT 423,	Senate Bill No. 451, - ACT 429,
Senate Bill No. 226, - ACT 424,	Senate Bill No. 524, - ACT 430,
Senate Bill No. 229, - ACT 425,	Senate Bill No. 543, - ACT 431,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3,
BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 34, BY SENATOR THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 155, BY SENATORS GLOVER AND FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 156, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 191, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 227, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 170, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 330, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,
SENATE BILL NO. 357, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 431, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 596, BY SENATOR PRITCHARD,
SENATE BILL NO. 641, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:25 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3

SENATE BILL NO. 34

SENATE BILL NO. 155

SENATE BILL NO. 156

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SENATE BILL NO. 596

SENATE BILL NO. 641

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 16th day of March, 2009 at 10:25 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J. D. Lowery
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 3, BY SENATOR J. KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 781, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1438, BY REPRESENTATIVE COWLING,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1612, BY REPRESENTATIVE BARNETT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1837, BY REPRESENTATIVE ROGERS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1962, BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 72, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 140, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 163, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1010 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1010
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES TO IMMEDIATELY INTRODUCE AND PASS LEGISLATION TO IMPLEMENT A COURT FEE INTERCEPT PROGRAM SIMILAR TO THAT PROPOSED IN H.R. 6172 AND S.1287 IN THE 110TH CONGRESS.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1010 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1010 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Horn, Senate Bill No. 663 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1, No. 2 and No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1, to SENATE BILL NO. 663

Amend Senate Bill No. 663 as originally introduced:
Page 2, line 13 after "five percent (5%)" insert "in any twelve-month period"

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 663

Amend Senate Bill No. 663 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 9 delete "without a public hearing"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 25 through 27 and substitute:
"commission-approved cost allocation."

AND

Page 5, line 26 after "cooperative" insert the following: ", including without limitation the authority to investigate and set the rates and charges of the generation and transmission cooperative,"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 663

Amend Senate Bill No. 663 as originally introduced:

Page 3, delete line 30 and substitute the following:
"(B) However, a rate rider or other rider to the generation and"

AND

Page 3, delete line 32 and substitute the following:
"this subchapter unless the commission determines otherwise."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 663 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 218 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 218

Amend Senate Bill No. 218 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 24, delete "All" and substitute "~~All~~ To the extent permitted by the Arkansas Constitution, all"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE GLIDEWELL

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 218, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Altes, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 218 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 218

As Engrossed: H3/5/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE CASH SURRENDER VALUE OF A LIFE INSURANCE POLICY FROM THE CLAIMS OF CREDITORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 218 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 218 was ordered enrolled.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 776 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 776

As Engrossed: S3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON

BY: REPRESENTATIVE POWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING JUVENILES, THE JUVENILE CODE, AND JUVENILE JUSTICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 776 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 776, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 776 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 841 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 841
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT AMENDING THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE STATE SURVEYOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 841 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 841 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1705 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1705

As Engrossed: S3/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT TO INCORPORATE AND ACT AS A PUBLIC CORPORATION; TO PROVIDE AN ADDITIONAL METHOD FOR THE DISSOLUTION OF THE PUBLIC CORPORATION; TO PROVIDE FOR THE RESCISSION OF A PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT'S AUTHORIZATION TO ACT AS A PUBLIC CORPORATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1705 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1705 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 764 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 764
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATE EFFICIENCY COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SENATE - STAFF FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 764 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 764, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 764 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Steele, House Bill No. 1379 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1379
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SUMMERS AND PENNARTZ

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE LICENSURE OF ALCOHOLISM AND DRUG ABUSE COUNSELORS; TO PROVIDE FOR THE REGISTRATION OF CLINICAL ALCOHOLISM AND DRUG ABUSE COUNSELOR SUPERVISORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1379 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1379 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1898 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1898

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HAWKINS, J. BURRIS, CASH, COOK, COOPER, DALE, J. DICKINSON, EVERETT, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, HARDY, HOYT, HYDE, KIDD, KING, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, RAGLAND, RICE, J. ROGERS, SLINKARD, L. SMITH, WELLS & B. WILKINS

BY: SENATORS HORN, ALTES, G. BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, GLOVER, HENDREN, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, J. KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, P. MALONE, MILLER, SALMON, T. SMITH, STEELE, TEAGUE, R. THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINSON & D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION TO PERMIT STORM COST RESERVE ACCOUNTING FOR ELECTRIC PUBLIC UTILITIES WHEN REQUESTED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1898 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1898, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1898 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1426 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1426
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PERRY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 17, CHAPTERS 30 AND 48 CONCERNING LICENSURE OF PROFESSIONAL ENGINEERS AND PROFESSIONAL SURVEYORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1426 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1426 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 1644 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1644
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE ADDITIONAL FORMS OF SUBSIDIZATION WITH MONEYS IN THE DRINKING WATER STATE REVOLVING LOAN FUND ACCOUNT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1644 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1644, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1644 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 1645 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1645
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE ADDITIONAL FORMS OF SUBSIDIZATION WITH MONEYS IN THE CONSTRUCTION ASSISTANCE REVOLVING LOAN FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1645 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1645, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1645 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1882 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1882
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL ARKANSAS CODE § 23-37-511 CONCERNING THE ASSIGNMENT OF SAVINGS ACCOUNTS IN LIEU OF POSTING BOND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1882 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1882 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1883 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1883
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO UPDATE AND MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO THE ARKANSAS SECURITIES ACT, 23-42-101 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1883 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1883 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 1700 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1700

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MOORE, T. BAKER, ALLEN, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CASH, CHEATHAM, COOK, COOPER, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOUSE, HOYT, LINDSEY, LOVELL, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, RAINEY, REEP, J. ROEBUCK, SAUNDERS, G. SMITH, STEWART, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB & WILLIAMS

BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT, BRYLES, GLOVER, J. JEFFRESS, D. JOHNSON, P. MALONE, SALMON & H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKIDS FIRST IMPROVEMENT ACT; TO EXPAND COVERAGE UNDER THE ARKIDS FIRST PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Altes spoke against the Bill.

Senator Elliott closed for her Bill.

House Bill No. 1700 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 28

NEGATIVE: Altes.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: G. Baker, Faris, Glover, Laverty, P. Malone, Whitaker.

Total 6

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 29
Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1700 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1557 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1557
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A SUBURBAN IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT TO CONVEY ASSETS TO A LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1557 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1557 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1573 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1573

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: TO AMEND THE OIL AND GAS COMMISSION'S AUTHORITY CONCERNING RULES FOR ADMINISTERING THE NATURAL GAS PIPELINE SAFETY ACT OF 1968; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF “TRANSPORTATION OF GAS” UNDER THE NATURAL GAS PIPELINE SAFETY ACT OF 1971; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1573 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1573 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Bill No. 1594 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1594

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH AND HARRELSON

BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 18-44-101 ET SEQ. CONCERNING THE PERFECTION, FILING, AND ENFORCEMENT OF MECHANIC'S AND MATERIALMEN'S LIENS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1594 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1594 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, House Bill No. 1326 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1326

As Engrossed: H2/13/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. SMITH AND *J. EDWARDS*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING CLAIMS FOR ATTORNEY'S FEES AND LITIGATION EXPENSES AGAINST THE STATE OF ARKANSAS UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1326 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE: Altes.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1326 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 747 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 308 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 308

JBC 03/12/009 (30)

Amend Senate Bill No. 308 as originally introduced:

Page 8, line 25, delete "$ 898,342" and substitute "$ 1,803,273"

AND

Page 8, line 26, delete "252,015" and substitute "525,680"

AND

Page 8, line 28, delete "600,000" and substitute "1,032,500"

AND

Page 8, line 29, delete "17,000" and substitute "24,000"

AND

Page 8, line 30, delete "250,000" and substitute "300,000"

AND

Page 8, line 31, delete "0" and substitute "600,000"

AND

Page 8, line 33, delete "$ 2,017,357" and substitute "$ 4,285,453"

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 308 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 644 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 644

JBC 03/12/09 (30)

Amend Senate Bill No. 644 as originally introduced:
Add Representative Maloch as a cosponsor of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 644 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1124 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1124 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1124
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PROVIDING PAYMENT OF CLAIMS TO SURVIVING SPOUSES AND/OR DEPENDENT CHILDREN OF POLICEMEN, FIREMEN, CORRECTIONAL OFFICERS AND OTHER SPECIFIED STATE EMPLOYEES KILLED IN THE OFFICIAL LINE OF DUTY, AS PRESCRIBED BY LAW; PROVIDING FOR PAYMENT OF SMALL CONTROVERSIAL AND NON-CONTROVERSIAL CLAIMS WHICH HAVE BEEN APPROVED BY THE ARKANSAS STATE CLAIMS COMMISSION; PROVIDING PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE CLAIMS COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1124 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1124, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1124 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1137 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1137 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1137
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BANK DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1137 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1137, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1137 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1336 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1336 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1336
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING EXPENSES AND DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM/SERVICES FOR THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1336 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1336, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1336 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1369 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1369 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1369
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1369 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1369, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1369 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1522 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1522 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1522
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AND THE DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS BIOSCIENCES INSTITUTES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1522 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1522, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1522 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 362 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 362 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 362

As Engrossed: S2/24/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

BY: REPRESENTATIVE CASH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR LEGAL COUNSEL EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS COURT OF APPEALS WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 781 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 362 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 362, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 362 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 658 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 658 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 658
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS FARIS, BROADWAY & T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR MATHEMATICS, SCIENCES AND ARTS - AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT FOR CONSTRUCTION, PERSONAL SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 658 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 658, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 658 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 676 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 676 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 676
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ACT 103 OF 2009, THE REAPPROPRIATION ACT FOR THE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS APPROPRIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 676 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 676, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 676 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

Senate Bill No. 239 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 317 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 348 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 360 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 375 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 376 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 407 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 408 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 409 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 426 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 486 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 505 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 544 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 681 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 765 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 663, BY SENATOR HORN,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1016
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES COOK, CASH, J. DICKINSON, GASKILL, KIDD, PATTERSON & J. ROGERS
BY: SENATORS MILLER AND D. WYATT

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING THAT THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS, THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, AND THE DIRECTOR OF THE FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION ENSURE THAT A SIGNIFICANT PORTION OF FUNDING FOR TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE BE COMMITTED TO COMPLETE CONSTRUCTION OF HIGHWAY 67 FROM NEWPORT, ARKANSAS, TO THE MISSOURI STATE LINE.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1016 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1019
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES T. BAKER, BLOUNT & RAINEY

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO ENCOURAGE A NATIONAL SOLUTION TO HEALTHCARE REFORM FOR AMERICA.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1019 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1023
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING HEART GALLERY WEEK.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1023 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1103
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. HUTCHINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FOR EMPLOYMENT SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1103 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1475

As Engrossed: H3/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. SMITH AND *GLIDEWELL*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR BIRTH CERTIFICATE EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1475 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1476

As Engrossed: H3/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH AND *GLIDEWELL*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - REVENUE SERVICES DIVISION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES OF PROVIDING IDENTIFICATION CARDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1476 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1478

As Engrossed: H3/3/09 H3/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE PATTERSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS TAX PROCEDURE ACT AND THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES LAW TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION AND THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES TO SHARE INFORMATION TO ENHANCE EACH AGENCY'S RESPECTIVE AUDIT AND COMPLIANCE RESPONSIBILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1478 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1547

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARDY, REEP & G. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SAU-TECH FOR RENOVATION AND OTHER EXPENSES OF THE UPTOWN CENTER AND THE CHARLES O. ROSS CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1547 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1566

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REGARDING THE CRIME OF SELLING OR LOANING PORNOGRAPHY TO MINORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1566 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1567

As Engrossed: H2/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES PENNARTZ, BREEDLOVE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, S. MALONE, PYLE, RICE & *WELLS*

BY: SENATORS ALTES, WHITAKER & WILKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - FORT SMITH FOR PROPERTY ACQUISITION, NEW FACILITY DESIGN, LIBRARY *CONSTRUCION AND* PARKING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1567 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1576
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADJUST FOR INFLATION THE AMOUNT IN CONTROVERSY REGARDING WAGE DISPUTES HEARD AND DECIDED BY THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1576 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1596
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE G. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SAU-TECH FOR CONSTRUCTION AND OTHER EXPENSES OF A WORKFORCE EDUCATION / MULTIPURPOSE BUILDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1596 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1597
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE G. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SAU-TECH FOR DEVELOPMENT OF AN ADVANCED WELDING SCHOOL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1597 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1636
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COOPER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1636 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1658

As Engrossed: H3/5/09 H3/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES PENNARTZ, NIX, ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, T. BAKER, BETTS, BLOUNT, BREEDLOVE, M. BURRIS, CASH, CLEMMER, COOK, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, J. DICKINSON, ENGLISH, EVERETT, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOUSE, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LOWERY, S. MALONE, MCCRARY, OVERBEY, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, L. SMITH, STEWART, TYLER, WAGNER, WILLIAMS, WOODS, WORD, *ALLEN, BAIRD, BARNETT, T. BRADFORD, CARROLL, CHEATHAM, COLE, L. COWLING, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, FLOWERS, GASKILL, HOBBS, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, INGRAM, LINDSEY, LOVELL, MOORE, RAGLAND, RICE, SAUNDERS, SUMMERS, WELLS, J. BROWN, COOPER, MAXWELL & B. WILKINS*

BY: SENATORS ALTES, WHITAKER, WILKINSON, *BROADWAY, ELLIOTT, LUKER, SALMON, MADISON, STEELE & D. WYATT*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH CENTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1658 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1679
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. SMITH, HOUSE & LINDSEY
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A BILL FOR AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR THE DAVID AND BARBARA PRYOR CENTER FOR ORAL AND VISUAL HISTORY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1679 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1680
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT A STATE EMPLOYEE WHO PREVIOUSLY WORKED FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT OR INSTITUTION OF HIGHER LEARNING IS ELIGIBLE FOR CATASTROPHIC LEAVE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1680 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1693
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SUMMERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR AN ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE TREATMENT PROGRAM GRANT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1693 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1741
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT – LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY FOR CAMP COUCHDALE FOR FACILITY IMPROVEMENTS AND BUILDING CONSTRUCTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1741 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1742
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SOUTHERN ARKANSAS UNIVERSITY FOR CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATING EXPENSES OF A NATURAL RESOURCES RESEARCH CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1742 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1751
As Engrossed: H3/4/09, H3/12/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF A CITY OF THE FIRST CLASS AND A CITY OF THE SECOND CLASS TO REGULATE AMBULANCE PATIENT TRANSPORTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1751 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1763
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES ABERNATHY, J. DICKINSON & OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1763 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1787
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE RICH MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, EQUIPMENT, PERSONAL SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATING EXPENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1787 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1808

As Engrossed: H3/9/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ALLEN, J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY, T. BAKER, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, CARNINE, CHEATHAM, COLE, COOK, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, GREENBERG, HARDY, D. HUTCHINSON, W. LEWELLEN, SAUNDERS, G. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER & WILLIAMS

BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS PLANNING PROGRAM ACT; TO LOWER EDUCATIONAL COSTS, SHORTEN A STUDENT'S TIME TO DEGREE COMPLETION, AND INCREASE THE OVERALL SUCCESS RATE OF ARKANSAS STUDENTS BY REDUCING THE NEED FOR REMEDIATION; TO ENSURE THAT STUDENTS HAVE THE CAREER READINESS SKILLS TO COMPETE IN THE GLOBAL ECONOMY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1808 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1831

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES T. ROGERS, HOYT, REYNOLDS, HAWKINS & STEWART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE LAW CONCERNING THE COST OF COLLECTING AD VALOREM TAXES ON MINERAL INTERESTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1831 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1843
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES STEWART, COOK, PIERCE, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, J. ROEBUCK & PENNARTZ
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE ACT OF 2005 TO ALLOW RETIRED MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES TO OBTAIN SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES FOR NOMINAL FEES; TO AMEND PROVISIONS RELATED TO SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES FOR MILITARY SERVICE AND VETERANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 18743 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1939
As Engrossed: H3/12/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
By: REPRESENTATIVES SAUNDERS, *WEBB, BARNETT, M. BURRIS, LOWERY, REEP, J. ROGERS*
BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE SUNSETTED MOTION PICTURE INCENTIVE ACT OF 1997; TO ESTABLISH THE DIGITAL PRODUCT AND MOTION PICTURE INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1939 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1944

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HYDE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY LANGUAGE REGARDING INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1944 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1961

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT TO ANALYZE WRONG-WAY CRASHES ON INTERSTATES AND OTHER FREEWAYS THAT ARE A PART OF THE STATE HIGHWAY SYSTEM; TO IMPLEMENT WARRANTED AND FEASIBLE COUNTERMEASURES THAT MAY REDUCE THE POSSIBILITY OF WRONG-WAY CRASHES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1961 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2031
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY AND HOYT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING SUITS AGAINST PUBLIC FACILITIES BOARDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2031 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2034
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE DISTRIBUTION OF FINES COLLECTED RELATED TO UNLAWFUL TOWING OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2034 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2039
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REGARDING SALES LIMITS FOR EPHEDRINE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2039 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2074
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND § 16-21-2501 CONCERNING THE APPOINTMENT AND AUTHORITY OF INVESTIGATORS FOR THE TWENTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2074 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2114
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE FUNDING FORMULA MODEL FOR UNIVERSITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2114 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2132
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE STEWART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT AN OWNER OF A BOAT LIVERY SHALL RECORD THE REGISTRATION NUMBER OF A MOTORBOAT; TO REQUIRE A BOAT LIVERY TO NOT ALLOW A VESSEL TO DEPART FROM THE PREMISES WITHOUT THE EQUIPMENT REQUIRED BY LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2132 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2222
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES ADCOCK AND HALL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ANIMAL RESCUE AND SHELTER TRUST FUND; TO PROVIDE FOR AND ISSUE A SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE FOR THE SUPPORT OF ANIMAL RESCUE AND SHELTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2222 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2258
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE COURT TO ORDER A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER, AS A CONDITION OF HIS OR HER RELEASE FROM CUSTODY, NOT TO RETURN TO THE LOCATION WHERE HE OR SHE WAS RESIDING IF THE RESIDENCE WAS LOCATED WITHIN 2,000 FEET OF A SCHOOL, PARK, YOUTH CENTER, OR DAYCARE FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2258 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2259
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT INCREASING THE FELONY CLASSIFICATION FOR NEGLIGENT HOMICIDE; TO PROVIDE FOR LICENSE SUSPENSION FOR A CONVICTION FOR NEGLIGENT HOMICIDE; TO PROVIDE FOR A DWI ENHANCEMENT FOR A CONVICTION FOR NEGLIGENT HOMICIDE;

House Bill No. 2259 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Senate Bill No. 88 was returned from the House as passed, as amended.

Senate Bill No. 312 was returned from the House as passed, as amended.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 312 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Senate Bill No. 230 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 380 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 450 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 831 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1568
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOBBS
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ADULT AND LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY RESIDENT MALTREATMENT ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1568 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1569
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOBBS
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE ADULT MALTREATMENT CUSTODY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1569 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1624

As Engrossed: H3/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES DUNN, *LOWERY, MALOCH, M. BURRIS,* BAIRD, BARNETT, BREEDLOVE, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARTER, CLEMMER, DALE, DISMANG, ENGLISH, GARNER, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, HOPPER, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, KERR, KING, LEA, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MOORE, PENNARTZ, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, WELLS & *RAGLAND*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROMOTE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT WITHIN THE STATE BY EXEMPTING FROM THE STATE SALES TAX FUEL AND ENERGY USED OR CONSUMED IN MANUFACTURING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1624 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1671

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SALARIES OF JUDGES AND OTHER PERSONNEL OF VARIOUS DISTRICT COURTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1671 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1849
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE NICKELS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PREVENT EXPUNGEMENT OF A SECOND OR SUBSEQUENT OFFENSE OF DOMESTIC BATTERY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1849 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1948
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING EXEMPTIONS FROM THE JURISDICTION OF THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION WITH REGARD TO LOANS MADE OR GUARANTEED BY CERTAIN LISTED ENTITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1948 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1953
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MOORE, HYDE, ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, J. BURRIS, M. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, MALOCH, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, J. ROGERS, T. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD
BY: SENATORS ALTES, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS & J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENCOURAGE AND FOSTER ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND REVITALIZE COMMUNITIES BY ALLOWING A TAX CREDIT FOR THE REHABILITATION OF HISTORIC STRUCTURES LOCATED IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1953 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1990
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, D. HUTCHINSON, M. BURRIS, CARNINE, CLEMMER, COLE, NICKELS, SAUNDERS, G. SMITH & STEWART
BY: SENATORS G. BAKER AND MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE CLEAR EXIT STANDARDS FOR ALL REMEDIAL COURSES TAKEN AT STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; TO IMPROVE THE TEACHING TECHNIQUES OF REMEDIAL COURSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1990 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2046
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WELLS AND INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING WRITTEN CONTRACTS FOR THE SOLICITATION OF ADVERTISING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2046 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 644, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 308, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator BAKER, SENATE Bill No. 308 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL 780, BY SENATOR PRITCHARD,
SENATE BILL 961, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL 1518, BY REPRESENTATIVE REEP,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 16, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL 1552, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

NOTICE OF CORRECTION
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
ARKANSAS SENATE

March 13, 2009

TO: SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

THIS IS YOUR AUTHORITY TO CORRECT OBVIOUS CLERICAL ERRORS IN SENATE BILL NO. 416 NOW IN THE SENATE: THE CORRECTION(S) NEEDED IS (ARE) DURING ENGROSSING THE NUMBER "3" WAS EXCLUDED FROM THE POSITION GRADE ON PAGE 11, LINE 23 OF THE 3-11-2009 ENGROSSMENT. THE GRADE SHOULD READ "C113" INSTEAD OF THE CURRENT DENOTATION OF "C11".

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN, TECHNOLOGY AND
LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

1. Make note on Bill Jacket "Correction Note".
2. File at end of the official daily Journal for date on which the correction was made.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 362
SENATE BILL NO. 658
SENATE BILL NO. 676
SENATE BILL NO. 764
SENATE BILL NO. 776
SENATE BILL NO. 841

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1124
HOUSE BILL NO. 1137
HOUSE BILL NO. 1326
HOUSE BILL NO. 1336
HOUSE BILL NO. 1369
HOUSE BILL NO. 1379
HOUSE BILL NO. 1426
HOUSE BILL NO. 1522
HOUSE BILL NO. 1557
HOUSE BILL NO. 1573
HOUSE BILL NO. 1594
HOUSE BILL NO. 1644
HOUSE BILL NO. 1645
HOUSE BILL NO. 1700
HOUSE BILL NO. 1882
HOUSE BILL NO. 1883
HOUSE BILL NO. 1898

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1705, AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1010

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 230
SENATE BILL NO. 239
SENATE BILL NO. 317
SENATE BILL NO. 348
SENATE BILL NO. 360
SENATE BILL NO. 375
SENATE BILL NO. 376
SENATE BILL NO. 380
SENATE BILL NO. 407
SENATE BILL NO. 408
SENATE BILL NO. 409
SENATE BILL NO. 426
SENATE BILL NO. 450
SENATE BILL NO. 486
SENATE BILL NO. 505
SENATE BILL NO. 544
SENATE BILL NO. 681
SENATE BILL NO. 765
SENATE BILL NO. 831

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 88, AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 312, AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1103

HOUSE BILL NO. 1475

HOUSE BILL NO. 1476

HOUSE BILL NO. 1478

HOUSE BILL NO. 1547

HOUSE BILL NO. 1566

HOUSE BILL NO. 1567

HOUSE BILL NO. 1568

HOUSE BILL NO. 1569

HOUSE BILL NO. 1576

HOUSE BILL NO. 1596

HOUSE BILL NO. 1597

HOUSE BILL NO. 1624

HOUSE BILL NO. 1636

HOUSE BILL NO. 1658

HOUSE BILL NO. 1671

HOUSE BILL NO. 1679

HOUSE BILL NO. 1680

HOUSE BILL NO. 1693

HOUSE BILL NO. 1741

HOUSE BILL NO. 1742

HOUSE BILL NO. 1751

HOUSE BILL NO. 1763

HOUSE BILL NO. 1787

HOUSE BILL NO. 1808

HOUSE BILL NO. 1831

HOUSE BILL NO. 1843

HOUSE BILL NO. 1849

HOUSE BILL NO. 1939

HOUSE BILL NO. 1944

HOUSE BILL NO. 1948

HOUSE BILL NO. 1953

HOUSE BILL NO. 1961

HOUSE BILL NO. 1990

HOUSE BILL NO. 2031

HOUSE BILL NO. 2034

HOUSE BILL NO. 2039
HOUSE BILL NO. 2046
HOUSE BILL NO. 2074
HOUSE BILL NO. 2114
HOUSE BILL NO. 2132
HOUSE BILL NO. 2222
HOUSE BILL NO. 2258
HOUSE BILL NO. 2259

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1016
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1019
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1023

On motion of Senator Luker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 17, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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SIXTY-FIFTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

March 17, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Reverend Rick Jaggars, Immanuel Baptist Church, Little Rock, Arkansas.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 164 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 164

Amend Senate Bill No. 164 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 26 through 30 and substitute the following:

"(3) For each year of actual service in the system in excess of twenty-eight (28) years that is rendered on or after July 1, 2009, a member shall receive a straight life annuity equal to an additional five-tenths percent (0.5%) of the member's final average compensation."

AND

Page 1 delete lines 34 through 36 and substitute the following:

"(3) For each year of actual service in the system in excess of twenty-eight (28) years that is rendered on or after July 1, 2009, a member shall receive a straight life annuity equal to an additional five-tenths percent (0.5%) of the member's final average compensation."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 and 2

(SIGNED) SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 164 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 897 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 897

Amend Senate Bill No. 897, *as engrossed, S3/11/09:*

Delete all language after the enacting clause and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 14, Chapter 16, is amended to add an additional subchapter to read as follows:

Subchapter 8

— Preservation of Local Public Roads Act.

14-16-801. Title.

This subchapter shall be known and may be cited as the "Preservation of Local Public Roads Act".

14-16-802. Purpose.

The purpose of this subchapter is to provide a procedure for addressing the anticipated damage to county roads caused by disposal hauling operations related to oil or gas exploration and to provide compensation for the anticipated damage to the roads from disposal haulers.

14-16-803. Definitions.

As used in this subchapter:

(1) "Designated local road truck route" means a local public road established by the county judge as the route to be used by disposal haulers to transport materials and production fluids related to oil or gas exploration to and from a disposal facility;

(2) "Disposal facility" means a surface or injection well disposal facility designated for the disposal of materials and production fluids related to oil or gas exploration that is located on or off of a local public road in the state;

(3) "Disposal hauler" means the driver, owner, or operator of a motor vehicle that is engaged in hauling materials or production fluids related to oil or gas exploration to a disposal facility;

(4) "Disposal operator" means the owner, manager, or operator of a disposal facility;

(5)(A) "Local public road" means any public road that lies between the disposal facility and a road, street, or highway that is part of the state highway system.

(B) "Local public road" does not include a road, street, or highway that is part of the state highway system; and

(6) "Road maintenance agreement" means an agreement between the county and a disposal operator regarding compensation for damages caused by disposal haulers to any designated local road truck route.

14-16-804. Evaluation by county judge.

(a) Notwithstanding any other procedure or authority available under law, if a county does not have a road maintenance agreement, the county judge may use the procedures under this section to evaluate the use and anticipated damage caused to local public roads in the county by disposal haulers.

(b) As part of the evaluation process, the county judge may:

(1) Receive and consider input from disposal operators on the designated local road truck route;

(2) Estimate the number of loads and damages to be sustained upon the designated local road truck route by disposal haulers;

(3) Estimate the total dedicated road revenues available to the county on average per-mile basis for all of the local public roads in his or her respective county; and

(4) Estimate the additional revenue that may be necessary to repair and maintain the designated local road truck route because of anticipated damages.

(c) A county judge who has performed an evaluation under this section may file a report of the evaluation determinations with the quorum court.

14-16-805. Recommendation for assessment ordinance.

(a) A county judge who has performed an evaluation under § 14-16-804 may submit to the quorum court a recommendation that an assessment be made by the county in the form of a proposed assessment ordinance as provided under this section.

(b)(1) The proposed assessment ordinance shall include the amount that the county judge recommends to be assessed on a per-load basis for each load that is transported by a disposal hauler to a disposal facility.

(2) The maximum amount of the assessment in the proposed assessment ordinance is five dollars ($5.00) per load of materials or production fluids from oil or gas exploration.

(c) The proposed assessment ordinance shall include a penalty as provided under § 14-16-808.

14-16-806. Assessment ordinance — Collection.

(a) If a quorum court enacts the proposed assessment ordinance recommended by the county judge under § 14-16-805, the assessment ordinance:

(1) Is limited to a maximum amount of five dollars ($5.00) per load of materials or production fluids from oil or gas exploration; and

(2) Shall include a penalty as provided under § 14-16-808.

(b)(1) If a quorum court enacts an assessment ordinance under this subchapter, the assessment shall be collected by the disposal operator and remitted to the county treasurer on a monthly basis as provided in the ordinance.

(2) All revenue generated by this assessment shall be used exclusively to maintain and repair the designated local road truck route.

14-16-807. Oversight.

(a) If a county judge makes recommendations under this subchapter, the county judge shall annually review his or her evaluation and recommendations as provided under this subchapter.

(b) If there is a significant change in conditions, the county judge shall file a revised evaluation and revised recommendations for consideration by the quorum court using the same procedures under which the original evaluation and recommendations were made under this subchapter.

14-16-808. Penalties.

The quorum court may provide penalties for the violation of an ordinance enacted under this subchapter to include a fine to be levied:

(1) For the failure of a disposal hauler to follow the designated local road truck route; and

(2) Against a disposal operator who fails to comply with § 14-16-806(b).

SECTION 2. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that while oil or gas exploration has stimulated Arkansas's economy, the hauling operations for the disposal of materials and production fluids from oil or gas operations require the hauling of heavy loads that cause damage to roads; that the costs of repairing, resurfacing, and maintaining roads has increased dramatically in the last two (2) years, while many counties are facing declining revenue collections; and that this act is immediately necessary to provide a uniform procedure for counties that do not have road maintenance agreements with disposal haulers and disposal operators to use to ensure that adequate revenue is available to make repairs necessary to local public roads. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or

(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOBBY GLOVER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 897 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 499 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 499

Amend Senate Bill No. 499 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 19, delete "to ensure" and substitute "designed to ensure"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 22 through 25 and substitute:

"(A) Reduce the occurrence of a motor vehicle passing a stopped school bus that is loading or unloading students; and

(B) Assist bus drivers to learn methods of identifying characteristics of a motor vehicle and its operator who violate § 27-51-1004 or § 27-51-1005 to provide to law enforcement officers to improve the likelihood that the operator of a motor vehicle who violates § 27-51-1004 or § 27-51-1005 will be prosecuted."

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HENDREN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 499 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 500 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 500

Amend Senate Bill No. 500 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 14 and substitute:

"PASS A SCHOOL BUS; TO CLARIFY THE USE OF A NOTICE OR WARNING DEVICE ON A SCHOOL BUS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO ASSIST SCHOOL DISTRICTS IN EQUIPPING
SCHOOL BUSES WITH ELECTRONIC DEVICES AND
NOTICES DESIGNED TO IMPROVE THE SAFTEY
OF CHILDREN ON SCHOOL BUSES."

AND

Page 3, delete line 8 and substitute:

"of this section.

Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 19, Subchapter 1 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

6-19-125. Notice on school buses.

(a) If a school bus is not equipped with an electronic warning device as defined under § 6-19-124, a school district may have printed or otherwise displayed on the exterior of a school bus between the two (2) windows of the rear emergency exit door on a Type C bus or immediately below the rear emergency exit window on a Type D bus the following notification:
“IT IS A VIOLATION OF ARKANSAS LAW TO PASS A SCHOOL BUS FROM ANY DIRECTION WHEN IT IS STOPPED TO LOAD OR UNLOAD A CHILD”.

(b) A school bus that is purchased on or after January 1, 2011, shall be equipped with either:

(1) A notice printed or otherwise displayed as provided under subsection (a) of this section; or

(2) An electronic warning device as defined under § 6-19-124.

(SIGNED) SENATOR KIM HENDREN

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 500 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 876 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 876

Amend Senate Bill No. 876 as originally introduced:

Page 4, line 10, delete "eighty-" and substitute "eighty-three and five-tenths percent (83.5%)"

AND

Page 4, line 11, delete "four percent (84%)"

AND

Page 4, line 20, delete "sixteen percent (16%)" and substitute "fifteen percent (15%)"

AND

Page 4, delete line 22 and substitute the following:
"bearing account. The board shall report to Legislative Council in the event the sum held under this subdivision becomes less than three million five hundred dollars ($3,500,000)."

AND

Page 6, line 14, delete "~~one percent (1%)~~ five-tenths percent (0.5%)" and substitute "one percent (1%)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID WYATT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 876 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 747 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 747

Amend Senate Bill No. 747 as originally introduced:
Page 1, line 29, delete "15,000,000" and substitute "20,000,000"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BROADWAY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 747 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 995 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 995

Amend Senate Bill No. 995 as originally introduced:
Delete everything following the enacting clause and substitute the following:
"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 5-73-103(b), concerning the possession of firearms by certain persons, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) ~~A~~ Except as provided in subdivisions (b)(2) and (3) of this section, a determination by a jury or a court that a person committed a felony constitutes a conviction for purposes of subsection (a) of this section even though the court suspended imposition of sentence or placed the defendant on probation.

(2) Subsection (b)(1) of this section does not apply to a person whose case was dismissed and expunged under § 16-93-301 et seq. or § 16-98-303(g).

~~(2)~~(3) ~~However, the~~ The determination by the jury or court that the person committed a felony does not constitute a conviction for purposes of subsection (a) of this section if the person is subsequently granted a pardon explicitly restoring the ability to possess a firearm.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 16-98-303, concerning drug court programs, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(g)(1) A drug court judge, on his or her own motion or upon a request from an offender, may order expungement and dismissal of a case if:

(A) The offender has successfully completed a drug court program, as determined by the drug court judge;

(B) The offender has received aftercare programming;

(C) The drug court judge has received a recommendation from the prosecuting attorney for expungement and dismissal of the case; and

(D) The drug court judge, after considering the offender's past criminal history, feels expungement and dismissal of the case is appropriate.

(2)(A) Except as provided in subdivision (g)(2)(B) of this section, if the offender has plead guilty or nolo contendere to or has been found guilty of an offense falling within a target group under § 16-93-1202(10)(A)(i) in another Arkansas court, the drug court judge may order expungement and dismissal of the offense falling within a target group with the written concurrence of the other Arkansas court.

(B) The following offenses shall not be eligible for expungement under subdivision (g)(2)(A) of this section:

(i) Residential burglary, § 5-39-201(a);

(ii) Commercial burglary, § 5-39-201(b);

(iii) Breaking or entering, § 5-39-202; and

(iv) The fourth and subsequent offense of driving while intoxicated, § 5-65-103.

(3) Unless otherwise ordered by the drug court, expungement under this subsection shall be as described in § 16-90-901 et seq."

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 995 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 429 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 429

Amend Senate Bill No. 429 as originally introduced:

Add Representative Allen as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete lines 20-34 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code 11-10-201, concerning a claimant's base period, is amended by adding an additional subsection to read as follows:

(c)(1) Beginning with initial claims filed on July 1, 2009, and thereafter, if an individual lacks sufficient base period wages, an alternate base period shall be substituted for the current base period.

(2) "Alternate base period" means the four (4) completed calendar quarters immediately preceding the first day of that benefit year.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 11-10-215(a)(1)(A), concerning remunerations that are not included in the definition of wages, is amended to read as follows:

(1)(A) For the purposes of §§ 11-10-701--11-10-715:

(i) That part of remuneration paid to an individual by an employer with respect to employment during any calendar year beginning after December 31, ~~1994~~ 2003, and ending December 31, ~~2002~~ 2009, which exceeds ~~nine thousand dollars $9,000)~~ ten thousand dollars ($10,000); and

(ii) For ~~the~~ any calendar year beginning after December 31, ~~2002~~ 2009, that part of remuneration which exceeds ~~nine thousand five hundred dollars ($9,500)~~ twelve thousand dollars ($12,000)~~; and~~

~~(iii) For any calendar year beginning after December 31, 2003, that part of remuneration which exceeds ten thousand dollars ($10,000)~~."

Page 1, delete line 36 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 11-10-507(3)(A), concerning ability and availability for work, is amended to read as follows:

(A) The worker is unemployed, is physically and mentally able to perform suitable work, and is available for such work. Mere registration and reporting at a local employment office shall not be conclusive evidence of ability to work, availability for work, or willingness to accept work unless the individual is doing those things which a reasonably prudent individual would be expected to do to secure work. In determining suitable work under this section and for refusing to apply for or accept suitable work under § 11-10-515, part-time work shall be considered suitable work unless the majority of weeks of work in the period used to determine monetary eligility is from full-time work.

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 11-10-513(b), concerning disqualification for voluntarily leaving work, is amended to read as follows:

(b) No individual shall be disqualified under this section if after making reasonable efforts to preserve his or her job rights he or she left his or her last work:

(1) Due to a personal emergency of such nature and compelling urgency that it would be contrary to good conscience to impose a disqualification;

(2)(A) Because of illness, injury, pregnancy, or disability~~; or~~ of the individual or a member of the individual's immediate family.

(B) As used in subdivision (b)(2)(A) of this section, "immediate family member" means a spouse, child, parent, brother, sister, grandchild, or grandparent of the individual;

(3)(A) ~~To move with a military spouse to a new duty station~~ Due to domestic violence that causes the individual reasonably to believe that the individual's continued employment will jeopardize the safety of the individual or a member of the individual's immediate family.

(B) As used in subdivision (b)(3)(A) of this section, "immediate family member" means a spouse, child, parent, brother, sister, grandchild, or grandparent of the individual; or

(4) To accompany the individual's spouse because of a change in the location of the spouse's employment that makes it impractical to commute.

SECTION 5. Arkansas Code § 11-10-514(a)(3), concerning the"

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEELE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 429 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 243 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 243

Amend Senate Bill No. 243 *as engrossed, S3/10/09:*

Page 1, delete line 10 of the Title, and substitute the following language:

"SYSTEM AND THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO ADOPT RULES AND REGULATIONS TO REMAIN"
AND
Page 1, line 14 through 17, delete the Subtitle in its entirety and substitute the following language:

"TO ALLOW THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM AND THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO ADOPT RULES TO COMPLY WITH FEDERAL LAW."
AND
Page 1, line 21, add the following new section:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 24, Chapter 4, Subchapter 1 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

24-4-109. Compliance with Federal Regulation.

(a) The Board of Trustees of the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System shall promulgate rules as it deems necessary from time to time in order to fully comply with federal requirements that may affect the members or the members' benefits under this subchapter.

(b) In meeting its obligation to its members, the board may promulgate rules to:

(1) Establish the regular retirement age for members consistent with the provisions of Section 411 of the Internal Revenue Code; and

(2) Maintain the system's retirement plan tax qualification status by the federal government to remain tax exempt and tax qualified under Section 401(a) of the Internal Revenue Code."
AND
Appropriately renumber the remaining section.

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 243 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 399 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 399

Amend Senate Bill No. 399, *as engrossed, S3/9/09:*

Page 1, line 22, delete "(a) When" and substitute "(a)(1) When"

AND

Page 1, delete line 36 and substitute the following:

"~~survey of the private road.~~

(2) The written notice shall include the amount of payment the owner offers for the road."

AND

Page 3, line 25, delete "(d)(1) The" and substitute "(d)(1)(A) The"

AND

Page 3, line 26, delete "their opinions as to the necessity and"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 31 and 32, and substitute the following:

"~~the land of each owner~~ each owner's land sought to be appropriated.

(B) The parties shall stipulate to or dispute the report of the viewers.

(2) The measure of damages shall be the difference in the fair"

AND

Page 5, line 6, delete "(b) The" and substitute "(b)(1) The"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 12 and 13, and substitute the following:

"and damages sustained by each owner of the lands over which the road passes.

(2)(A) If the respondent substantially prevails on the disputed issues in the case, the court shall award reasonable attorney's fees and costs to the respondent.

(B) In determining whether the respondent substantially prevails on the disputed issues, the court shall consider the respondent's success on the merits regarding the:

(i) Necessity of the road;
(ii) Route of the road;
(iii) Width of the road; and
(iv) Damages to the lands over which the road passes.

(c) The order shall state that:

(1) The respondent retains title to the lands over which the road passes; and

(2) The road is for an access easement only and is not an easement for any other purpose, including a public utility.

(iii) The petitioner shall be solely responsible for"

(SIGNED) SENATOR WYATT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 399 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Bill No. 801 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 801

Amend Senate Bill No. 801 as originally introduced:

Add Representatives J. Edwards, G. Smith as cosponsors of the bill

Delete Section 1 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. DO NOT CODIFY. Creation of task force.

(a) There is created the Legislative Task Force on the Funding of the Judicial System.

(b) The task force shall consist of the following seven (7) members:

(1) One (1) member of the Senate to be appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate;

(2) One (1) member of the House of Representatives to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives;

(3) One (1) member representing the Association of Arkansas Counties to be appointed by the Executive Director of the Association of Arkansas Counties;

(4) One (1) member representing the Arkansas Municipal League to be appointed by the Executive Director of the Arkansas Municipal League;

(5) One (1) member representing the Arkansas Bar Association to be appointed by the President of the Arkansas Bar Association;

(6) A member of the Governor's staff designated by the Governor;

(7) The Chief Justice of the Arkansas Supreme Court or his or her designee.

(c) If a vacancy occurs on the task force, the vacancy shall be filled by the same process as the original appointment.

(d) The members of the task force shall select a chair from their membership.

(e) A majority of the members of the task force shall constitute a quorum for transacting any business of the task force.

(f) Members of the task force shall serve without compensation; however,

(1) Legislative members of the task force shall be entitled to receive reimbursement for expenses and per diem at the same rate and from the same source as provided by law for members of the General Assembly attending meetings of interim committees; and

(2) Non-legislative members of the task force may be entitled to receive reimbursement for expenses from funds available for that purpose to the state agency, association, or other entity they represent, at the discretion of the Director of the state agency, association or other entity they represent.

(g)(1) The task force may appoint and organize working groups including non-task force members to study various topics as assigned by the task force and to report their findings to the task force.

(2) The members of any working groups shall serve without compensation, but may be reimbursed for expenses from funds available for that purpose to the state agency, association, or other entity they represent, at the discretion of the Director of the state agency, association or other entity they represent.

(h) The Bureau of Legislative Research, the Division of Legislative Audit, the Administrative Office of the Courts, the Department of Finance and Administration, and the Auditor of State may, if requested, provide administrative support, staff, research assistance, and data as requested by the task force from funds available for that purpose, in the discretion of the Director of the agency.

SECTION 2. DO NOT CODIFY. Duties of the Legislative Task Force on the Funding of the Judicial System.

The Legislative Task Force on the Funding of the Judicial System shall study:

(1) The current methods and adequacy of funding of the judicial system;

(2) Potential revenue sources for funding the judicial system;

(3) Adequacy of facilities, equipment, support staff and support services provided to the judicial system;

(4) Sharing of costs of the judicial system between state and local governments;

(5) Other issues as the task force may determine to be relevant.

SECTION 3. DO NOT CODIFY. Report of findings and expiration of task force.

(a) The Legislative Task Force on the Funding of the Judicial System shall report its findings and its recommendations for proposed legislation, if any, to the Governor, the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, the Senate Judiciary Committee, and the House Judiciary Committee by October 1, 2010.

(b) The task force shall cease to exist effective December 31, 2010.

(SIGNED) SENATOR LUKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 801 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 873 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 873

Amend Senate Bill No. 873 as originally introduced:

Delete lines 9 through 12 and substitute the following:
"AN ACT TO AMEND THE TERM OF OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete lines 15 through 18 and substitute "TO AMEND THE TERM OF OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 26 and 27 and substitute "~~until his or her successor is appointed and qualified~~ The director shall serve at the pleasure of the Governor."

(SIGNED) SENATOR T. SMITH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 873 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1372 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1372

Amend House Bill No. 1372 as engrossed, S3/16/09:

Page 2, delete lines 30 through 31 and substitute the following language:
"fails to provide testimony in obedience to the subpoena, the Professional Licensure Standards Board or the State Board of Education may apply to the circuit court of the county in which the"

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1372 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 922 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendments Nos. 1, 2 and 3

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 922

Amend Senate Bill No. 922 as originally introduced:

Add the following Senators as cosponsors of the bill: Crumbly, Laverty

(SIGNED) SENATOR PRITCHARD

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 922

Amend Senate Bill No. 922 as originally introduced::

Add the following Senators as cosponsors of the bill: Whitaker, Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Glover, Hendren, Horn, J. Jeffress, G. Jeffress, D. Johnson, J. Key, Madison, Miller, T. Smith, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt

AND

Add the following Representatives as cosponsors of the bill:
Glidewell, Pennartz, Abernathy, Baird, Barnett, Betts, T. Bradford, Breedlove, Carnine, Carroll, Carter, Cash, Clemmer, Cook, Cooper, L. Cowling, Dale, Davenport, Davis, Dismang, Dunn, English, Everett, Garner, Gaskill, George, R. Green, Greenberg, Hawkins, Hobbs, Hopper, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Kerr, Kidd, King, Lea, Lindsey, Lovell, Lowery, S. Malone, M. Martin, Maxwell, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Overbey, Patterson, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Reynolds, Rice, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Sample, Saunders, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Webb, Wells, B. Wilkins, Woods

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 19-12-113(b) and (c), resulting from Initiated Act 1 of 2000 and concerning the development and administration of tobacco prevention and cessation programs, are amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) The Department of Health shall be responsible for developing, integrating, and monitoring tobacco prevention and cessation programs funded under this chapter and shall provide administrative oversight and management, including, but not limited to implementing performance based measures.

(2) The Department of Health shall have authority to award grants and allocate money appropriated to implement the tobacco prevention and cessation program mandated under this chapter.

(3) The Department of Health may contract with those entities necessary to fully implement the tobacco prevention and cessation initiatives mandated under this chapter.

(4)(A) Within thirty (30) days of receipt of moneys into the Prevention and Cessation Program Account, fifteen percent (15%) of those moneys shall be deposited into a special account within the prevention and cessation account at the Department of Health to be expended for tobacco prevention and cessation in minority communities as directed by the Director of the Department of Health in consultation with the Chancellor of the University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff, the President of the Arkansas Medical, Dental and Pharmaceutical Association, and the League of United Latin American Citizens.

(B) Within thirty (30) days of receipt of moneys into the Prevention and Cessation Program Account, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall transfer on his or her books and those of the State Auditor and Treasurer of State fifteen percent (15%) of those moneys to the Drug Court Fund for assistance to drug court programs established under the Arkansas Drug Court Act, § 16-98-301 et seq.

(c) ~~The~~ Except for the distribution of funds under subdivision (b)(4)(B) of this section, the Tobacco Prevention and Cessation Program shall be comprised of components approved by the State Board of Health. The program components selected by the board shall include:

(1) community prevention programs that reduce youth tobacco use;

(2) local school programs for education and prevention in grades kindergarten through twelve (K-12) that should include school nurses, where appropriate;

(3) enforcement of youth tobacco control laws;

(4) state-wide programs with youth involvement to increase local coalition activities;

(5) tobacco cessation programs;

(6) tobacco-related disease prevention programs;

(7) a comprehensive public awareness and health promotion campaign;

(8) grants and contracts funded pursuant to this chapter for monitoring and evaluation, as well as data gathering; and

(9) other programs as deemed necessary by the board.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code Title 19, Chapter 5, Subchapter 12 is amended to add a new section to read as follows:

19-5-1236. Drug Court Fund.

(a) There is created on the books of the Treasurer of the State, the Auditor of the State, and the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State a miscellaneous fund to be known as the "Drug Court Fund".

(b) The fund shall consist of revenues authorized under § 19-12-113(b)(4)(B) and other revenues as may be authorized by law.

(c) The fund shall be used to provide assistance to drug court programs established under the Arkansas Drug Court Act, § 16-98-301 et seq."

(SIGNED) SENATOR PRITCHARD

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 922

Amend Senate Bill No. 922 as originally introduced::

Add the following Representatives as cosponsors of the bill:
T. Baker, Williams

(SIGNED) SENATOR PRITCHARD

The Amendments were read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 922 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 164, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

SENATE BILL NO. 243, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 164 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 243 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 399, BY SENATOR WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 801, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 995, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 399 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Bill No. 801 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 995 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 429, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 873, BY SENATOR SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 922, BY SENATOR PRITCHARD,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 429 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 873 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 922, was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

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ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 499, BY SENATOR HENDREN,
SENATE BILL NO. 500, BY SENATOR HENDREN,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 499 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 500 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1372, BY REPRESENTATIVE ROEBUCK

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1372 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 747, BY SENATOR BROADWAY

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 747 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 876, BY SENATOR WYATT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 876 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 897, BY SENATOR GLOVER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 897 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR
MIKE BEEBE, GOVERNOR
State Capitol
Little Rock 72201

March 16, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on March 16, 2009, I approved the following measure from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill 354, - ACT 433,

Sincerely,

Mike Beebe
Governor

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 239, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,
SENATE BILL NO, 317, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 348, BY SENATOR THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 360, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 375, BY SENATOR TAYLOR,
SENATE BILL NO. 376, BY SENATOR TAYLOR,
SENATE BILL NO. 407, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 408, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 409, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 426, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 486, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 505, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 544, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 681, BY SENATOR WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 765, BY SENATOR SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 230, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 380, BY SENATOR MILLER,
SENATE BILL NO. 450, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 831, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 218, BY SENATOR ALTES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 11:30 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 239

SENATE BILL NO, 317

SENATE BILL NO. 348

SENATE BILL NO. 360

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SENATE BILL NO. 544

SENATE BILL NO. 681

SENATE BILL NO. 765

SENATE BILL NO. 230

SENATE BILL NO. 380

SENATE BILL NO. 450

SENATE BILL NO. 831

SENATE BILL NO. 218

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 17th day of March, 2009 at 11:30 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J. D. Lowery
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 82, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 93, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 153, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 193, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 244, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 263, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 412, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 413, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 414, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 415, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 416, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 418, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 419, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 420, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 421, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 422, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 423, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 424, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 425, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 525, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1531, BY JOINT BUDGET

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 803, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 993, BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 934, BY SENATOR D. WYATT

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 12, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1604, BY REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1846, BY REPRESENTATIVE MOORE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1847, BY REPRESENTATIVE MOORE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1964, BY REPRESENTATIVE KING,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2193, BY REPRESENTATIVE PYLE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1451, BY REPRESENTATIVE HOYT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 3.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 830, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 945, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1329, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1392, BY REPRESENTATIVE SUMMERS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1584, BY REPRESENTATIVE WOODS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2021, BY REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2031, BY REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1751, BY REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass, as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 878, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 460, BY SENATOR P. MALONE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 3.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1876, BY REPRESENTATIVE WELLS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1877, BY REPRESENTATIVE WELLS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1912, BY REPRESENTATIVE HARDY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1916, BY REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1917, BY REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1936, BY REPRESENTATIVE HYDE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1944, BY REPRESENTATIVE HYDE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2247, BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 2112, BY REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12,
BY SENATOR BRYLES,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 26, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 192, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 813, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 923, BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON,

SENATE BILL NO. 988, BY SENATOR GLOVER,
SENATE BILL NO. 989, BY SENATOR GLOVER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1420, BY REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1832, BY REPRESENTATIVE CARTER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1946, BY REPRESENTATIVE T. ROGERS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 781 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 781

Amend Senate Bill No. 781 *as engrossed, S3/10/09:*

Page 5, delete line 16 and substitute:

"dealers in the dealer's relevant market area or the dealer's competitive market area."

AND

Page 6, delete line 35 and substitute:

"line-make dealers in the dealer's relevant market area or the dealer's competitive market area."

AND

Page 10, line 28, delete "or" and substitute "~~or~~"

AND

Page 11, delete line 7 and substitute:

"(c) Reasonable attorney's fees and costs; or

(ix) Obligations under this subdivision (a)(2)(K) do not apply if the termination is a result of the conviction of the franchisee in a court of competent jurisdiction of an offense that is punishable by a term of imprisonment in excess of one (1) year and the offense is substantially related to the business conducted pursuant to the franchise;"

(SIGNED) SENATOR TEAGUE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 781 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 3 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 3

Amend Senate Bill No. 3 *as engrossed, S3/5/09:*

Delete all language after the enacting clause and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 27-24-1301 is amended to read as follows:

27-24-1301. Purpose.

The purpose of this subchapter is to:

(1) ~~continue~~ Continue the special license plates for the certain public service employees, public service retirees, or military service retirees that existed before April 13, 2005, and to establish a procedure for other public service employees or retirees to obtain special license plates; and

(2) Honor the service of Cold War veterans by providing a special license plate that is available for issuance.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 27-24-1302 is amended to read as follows:

27-24-1302. Definitions.

As used in this subchapter:

(1) "Cold War veteran" means any current or former member of the armed forces of the United States who has received a Cold War Recognition Certificate from the United States Secretary of Defense for service during the Cold War era from September 2, 1945, through December 26, 1991;

~~(1)~~(2) "Firefighter" means a person who is certified by the Arkansas Fire Protection Services Board as a certified firefighter or who has retired as a firefighter;

~~(2)~~(3) "Professional firefighter" means a person who is in good standing with the Arkansas Professional Fire Fighters Association;

~~(3)~~(4) "Public service" means a service provided by a city, a county, or the state government that requires licensure or certification by the person who is providing the service;

~~(4)~~(5) "Retired member of the armed forces of the United States" means a person who presents proof of retirement in the form of retirement orders issued by one (1) of the following services of the armed forces of the United States:

(A) The United States Army;

(B) The United States Navy;

(C) The United States Marine Corps;

(D) The United States Air Force;

(E) The United States Coast Guard; or

(F) The National Guard; and

~~(5)~~(6) "Retired state trooper" means a former employee of the Department of Arkansas State Police who is eligible for and is receiving retirement benefits related to the retiree's employment as a state trooper.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code Title 27, Chapter 24, Subchapter 13 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

27-24-1312. Cold War veterans.

(a) The Department of Finance and Administration shall create for issuance a special license plate that bears a decal that states “Cold War Veteran” to be issued to an eligible applicant as provided under this subchapter.

(b)(1) The department shall design the special license plate that bears the decal issued under this section.

(2) In lieu of the legend, “The Natural State” or any succeeding legend, there shall be placed across the bottom of the license plate a permanent decal bearing the words “Cold War Veteran”.

(c)(1) A Cold War veteran may apply for and annually renew a special license plate issued under this section.

(2) The fee for the initial application for a special license plate under this section is the fee required by law for the registration and licensing of the motor vehicle.

(3) The fee for the renewal of a special license plate under this section is the fee required by law for the registration and licensing of the motor vehicle.

(4) The replacement fee for a special license plate issued under this section is five dollars ($5.00).

(d) Upon the initial application of a special license plate issued under this section, the Cold War veteran shall provide adequate proof to the department that he or she is a Cold War veteran.

(e) The registration of a special license plate under this section may:

(1) Continue from year to year as long as it is renewed each year within the time and manner required by law; and

(2) Be renewed as provided under §§ 27-14-1012 and 27-14-1013."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. KEY

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 3 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 947 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 947

Amend Senate Bill No. 947 as originally introduced:

Add Senators Hendren, T. Smith, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, D. Wyatt as cosponsors of the bill
AND

Add Representative Hardy as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEELE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 947 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, House Bill No. 1552 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1552

Amend House Bill No. 1552 *as engrossed,H3/4/09:*

Page 2, delete line 3 and substitute the following:

"to do so would create an undue hardship on the operations of the employer.

(d) The employee shall make reasonable efforts to minimize disruption to the employer's operations."

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1552 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 88 at this time.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 88 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 88

Amend Senate Bill No. 88 *as engrossed, S1/22/09:*

Add the following Representatives as cosponsors of the bill: Saunders, McCrary, Abernathy, Adcock, Allen, Baird, T. Baker, Barnett, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Brown, M. Burris, J. Burris, Carnine, Carroll, Carter, Cash, Cheatham, Clemmer, Cole, Cook, Cooper, L. Cowling, D. Creekmore, Dale, Davenport, Davis, J. Dickinson, Dismang, Dunn, J. Edwards, English, Everett, Flowers, Garner, Gaskill, George, Glidewell, R. Green, Greenberg, Hall, Hardy, Harrelson, Hawkins, Hobbs, Hopper, House, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Hyde, Ingram, Kerr, Kidd, King, Lea, W. Lewellen, Lindsey, Lovell, Lowery, Maloch, S. Malone, M. Martin, Maxwell, McLean, Moore, Nickels, Nix, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Perry, Pierce, Powers, Pyle, Ragland, Rainey, Reep, Reynolds, Rice, J. Roebuck, J. Rogers, T. Rogers, Sample, Shelby, Slinkard, G. Smith, L. Smith, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Wagner, Webb, Wells, B. Wilkins, Williams, Wills, Woods, Word

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 88, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Glover, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 88 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 88

As Engrossed: S1/22/09 H3/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS GLOVER, BROADWAY, ALTES, G. BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, HENDREN, J. JEFFRESS, G. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, J. KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, P. MALONE, MILLER, SALMON, STEELE, R. THOMPSON, H. WILKINS, WILKINSON, D. WYATT & *HORN*

BY: REPRESENTATIVES SAUNDERS, MCCRARY, ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, MALOCH, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, J. ROGERS, T. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REDUCE THE STATE SALES AND USE TAX RATE ON FOOD AND FOOD INGREDIENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 88 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 88, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 88 was ordered enrolled.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 881 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 881 was withdrawn by the author, Senator G. Jeffress.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 8 was withdrawn by the author, Senator G. Jeffress.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 882 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY

On motion of Senator Horn, Senate Bill No. 663 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 663

As Engrossed: S3/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR HORN

BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN ALTERNATIVE PROCEDURE FOR MODIFYING THE RATES AND CHARGES OF A GENERATION AND TRANSMISSION COOPERATIVE; TO PROVIDE AN ALTERNATIVE PROCEDURE FOR MODIFYING THE RATES AND CHARGES OF A MEMBER COOPERATIVE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 663 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 28

NEGATIVE: Altes, Teague.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bryles, Luker, Madison, T. Smith, Whitaker.

Total 5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 30

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 663, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 28

NEGATIVE: Altes, Teague.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bryles, Luker, Madison, T. Smith, Whitaker.

Total 5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....30

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 663 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 780 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 780

As Engrossed: S3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS B. PRITCHARD, ALTES, G. BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, FARIS, GLOVER, HORN, J. JEFFRESS, D. JOHNSON, J. KEY, T. SMITH, J. TAYLOR, R. THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WILKINSON & D. WYATT

BY: REPRESENTATIVES SAMPLE, M. MARTIN, J. ROGERS, J. BURRIS, M. BURRIS, CARTER, CLEMMER, DALE, DISMANG, DUNN, EVERETT, GASKILL, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, HOYT, KING, LOWERY, NICKELS, PYLE, RAGLAND, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS & WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FORFEITURE OF OR DISQUALIFICATION FROM PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT ON CONVICTION OF AN OFFENSE RELATED TO PUBLIC EMPLOYMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 780 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 780 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 961 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 961
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT PERSONS SUSCEPTIBLE TO SEVERE ALLERGIC REACTIONS; TO PROVIDE FOR CERTIFICATION OF PERSONS TRAINED TO ADMINISTER EMERGENCY TREATMENT FOR SEVERE ALLERGIC REACTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 961 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 961 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 1837 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1837

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROGERS, COOK, CARROLL, J. DICKINSON, MOORE & PIERCE

BY: SENATORS R. THOMPSON AND D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO DESIGNATE A PORTION OF HIGHWAY 67 AS ROCK 'N' ROLL HIGHWAY 67; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1837 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1837 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1438 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1438

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. COWLING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF "PARTS ONLY" TITLES TO INSURERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1438 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1438 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1612 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1612
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BARNETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 27, CHAPTERS 16 AND 23, TO COMPLY WITH FEDERAL LAW IN ORDER TO QUALIFY FOR RECEIPT OF FEDERAL HIGHWAY FUNDS; TO DELETE OBSOLETE LANGUAGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1612 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1612 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bookout, House Bill No. 1602 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1602
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE TIME PERIOD THAT CAR DEALERS ARE REQUIRED TO PAY OFF EXISTING LIENS OR ENCUMBRANCES ON VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1602 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1602 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Capps, House Bill No. 1962 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1962
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WILLS, RAGLAND, ABERNATHY, ALLEN, T. BAKER, BARNETT, DAVENPORT, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, GEORGE, HOYT, LINDSEY, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, REEP, REYNOLDS, WELLS, WILLIAMS & WORD
BY: SENATORS CAPPS, B. JOHNSON, ALTES, G. BAKER, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, ELLIOTT, D. JOHNSON, J. KEY, LUKER, MADISON, P. MALONE, SALMON, R. THOMPSON, TRUSTY & WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A POST-DOCTORAL SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING GRANT PROGRAM FOR PURPOSES OF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND KNOWLEDGE-BASED JOB GROWTH; TO ESTABLISH GUIDELINES FOR THE DISBURSEMENT OF GRANTS FROM THE PROGRAM; TO DESIGNATE THE ARKANSAS SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORITY AS THE ADMINISTRATOR OF THE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1962 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1962 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Glover, House Bill No. 1445 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1445
As Engrossed: H2/18/09 H2/23/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PYLE AND HOYT
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO REMOVE THE REQUIREMENT THAT LEGISLATIVE AUDIT DISPOSITION REPORTS BE FILED WITH THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1445 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1445 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1668 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1668

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE THE PROSECUTING ATTORNEY OF THE FIFTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT A DIVISION A PROSECUTOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1668 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1668, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1668 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1716 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1716

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE STATUTORY RIGHT OF RECOVERY OF GAMBLING DEBTS OR LOSSES TO ELIMINATE ANY DEFENSE TO A CRIME AND TO OVERRULE DANIELS V. STATE, 373 Ark. 536, ___ S.W.3d ___ (2008); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1716 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1716 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1587 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1587

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE TYLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT EMPLOYER-REQUIRED DRUG TESTS ARE TO BE PROVIDED AT NO COST TO EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1587 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bookout, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Luker, Madison, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 23

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Hendren, B. Pritchard, Trusty.

Total 4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway, Bryles, J. Key, Laverty, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, Whitaker.

Total 8

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 27

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1587 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Steele, House Bill No. 1518 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1518

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP

BY: SENATORS STEELE, LAVERTY & G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE OPTOMETRISTS OR OPHTHALMOLOGISTS TO SELL OR DISPENSE PRESCRIPTION CONTACT LENSES THAT ARE MEDICATED WITH LEGEND DRUGS THAT ARE AUTHORIZED BY THE FOOD AND DRUG ADMINISTRATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1518 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1518 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Retirement Committee.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 72 at this time.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 72 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 72

As Engrossed: S3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 24 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 72 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 72 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 140 at this time.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 140 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 140

As Engrossed: S/1/27/09 S1/27/09 S2/18/09 S3/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF TIME A MEMBER OF THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM MUST TERMINATE EMPLOYMENT IN ORDER TO QUALIFY FOR RETIREMENT BENEFITS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 140 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 140, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 140 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 163 at this time.

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On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 163 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 163

As Engrossed: S2/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE CALCULATION OF DEFERRED ANNUITIES; TO ALLOW ADDITIONAL TIME FOR MEMBERS OF THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO SELECT CONTRIBUTORY SERVICE; TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF REDUCED ANNUITY UNDER OPTION B75; TO AMEND THE RETIREMENT MEMBERSHIP OF DISTRICT COURT CLERKS IN THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 163 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 163 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

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The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 163 passed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on March 19, 2009.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1177 at this time.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1177 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1177
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR BENEFITS RELATING TO THE HEALTH CARE OFFSET FOR MEMBERS OF THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1177 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1177, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1177 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 416 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 418 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1475 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 1475 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1475

As Engrossed: H3/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. SMITH *AND GLIDEWELL*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR BIRTH CERTIFICATE EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1475 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1475, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1475 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1476 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1476 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1476

As Engrossed: H3/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. SMITH *AND GLIDEWELL*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - REVENUE SERVICES DIVISION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES OF PROVIDING IDENTIFICATION CARDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1476 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1476, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1476 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill 312, BY SENATOR STEELE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN
SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS
SENATOR SHANE BROADWAY
SENATOR M. A. SALMON
SENATOR KIM HENDREN

Senate Bill No. 815 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1003

As Engrossed: H3/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH

BY: SENATOR MADISON

HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION *CELEBRATING THE LIFE AND CONTRIBUTIONS, AND MOURNING THE PASSING OF, JAMES ROYCE JACKSON.*

House Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 1003 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1578

As Engrossed: H3/5/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROCEDURES AND REQUIREMENTS REGARDING THE REGISTRATION AND MONITORING OF SEX OFFENDERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1578 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1646
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE AT LEAST ONE (1) POLLING PLACE IN EACH COUNTY FOR SCHOOL ELECTIONS WHEN A SCHOOL DISTRICT HAS TERRITORY IN MULTIPLE COUNTIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1646 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1653
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: HOUSE MANAGEMENT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - STAFF FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1653 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1712
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE ELECTRIC UTILITIES TO RECOVER THE COST OF RESTORATION OF DAMAGES CAUSED BY STORMS AND RELATED PERILS THROUGH SECURITIZATION OF SUCH STORM RESTORATION AND RELATED COSTS; TO PRESCRIBE THE MEANS AND MANNER IN WHICH SUCH SECURITIZATION SHALL BE AUTHORIZED; AND MATTERS RELATED THERETO.

House Bill No. 1712 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1979
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFERS BY CERTAIN WATER SYSTEMS FOR PAYMENT OF DEBTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1979 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2009
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. SMITH, WOODS, BAIRD, BARNETT, BLOUNT, M. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CLEMMER, COOK, R. GREEN, HARRELSON, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, D. HUTCHINSON, INGRAM, KING, LINDSEY, MOORE, PYLE, RAINEY, J. ROEBUCK, SAUNDERS, SLINKARD & SUMMERS
BY: SENATORS BLEDSOE AND MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A STATE HISTORIC TRAILS SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2009 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2073
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DATE THE TERM OF OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF STATE LANDS BEGINS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2073 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2200
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PATTERSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS INFORMATION SYSTEMS ACT OF 1997, § 25-4-101 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2200 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 3, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 781, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 947, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 947 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO.1552 BY REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH ET AL,
BY SENATOR MADISON ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 88, BY SENATOR GLOVER ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 815, BY SENATOR MALONE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 3:15 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 88
SENATE BILL NO. 815

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 17th day of March, 2009 at 3:15 p.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Sarah S. Agee
Secretary

On motion of Senator Whitaker, and without objection, the House was requested to return Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 for further consideration.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
ARKANSAS SENATE
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

March 17, 2009

The Honorable Jo Renshaw
Chief Clerk
House of Representatives
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Renshaw:

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate, of Senate Concurrent Resolution 10.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

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ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 897, BY SENATOR GLOVER,
SENATE BILL NO. 936, BY SENATOR D. WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 937, BY SENATOR D WYATT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 17, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1393, BY REPRESENTATIVE T. BAKER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 72
SENATE BILL NO. 140
SENATE BILL NO. 163
SENATE BILL NO. 663
SENATE BILL NO. 780
SENATE BILL NO. 961

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1177
HOUSE BILL NO. 1438
HOUSE BILL NO. 1445
HOUSE BILL NO. 1475
HOUSE BILL NO. 1476
HOUSE BILL NO. 1518
HOUSE BILL NO. 1587
HOUSE BILL NO. 1602
HOUSE BILL NO. 1612
HOUSE BILL NO. 1668
HOUSE BILL NO. 1716
HOUSE BILL NO. 1837
HOUSE BILL NO. 1962

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 815

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE SENATE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1578

HOUSE BILL NO. 1646

HOUSE BILL NO. 1653

HOUSE BILL NO. 1712

HOUSE BILL NO. 1979

HOUSE BILL NO. 2009

HOUSE BILL NO. 2073

HOUSE BILL NO. 2200

HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1003

On motion of Senator Smith, the Senate adjourned until 1:30, Wednesday, March 18, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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SIXTY-SIXTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

March 18, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Pastor Mark De Ymaz, Mosaic Church of Central Arkansas.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 971 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 971

Amend Senate Bill No. 971 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 6 and substitute the following language:
"to the school district average daily membership in each quarter of the two (2) school"

AND

Add a new Section as follows:
"SECTION 3. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that there is uncertainty in the calculation of average daily membership when it comes to the administrative consolidation list; that school districts may be unfairly placed on the administrative consolidation list which causes a great deal of anxiety among parents, students, school district employees and communities; and that this act is immediately necessary to ensure that the factors that must be met for a school district to be placed on the administrative consolidation list are clear and understandable. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or

(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

(SIGNED) SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 971 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 852 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 852

Amend Senate Bill No. 852 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 28, delete "Certification" and substitute "~~Certification~~ Licensure"

AND

Page 1, line 30, delete "Certification" and substitute "~~Certification~~ Licensure"

AND

Page 2, delete line 23 and substitute the following language:

"(2) "Dual ~~certification~~ licensure" means ~~certification~~ licensure to teach in more"

AND

Page 2, line 29 delete "Certification" and substitute "~~Certification~~ Licensure"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 31 through 36 and substitute the following language:

"SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 6-81-608 is amended to read as follows:

6-81-608. Dual ~~Certification~~ Licensure Incentive Program.

(a) There is created the Dual ~~Certification~~ Licensure Incentive Program to encourage classroom teachers currently employed by school districts in the state to return to college to obtain ~~certification~~ licensure in one (1) or more additional subject areas.

(b) The program shall be administered by the Department of Higher Education.

(c)(1) A classroom teacher returning to college as a student may receive a reimbursement not to exceed the cost of student fees, books, and instructional supplies.

(2) The student fee reimbursement amount shall be based on the student fees of the state-supported institution of higher education that assesses the highest rate of student fees in this state.

(d) The reimbursement made to a classroom teacher returning to college as a student in one (1) fiscal year may not exceed the cost associated with six (6) semester credit hours or the equivalent of six (6) semester credit hours."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 1 through 5

AND

Page 3, line 8 delete "certification" and substitute "~~certification~~ licensure"

AND

Page 3, line 10 delete "Certification" and substitute "~~Certification~~ Licensure"

AND

Page 3, line 17 delete "certification" and substitute "~~certification~~ licensure"

AND

Page 3, line 23 delete "certification" and substitute "~~certification~~ licensure"

AND

Page 3, line 31 delete "Certification" and substitute "~~Certification~~ Licensure"

AND

Page 4, line 31 delete "certification" and substitute "~~certification~~ licensure"

AND

Page 4, line 34 delete "certification" and substitute "~~certification~~ licensure"

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHANE BROADWAY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 852 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Joint Resolution No. 5 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 5 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 9 through 13 and substitute the following:
"PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO SECTION 46 OF ARTICLE 7 OF THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO INCREASE THE TERM OF OFFICE FOR SHERIFF AND TO PROVIDE THAT THE OFFICE OF SHERIFF SHALL BE A NONPARTISAN OFFICE."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 16 through 21 and substitute the following:
"PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO SECTION 46 OF ARTICLE 7 OF THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO INCREASE THE TERM OF OFFICE FOR SHERIFF AND TO PROVIDE THAT THE OFFICE OF SHERIFF SHALL BE A NONPARTISAN OFFICE."

AND

Delete Section 1 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Section 46 of Article 7 of the Arkansas Constitution is amended to read as follows:

§ 46. County executive officers - Compensation of county assessor.

(a) The qualified electors of each county shall elect ~~one Sheriff, who shall be ex-officio ex officio collector of taxes, unless otherwise provided by law;~~ one (1) Assessor, one (1) Coroner, one (1) Treasurer, who shall be ~~ex-officio~~ ex officio treasurer of the common school fund of the county, and one (1) County Surveyor; for the term of two (2) years, with such duties as are now or may be prescribed by law: Provided, that no per centum shall ever be paid to assessors upon the valuation or assessment of property by them.

(b)(1) The qualified electors of each county shall elect on a nonpartisan basis one (1) Sheriff, who shall be ex officio collector of taxes, unless otherwise provided by law.

(2) The term of office for Sheriff shall be four (4) years."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Joint Resolution No. 5 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 806 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 806

Amend Senate Bill No. 806 as originally introduced:

Page 15, delete line 36 and substitute the following:

"(C) Conclusively presumed to be records that would give advantage to competitors under § 25-19-105(b)(9)(A);"

AND

Page 16, delete line 1

(SIGNED) SENATOR TERRY SMITH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 806 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 176 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 176

Amend Senate Bill No. 176 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 24-10-409(e), concerning proration of state revenues between a political subdivision and its relief fund, is amended to read as follows:

(e)(1) ~~All~~ Except as provided in subdivision (e)(2) of this section, all moneys so received by the political subdivisions shall be applied to the employer contribution required to support this system.

(2) If there is any money remaining after the subsidy account balance has been exhausted, as calculated by the actuary for the Arkansas Fire and Police Pension Review Board, the governing body of the political subdivision may transfer any or all of the excess moneys to the governing body's police pension and relief fund or fire pension and relief fund, or both, with the prior written approval of the Arkansas Fire and Police Pension Review Board."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 176 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 108 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 108

Amend Senate Bill No. 108 as engrossed, S2/3/09:

Page 2, delete SECTION 2 in its entirety and substitute:

"SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 6-17-2603, as amended by Act 224 of 2009, is amended to read as follows:

6-17-2603. Eligibility.

To be eligible for a lifetime teaching license, the licensed educator must:

(1) Hold a current or expired Arkansas teaching license; and

(2) Meet the following criteria:

(A) Be at least sixty-two (62) years of age~~;~~ and have either:

~~(3) Have either:~~

~~(A)~~(i) Worked in an educational setting while maintaining an Arkansas teaching license; or

~~(B)~~(ii) Made significant contributions to education, educational research, or the profession of teaching through scholarly endeavors, teaching experience, excellence in teaching, or educational innovation; or

(B) Have retired as a public school teacher who taught public school for not less than twenty-five (25) years."

(SIGNED) SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 108 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1634 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1634

Amend House Bill No. 1634 as engrossed, H3/9/09:

Page 1, delete line 34 and substitute:

"(iii) Public streets and roads when traveling on the public street or road is the most reasonable route of access available to him or her from one (1) off-road trail to another off-road trail or from his or her private property to an off-road trail."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JERRY TEAGUE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1634 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, Senate Bill No. 820 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 820

Amend Senate Bill No. 820 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 1, Chapter 2, Subchapter 2 is amended to add a new section to read as follows:

1-2-208. "Fiscal session" and "regular session" defined.

As used in the Arkansas Code, an act of the General Assembly, and an initiated measure:

(1) "Fiscal session" means with respect to the General Assembly the legislative session in which the General Assembly may consider only appropriation bills under Arkansas Constitution, Article 5, § 5(c) and

(2) "Regular session" means with respect to the General Assembly the legislative session in which the General Assembly may consider any bill under Arkansas Constitution, Article 5, § 5(b).

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 1-5-102(b), concerning the closure of state offices on holidays, is amended to read as follows:

(b) It is the specific intent of this section that all state offices be closed on all legal holidays even though one (1) or more legal holidays shall fall during a ~~general~~ regular session, a fiscal session, or a special session of the General Assembly, provided that, with respect to state offices located in Pulaski County, those offices shall not be closed for any legal holiday during ~~any general~~ a regular session, a fiscal session, or a special session of the General Assembly unless they are permitted to close by resolution of the General Assembly, but those offices shall maintain only a minimum number of employees necessary to carry on the business of the offices.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 3-5-907(a), concerning grant payments to wineries in the state, is amended to read as follows:

(a) Grant payments as authorized in this subchapter shall be made by the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration from moneys appropriated by the General Assembly for that purpose at each ~~biennial~~ regular session and fiscal session of the General Assembly.

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 6-43-223 is amended to read as follows:

6-43-223. Reports — Publication.

(a)(1) The Board of Trustees and the Superintendent of the Arkansas School for the Blind shall make a full and complete report, to be submitted to the Governor and the General Assembly, not later than January 15 of each year the General Assembly is in regular session.

(2) These reports shall deal with improvements made during the ~~biennial period covered by them~~ the previous two (2) fiscal years, together with the suggestions and recommendations covering the institution for the next ~~legislative~~ two-year period.

(3) The report of the board of trustees shall cover the preceding school year.

(4)(A) The board of trustees and the superintendent shall each make detailed reports biennially to the General Assembly of their proceedings, the condition of the school, the number of pupils, and other facts connected with the institution, including the exact receipts and expenditures of the board of trustees.

(B) The superintendent shall report to the board of trustees prior to each regular session of the General Assembly a detailed statement of the number of pupils admitted and discharged, their place of residence and supposed cause of blindness, the amount of money expended and for what purpose, and the probable sum necessary to defray the current expenses of the institution until the ~~ensuing~~ next regular session of the General Assembly, which report shall be embodied in that of the board of trustees.

(5)(A) The reports shall be made and printed together not later than January 15 of each year the General Assembly is in regular session.

(B) There shall be, of each biennial report of the board of trustees to the General Assembly, one thousand five hundred (1,500) copies printed — one thousand (1,000) for the use of the General Assembly and five hundred (500) for the school.

SECTION 5. Arkansas Code § 6-43-311(a), concerning biennial reports of the Arkansas School for the Deaf, is amended to read as follows:

6-43-311. Biennial reports.

(a) The Board of Trustees and the Superintendent of the Arkansas School for the Deaf shall make a full and complete report to be submitted to the Governor, which shall be printed together and presented to the General Assembly not later than January 16 of each year the General Assembly is in regular session.

SECTION 6. Arkansas Code § 6-61-210(a), concerning the allocation of additional state funds, is amended to read as follows:

(a) The Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board is authorized and directed to establish criteria and standards for the allocation of additional state funds provided for such purposes to state-supported institutions of higher learning experiencing enrollment increases greater than were anticipated at the time the board prepared its budget recommendations for allocations of funds to the respective institutions prior to each ~~biennial legislative~~ regular session and fiscal session.

SECTION 7. Arkansas Code § 6-67-114(a), concerning biennial reports to the General Assembly from the University of Central Arkansas, is amended to read as follows:

(a) The Board of Trustees of the University of Central Arkansas shall biennially make a report to the General Assembly at the beginning of its regular session.

SECTION 8. Arkansas Code § 10-2-101 is amended to read as follows:

10-2-101. Time for meeting.

(a)(1) The General Assembly shall meet in ~~regular biennial~~ regular session at 12:00 noon on the second Monday in January in each odd-numbered year.

(2)(A) However, in any odd-numbered year following the election of a nonincumbent governor, the General Assembly upon convening at 12:00 noon on the second Monday in January may remain in session only for such time not to exceed two (2) days as is necessary to open and publish the votes for various constitutional offices, to swear in the state constitutional officers and members of the General Assembly, to organize and select officers, and to otherwise prepare for the regular session.

(B) ~~It~~ The General Assembly may then stand in recess for a period of not to exceed thirty (30) days.

(b)(1) The General Assembly shall meet in a fiscal session at 12:00 noon on the second Monday in February of each even-numbered year to consider appropriation bills.

(2) A bill other than an appropriation bill may be considered in a fiscal session if two-thirds (2/3) of the members of each house of the General Assembly approve consideration of the nonappropriation bill.

SECTION 9. Arkansas Code § 10-2-102(b), concerning the employees of the Senate, is amended to read as follows:

(b) The employees of the Senate shall perform such duties during the regular session of the General Assembly and during the interim between the convening of special sessions, fiscal sessions, and the ~~next regular session~~ regular sessions of the General Assembly as may be provided by the rules of the Senate or by the Senate Efficiency Committee, subject to the approval of the Senate.

SECTION 10. Arkansas Code § 10-2-107(a), concerning the election of the Speaker of the House, is amended to read as follows:

(a) If, after the biennial general election and prior to the convening of the ~~General Assembly~~ regular session, a statement signed by fifty (50) or more members of the House of Representatives who will serve at the next-following regular session of the General Assembly is filed with the current Speaker of the House of Representatives stating that the members believe that the formal election of the new Speaker of the House is in doubt, then the current Speaker of the House shall call a one-day organizational meeting of all members and members-elect of the House of Representatives who will serve at the next regular session. This meeting shall be held for the single purpose of designating the Speaker of the House for the next General Assembly.

SECTION 11. Arkansas Code § 10-2-112(a)(1), concerning the prefiling of bills and resolutions, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) The Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives and the Secretary of the Senate, under the direction and supervision of the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate, shall establish a system for the prefiling of bills and resolutions beginning on:

(A) November 15 of each year preceding a regular session of the General Assembly; and

(B)(1) The second Monday of January of each year of a fiscal session the General Assembly.

(2) A non-appropriation bill may not be pre-filed prior to a fiscal session due to the requirement in Amendment 86 of the Constitution of Arkansas that a concurrent resolution be approved by a vote of two-thirds (2/3) of the members elected to each house before either body may consider a non-appropriation bill.

SECTION 12. Arkansas Code § 10-2-113(b), concerning senate confirmation of board and commission appointees, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) The Governor shall submit to the Senate within thirty (30) days after the General Assembly convenes in ~~regular~~ a regular session or a fiscal session the names of all appointments to boards and commissions of this state made subsequent to adjournment of the Senate at the last regular session of the General Assembly.

(2) Upon the convening of a special session of the General Assembly, the Governor shall immediately submit the names of all appointments to boards and commissions of this state made subsequent to adjournment of the Senate at the last regular session, fiscal session, or special session of the General Assembly.

(3) All appointments of members of boards and commissions of this state made while the General Assembly is in session shall be submitted immediately to the Senate.

SECTION 13. Arkansas Code § 10-2-115 is amended to read as follows:

10-2-115. Introduction of bills affecting public retirement programs.

(a) Any proposed legislation affecting any publicly supported retirement system or pension plan to be considered by the General Assembly at a regular ~~biennial~~ session shall be introduced in the General Assembly during the first fifteen (15) calendar days of a regular ~~biennial~~ session.

(b)(1) No such bill shall be introduced after the fifteenth day of a regular ~~biennial~~ session unless its introduction is first approved by a three-fourths (¾) vote of the full membership of each house of the General Assembly.

(2) Additionally, if the General Assembly recesses for longer than three (3) consecutive days during the first fifteen (15) days of a regular ~~biennial~~ session, the fifteen-day introduction deadline shall be extended for a time period equal to the recess.

(c) A bill affecting any publicly supported retirement system or systems shall not be introduced or considered at any special session or fiscal session of the General Assembly unless the introduction and consideration of the bill is first approved by a three-fourths (¾) vote of the full membership of each house of the General Assembly.

SECTION 14. Arkansas Code § 10-2-127(b), concerning fiscal impact statements, is amended to read as follows:

(b) Any bill filed in the House of Representatives or Senate that will impose a new or increased cost obligation for education in grades kindergarten through twelve (K-12) on the State of Arkansas or any local school district shall have a fiscal impact statement attached to it prepared and filed with the chair of the committee to which the bill is referred:

(1) At least three (3) days before the bill may be called up for final action in the committee during a regular session of the General Assembly; ~~and~~

(2) At least three (3) days before the bill may be called up for final action in the committee during a fiscal session; and

(3) At least one (1) day before the bill may be called up for final action in the committee during a special session of the General Assembly.

SECTION 15. Arkansas Code § 10-2-131 is amended to read as follows:

10-2-131. Internet broadcast of proceedings.

(a) During regular sessions, fiscal sessions, and special sessions of the General Assembly, the House of Representatives and the Senate may broadcast live audio and video of their proceedings on the Internet.

(b) This requirement includes only proceedings held in the House Chamber and the Senate Chamber.

SECTION 16. Arkansas Code § 10-3-303(c)(2), concerning duties of the Bureau of Legislative Research, is amended to read as follows:

(2) Assist all members of the General Assembly upon request while the General Assembly is in regular session, fiscal session, or special session in drafting bills and resolutions, and making studies, preparing factual information, and by performing other services for members of the General Assembly as may be reasonably requested and which are in aid of the performance of the legislative duties of the members of the General Assembly;

SECTION 17. Arkansas Code § 10-3-304, is amended to read as follows:

10-3-304. Sessions — Studies — Cooperation of state agencies.

(a)(1) The Legislative Council shall convene at any time during the interim between regular sessions, fiscal sessions, or special sessions of the General Assembly and shall remain in session for such time as it considers necessary for the consideration of all matters relating to state government, not however, for more than a total of ninety (90) days which need not be continuous.

(2) The Legislative Council shall convene and hold its sessions at the State Capitol at the seat of government or at other places as the Legislative Council may determine, and ample notice of all sessions ~~thereof~~ shall be given by the Executive Secretary to the Legislative Council in advance of the sessions.

(b) The Legislative Council shall undertake such studies or investigations as may be directed by the General Assembly or either house ~~thereof~~ of the General Assembly. In addition, any member of the General Assembly shall be privileged when the General Assembly is not in session to submit resolutions or study proposals to the Legislative Council for its consideration, study, and recommendations.

(c) The Legislative Council shall report any findings and recommendations to each regular session, fiscal session, or special session of the General Assembly for the repeal or amendment of existing laws or for the enactment of new laws with respect to the operation of the state government or with respect to any matter that is a subject for legislative consideration.

(d) All departments and agencies of the state government are directed to cooperate with the Legislative Council and with the Bureau of Legislative Research in providing assistance, information, or data when requested so that the General Assembly might be fully advised of all matters with respect to the operation of the various state agencies, departments, and institutions.

SECTION 18. Arkansas Code § 10-3-308 is amended to read as follows:

10-3-308. Presession budget briefings — Compensation.

(a)(1) The Legislative Council is authorized to conduct or cause to be conducted budget briefings for members and members-elect of the General Assembly during the presession budget hearings conducted by the Legislative Council and the Joint Budget Committee preceding each regular session and fiscal session of the General Assembly for the purpose of informing interested members and members-elect of the General Assembly concerning budget requests, executive recommendations, and Legislative Council and Committee recommendations regarding the budgets for the various state agencies, institutions, departments, and programs.

(2) If at any time during the Legislative Council and Joint Budget Committee ~~biennial~~ hearings preceding each regular session and fiscal session of the General Assembly it appears that there is not sufficient interest or attendance by members and members-elect of the General Assembly to justify continuation of budget briefings, the chairs and co-vice chairs of the Legislative Council are authorized to terminate any further briefings during that particular ~~biennial~~ budget session.

(b) Each member of the General Assembly who will serve during the upcoming regular session or fiscal session of the General Assembly and each member-elect of the General Assembly shall be entitled to attend the budget briefings conducted pursuant to the provisions of this section. Each member attending the budget briefings shall be entitled to per diem and mileage for attending briefings at the rate prescribed by law for members of the General Assembly who attend meetings of the interim committees of the General Assembly, to be payable from moneys appropriated for payment of per diem and mileage for attendance at meetings of interim committees.

SECTION 19. Arkansas Code § 10-3-508 is amended to read as follows:

10-3-508. Duties.

In addition to participation by members of the Joint Budget Committee in the presession budget hearings of the Legislative Council, as authorized in § 10-3-507, the Joint Budget Committee during ~~regular~~ a regular session, fiscal session, and a special ~~sessions~~ session of the General Assembly shall perform any duties as are provided by the Joint Rules of the House of Representatives and Senate.

SECTION 20. Arkansas Code § 10-3-703(a), concerning the Joint Committee on Public Retirement and Social Security Programs, is amended to read as follows:

(a) Upon adjournment of each regular session, fiscal session, and special session of the General Assembly, the Joint Committee on Public Retirement and Social Security Programs is designated and constituted as a joint interim committee of the General Assembly to be known as the “Joint Interim Committee on Public Retirement and Social Security Programs”.

SECTION 21. Arkansas Code § 10-3-820(a), concerning the Joint Interim Committee on Energy, is amended to read as follows:

(a) The members of the House of Representatives and the Senate appointed at each regular session of the General Assembly to the Joint Committee on Energy shall constitute a joint interim committee of the General Assembly to function in the interim between the sine die adjournment or extended recess of the regular session or fiscal session of each General Assembly until the convening of the next regular session or fiscal session of the General Assembly or reconvening of the current General Assembly during an extended recess. This joint interim committee shall be known as the "Joint Interim Committee on Energy" and shall function in addition to the other interim committees of the General Assembly established by law. In the event a vacancy shall occur on the joint interim committee, the vacancy shall be filled in the same manner as provided for the initial appointment.

SECTION 22. Arkansas Code § 10-3-1103 is amended to read as follows:

10-3-1103. When committee functions — Administrative responsibilities.

(a) The Joint Interim Committee on Legislative Facilities shall function during the interim between regular sessions, fiscal sessions, or special sessions of the General Assembly and may function, if necessary, while the General Assembly is in regular session, fiscal session, special session, or an extension of a regular, fiscal, or special session, for the purpose of discharging its duties under this subchapter.

(b) The committee shall administer all provisions of this subchapter relating to repairs, improvements, and furnishing of committee rooms and legislative facilities in the State Capitol Building, including, if necessary, the payment of rental required for the housing of state agencies moved from the State Capitol Building as a result of any project undertaken by the committee pursuant to the provisions of this subchapter until space for the agencies may be provided in other public facilities.

SECTION 23. Arkansas Code § 10-3-1320(a) and (b), concerning the Senate Interim Committee on Children and Youth, are amended to read as follows:

(a) The Senate Interim Committee on Children and Youth shall be composed of ten (10) members appointed pursuant to Senate Rules and shall function in the interim between the sine die adjournment or extended recess of the regular session or fiscal session of each General Assembly until the convening of the next regular session or fiscal session of the General Assembly or the convening of the current General Assembly during an extended recess.

(b) The committee shall make continuing studies pertaining to the safety, health, development, and problems of children. The studies may either be initiated by the committee or referred to it by either house of the General Assembly for study in the interim between sessions of the General Assembly. Interim study proposals and resolutions relating to children, which are filed with the Legislative Council under the provisions of § 10-3-214 for review and referral to the appropriate germane joint interim committee of the General Assembly, shall be referred to the committee. The committee shall undertake each study referred to it by members of the General Assembly or by the Legislative Council and shall submit a report of its findings and recommendations in regard to each study request prior to the convening of the next ~~regular~~ session of the General Assembly.

SECTION 24. Arkansas Code § 10-3-1602(2), concerning the duties of the Joint Interim Oversight Committee on Education Reform, is amended to read as follows:

(2) Reviewing policy issues affecting educational reform on or before November 15 of the year preceding a ~~regularly scheduled legislative~~ regular session and making recommendations concerning any necessary legislative changes proposed by school districts, cooperatives, institutions of higher education, the Department of Education, the State Board of Education, the Department of Workforce Education, the State Board of Workforce Education and Career

Opportunities, the Department of Higher Education, the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board, the Governor's office, and private institutions;

SECTION 25. Arkansas Code § 10-3-1704(a) and (b), concerning the Joint Committee on Advanced Communications and Information Technology, is amended to read as follows:

(a) The members of the House of Representatives and the Senate appointed at each regular session of the General Assembly to the Joint Committee on Advanced Communications and Information Technology shall constitute a joint committee of the General Assembly to function during and in the interim between the sine die adjournment or extended recess of the regular <u>session or fiscal</u> session of each General Assembly, until the convening of the next regular <u>or fiscal</u> session of the General Assembly or reconvening of the current General Assembly, or during an extended recess.

(b)(1)(A) The committee shall make continuing studies concerning the development of access to a statewide public telecommunications network for distance learning, telemedicine, and universal access for governmental entities, and other issues concerning advanced communications and information technology, either initiated by the committee or referred to it by either house of the General Assembly for study, in the interim between sessions of the General Assembly.

(B)(i) Interim study proposals and resolutions filed with the Legislative Council under the provisions of § 10-3-214 for review and referral to the appropriate germane interim committee of the General Assembly, relating to advanced communications and information technology, shall be referred to the committee.

(ii) The committee shall undertake each study referred to it by members of the General Assembly or by the Legislative Council and shall submit a report of its findings and recommendations in regard to each study request to the General Assembly prior to the convening of the next ~~regular~~ session of the General Assembly.

(iii) The committee shall review any plan developed or updated by a public instrumentality.

(2) In addition, the committee shall exercise leadership in the interim between legislative sessions and shall attempt to coordinate for the various committees of the General Assembly the various activities, studies, and planning activities of the General Assembly which relate to the development of access to a statewide public telecommunications information infrastructure.

(3) The committee shall have the power and authority, upon approval of a majority of the members of the committee, to subpoena persons, documents, and records. However, no action of the committee regarding the exercise of the subpoena power shall be taken except upon notice of at least one (1) week to all members of the committee or upon a two-thirds (2/3) vote of the membership of the committee.

(4) The committee shall cooperate with the Governor, with public secondary and postsecondary institutions of education, with the appropriate administrative agencies of this state, with legislative and administrative agencies and institutions of other states, and with the federal government and others in the planning and development of access to a statewide public telecommunications infrastructure linking institutions, businesses, government agencies, schools, hospitals, libraries, communities, and other public and private entities to the national information infrastructure.

SECTION 26. Arkansas Code § 10-3-2204(a), concerning the Academic Facilities Oversight Committee, is amended to read as follows:

(a) The Academic Facilities Oversight Committee shall function during the interim between regular <u>session, fiscal sessions,</u> or special sessions of the General Assembly, while the General Assembly is in session, and while the General

Assembly is in recess.

SECTION 27. Arkansas Code § 10-4-405(b), concerning the Legislative Auditor, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) If the Legislative Auditor is selected while the General Assembly is not in session, he or she shall in all respects carry out the functions, powers, and duties as provided in this subchapter until the next regular session or fiscal session of the General Assembly.

(2)(A) During the next ~~regular legislative session~~ regular session or fiscal session of the General Assembly, the name of the person selected as Legislative Auditor shall be presented to both houses of the General Assembly for confirmation.

(B) Unless upon the presentation his or her selection is rejected, he or she shall in all respects continue to carry out the functions, powers, and duties as Legislative Auditor.

SECTION 28. Arkansas Code § 11-7-206(c), concerning the duties of the State Mine Inspector, is amended to read as follows:

(c) In his or her annual report, the mine inspector shall enumerate all recommendations which he or she has made for safety measures, and the result thereof; and in the report, he or she shall recommend to each ~~biennial~~ regular session of the General Assembly ~~such~~ the measures as he or she shall deem necessary for the promotion of safety in coal mines.

SECTION 29. Arkansas Code § 12-27-104(h), concerning the duties of the Board of Corrections, is amended to read as follows:

(h) The Board of Corrections shall submit to the Governor and the General Assembly a biennial report six (6) months prior to the convening of the ~~next regularly scheduled legislative~~ regular session.

SECTION 30. Arkansas Code § 15-3-104(h), concerning the Arkansas Science and Technology Authority, is amended to read as follows:

(h) A director of the authority may be removed by the Governor for cause, stated in writing, after a hearing ~~thereon~~ or upon joint address of a majority of the membership of both houses of the General Assembly at a ~~special or~~ regular session, fiscal session, or special session ~~thereof~~.

SECTION 31. Arkansas Code § 15-4-3203(h), concerning the Arkansas Amendment 82 Implementation Act, is amended to read as follows:

(h) If the Governor determines that it is in the best interest of the state to pursue Amendment 82 financing for the proposed project, the Governor shall refer the proposed project to the General Assembly in regular session, fiscal session, or special session in order for the General Assembly to consider whether to approve the issuance of bonds under Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 82, and this subchapter.

SECTION 32. Arkansas Code § 15-4-3208(a), concerning the General Assembly's approval of the Amendment 82 bonds, is amended to read as follows:

(a) After the General Assembly's approval in regular session, fiscal session, or special session and the execution of the Amendment 82 agreement, the Arkansas Development Finance Authority, on behalf of the state, may issue bonds under Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 82, and this subchapter, to be known as “Amendment 82 Bonds” in one (1) or more series up to the maximum principal amount approved by the General Assembly.

SECTION 33. Arkansas Code § 15-20-311(b), concerning the limitation on purchase of lands, is amended to read as follows:

(b) The commission shall not under any circumstance purchase in excess of eighty (80) acres in any such county in any one (1) year unless specifically authorized to do so by legislation enacted by the General Assembly at a regular session, fiscal session, or special session ~~thereof~~.

SECTION 34. Arkansas Code § 16-10-501(a), concerning the development of criteria for new judgeships or redistricting, is amended to read as follows:

(a) The Arkansas Judicial Council, hereinafter referred to as the "council", is authorized and directed to develop criteria for new judgeships or redistricting of the circuit court districts of this state and to make recommendations to the regular session, fiscal session, or special session of the General Assembly regarding the number and boundaries of the circuit court districts in the state, the number of judges in each of such districts, and such other matters regarding circuit courts in the state as it determines to be appropriate.

SECTION 35. Arkansas Code § 16-17-1002(b)(6)(C)(ii)(a), concerning the District Court Resource Assessment Board, is amended to read as follows:

(ii)(a) Evaluate the status of the vacated district court judgeship and make a recommendation to the General Assembly before the next regular session, fiscal session, or special session or during a current session.

SECTION 36. Arkansas Code § 16-90-802(e), concerning the duties of the Arkansas Sentencing Commission, is amended to read as follows:

(e)(1) The commission shall meet no less than quarterly.

(2)(A) The commission shall submit to the Governor, the General Assembly, and the Judicial Council a biennial report three (3) months prior to the convening of the ~~next regularly scheduled legislative~~ regular session.

(B) The report shall include a summary of the commission proceedings and recommendations for legislative and administrative action.

SECTION 37. Arkansas Code § 19-1-703(a), concerning fiscal impact statements, is amended to read as follows:

(a) Any bill filed in the House of Representatives or Senate that will impose a new or increased cost obligation for education on the state or any local school district shall have a fiscal impact statement attached to it, prepared by the author of the bill and filed with the chair of the committee to which the bill is referred:

(1) At least seven (7) days before the bill may be called up for final action in the committee during a regular session of the General Assembly; ~~and~~

(2) At least seven (7) days before the bill may be called up for final action in the committee during a fiscal session; and

(3) At least one (1) day before the bill may be called up for final action in the committee during a special session ~~of the General Assembly~~.

SECTION 38. Arkansas Code § 19-4-304 is amended to read as follows:

19-4-304. ~~Biennial~~ Regular and fiscal session preparations.

(a) Immediately after July 1 of each ~~even-numbered calendar~~ year, or earlier if determined necessary, the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration shall:

(1) Issue budget information forms, budget estimating instructions, and a budget calendar which has been approved by the Legislative Council, plus a budget policy letter from the Governor containing some or all of the following:

(A) Establishing maximum limitations on expenditures for the ~~biennium~~ year in which estimates are being requested;

(B) Setting out the policies which will determine the Governor's priorities in the allocation of available resources;

(C) Outlining the effects of economic changes pertaining to price levels, population changes, and pending federal legislation; and

(D) Containing a review of current fiscal conditions and a prognostication of fiscal conditions for the future;

(2)(A) Visit and inspect the properties and facilities of any or all state agencies and request the administrative head or any employee of the agency to appear before him or her to explain any matters concerning the budgetary and program requirements of the agency.

(B) If any agency fails or refuses to furnish any information with respect to budget estimates or program formulation, as and when it shall be requested by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, then he or she shall have the authority to prepare and submit his or her own recommendations as to the budgetary or program requirements of the agency;

(3) Assist agencies in the preparation of their budget proposals. This assistance may include:

(A) Technical assistance;

(B) Organization of materials;

(C) Centrally collected accounting, budgeting, personnel, and purchasing information standards and guidelines;

(D) Population and other required data; and

(E) Any other assistance that will help the agencies produce the information necessary for efficient agency management and decision making by the General Assembly and the Governor or the Governor-elect;

(4) Analyze the budget estimates to evaluate and assess the priority and accuracy of agency requests in relation to policy and program objectives and the financial condition of the state and make recommendations for modifications and revision of the budget request if, in their opinion, the facts before them would justify such proposed revisions. The Chief Fiscal Officer of the State in making recommended changes shall not alter the original request unless requested to do so by the administrative head of the agency affected but shall report the original request, together with his or her own recommendations and the reasons therefor, to the Governor, so that all agency budget estimates may be made available to the Governor or Governor-elect the Legislative Council, and the General Assembly for their consideration;

(5) Prepare an estimate of the general and special revenues for the next ~~biennial period~~ fiscal year, along with comparative data for the then-current fiscal year and past fiscal year; and

(6) Submit the budget studies, together with his or her recommendations, to the Legislative Council and to the Governor or Governor-elect for such further recommendations as the Governor or Governor-elect may care to make.

(b) The director shall submit the annual revenue forecast to the Legislative Council:

(1) By December 1 of the year preceding a fiscal session; and

(2) No later than sixty (60) days before the start of a regular session.

SECTION 39. Arkansas Code § 19-10-402(b), concerning claims against the state, is amended to read as follows:

(b) The General Assembly shall at each ~~biennial~~ session appropriate, from such sources as it may see fit, a sum sufficient to satisfy such claims as are or probably will be payable during the following fiscal ~~biennium~~ year under awards made under this section. The commission shall direct the distributions of this fund and make disbursements upon the vouchers issued against it.

SECTION 40. Arkansas Code § 21-5-206(2), concerning the duties of the Legislative Council, is amended to read as follows:

(2) Review the staffing levels of all agencies and institutions covered by the provisions of this subchapter and submit to the General Assembly, when in regular session, fiscal session, or special session, recommendations for revisions,

modifications, or additions thereto;

SECTION 41. Arkansas Code § 21-5-310 is amended to read as follows:

21-5-310. Expiration of positions — Request to continue.

(a) The positions authorized and the appropriations transferred under the authority of this subchapter shall expire at the end of the ~~biennial period~~ fiscal year in which they are established.

(b) Each agency or institution shall include in its ~~biennial~~ budget request presented to the Legislative Council any request to continue any emergency personal services authorized by this subchapter.

SECTION 42. Arkansas Code § 24-1-213 is amended to read as follows:

24-1-213. Studies and reports.

(a) The Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System shall make studies concerning the problem of old age, survivors' and disability insurance, and health insurance protection for employees of the state and its political subdivisions and studies concerning the operation of agreements made and plans approved under this subchapter.

(b) The system shall submit a report at the beginning of each regular ~~legislative~~ session covering the administration and operation of this subchapter during the preceding ~~fiscal year~~ two (2) fiscal years and including such recommendations and amendments to this subchapter as it considers proper.

SECTION 43. Arkansas Code § 24-7-410(c) is amended to read as follows:

(c) ~~The~~ Each year, the General Assembly shall~~, for each biennium at each regular session,~~ appropriate the amounts of money certified by the board as required to pay the proper administrative expenses of the system.

SECTION 44. Arkansas Code § 25-15-216(a), concerning the review of agency rules, is amended to read as follows:

(a) As soon as is practicable after each regular session and fiscal session of the General Assembly, each agency shall review any newly enacted laws to determine whether:

(1) Any existing rule should be repealed or amended; or

(2) Any new rule should be adopted.

SECTION 45. Arkansas Code § 25-16-201(b), concerning the reorganization of agencies to meet federal program requirements, is amended to read as follows:

(b) However, whenever any executive order may move from the jurisdiction of any office, department, institution, or other agency~~,~~ any authority or jurisdiction of the agency in effect at the time of the order, the order shall be subject to confirmation by the General Assembly in the next following regular session, fiscal session, or special session, and the General Assembly by joint resolution may rescind the executive order.

SECTION 46. Arkansas Code § 25-16-203 is amended to read as follows:

25-16-203. Reports to Governor — Inclusion in message to General Assembly.

The Auditor of State and Treasurer of State shall make their respective reports for each ~~biennial~~ regular session to the Governor on or before October 10 next preceding the regular ~~meeting~~ session of the General Assembly. The Governor shall cause the reports to be printed with his or her biennial message and have them ready for the General Assembly on or before the Wednesday of the first week of the regular session of the General Assembly.

SECTION 47. § 25-16-513 is amended to read as follows:

25-16-513. Biennial report.

(a) ~~It shall be the duty of the~~ The Auditor of State to shall digest and report to the Governor, ~~prior to~~ before the commencement of each session of the General Assembly:

(1) A full and detailed statement of the condition of the revenue and the amount of the expenditure for the ~~two (2)~~ preceding fiscal ~~years~~ year;

(2) A full and detailed statement of the public debt, if any;

(3) Estimates of the revenues and the amount of expenditures for the ~~two (2) succeeding~~ next fiscal ~~years~~ year;

(4) Any plans he or she may think expedient for the support of the public credit, for lessening the public expenses, for using the public money to the best advantage, for promoting economy in the public offices, and, generally, for the better management and more perfect understanding of the fiscal affairs of the state;

(5) A tabular statement showing separately the whole amount of each appropriation of money made by law, the amount paid under the appropriation, and the balance unexpended; and

(6) A tabular statement showing separately the amount of money received into the State Treasury from all sources in each fiscal year, the amount received from each county and from each source of revenue in each county.

(b) The Auditor of State is not required to report the railroad aid and levee bonds and what are known as the Holford bonds as part of the indebtedness of the State of Arkansas in his or her ~~biennial~~ report.

(c) It shall be the duty of the Auditor of State, in connection with the ~~biennial~~ report, to publish an accurate detailed statement of the receipts and expenditures of the public money~~,~~ or evidences of indebtedness, showing the several amounts paid, to whom paid, and on what account.

(d) The ~~biennial~~ report shall be made to the Governor on or before October 10 next preceding the regular ~~meeting of the General Assembly for each biennial session~~ session and fiscal session.

SECTION 48. Arkansas Code § 25-16-604 is amended to read as follows:

25-16-604. Duties generally.

It shall be the duty of the Treasurer of State:

(1) To receive and keep all the moneys of the state not expressly required by law to be kept by some other person;

(2) To disburse the public moneys upon warrants drawn upon the State Treasury according to law, and not otherwise;

(3) To keep a just, true, and comprehensive account of all moneys received and disbursed by him or her in books to be kept for that purpose, in which he or she shall state from whom moneys have been received and on what account and to whom and on what account disbursed;

(4) To keep a just and true account of each head of appropriation made by law and the disbursements under them;

(5) To render his or her accounts to the Auditor of State for settlement quarterly;

(6) To report to the Governor, on or before October 10 next preceding the ~~regular~~ meeting of the General Assembly for each ~~biennial~~ session, a statement of the condition of the State Treasury and its operations for the ~~two (2)~~ preceding ~~years~~ year. The ~~biennial~~ report shall be made to the Governor; and

(7) To perform all other duties which may be required of him or her by law.

SECTION 49. Arkansas Code § 25-17-204(c)(1), concerning the Senate confirmation of board members and appointees, is amended to read as follows:

(c)(1) Within twenty (20) days after the convening of the General Assembly in ~~regular~~ a regular session or a fiscal session, the Governor shall submit to the Senate

for confirmation the names of those board members and appointees who are by law required to be confirmed by the Senate."

(SIGNED) SENATOR RUTH WHITAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 820 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 817 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 817

Amend Senate Bill No. 817 as originally introduced:

Add the following as cosponsors of the bill:
Senators: J. Key, Altes, Bledsoe, Elliott, G. Jeffress

Representatives: Carnine, Moore, J. Roebuck, Davenport, Dale, Abernathy, Baird, Barnett, Betts, Blount, T. Bradford, Breedlove, J. Burris, Carter, Cheatham, Clemmer, Cole, Cook, Cooper, J. Dickinson, Dismang, J. Edwards, English, Garner, Glidewell, Hawkins, Hobbs, Hopper, House, Hoyt, Kidd, King, Lea, W. Lewellen, Lovell, S. Malone, M. Martin, McLean, Overbey, Patterson, Pennartz, Pyle, Ragland, Rice, T. Rogers, Saunders, Slinkard, Stewart, Summers, Tyler, Wagner, Woods, Word

AND

Page 1, line 10, delete "A SCHOOL DISTRICT" and substitute "AN ISOLATED SCHOOL DISTRICT”

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO PROHIBIT THE CONSOLIDATION OR ANNEXATION OF AN ISOLATED SCHOOL DISTRICT IF THE RESULTING SCHOOL DISTRICT WILL BE LARGER THAN ONE THOUSAND SQUARE MILES (1,000 SQ. MI.)."
AND
Delete everything following the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 20, Subchapter 6 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

6-20-606. Administrative consolidation or administrative annexation of isolated school districts.

The State Board of Education shall not administratively consolidate or administratively annex a school district that qualifies for funding under § 6-20-604(c)-(e) if the land mass of the resulting district or receiving district will exceed one thousand square miles (1,000 sq. mi.) after a consolidation or annexation under the Public Education Reorganization Act, § 6-13-1601 et seq."

(SIGNED) SENATOR RANDY LAVERTY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 817 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 5, BY SENATOR G. BAKER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Joint Resolution Bill No. 5 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
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March 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 108, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 817, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 852, BY SENATOR BROADWAY ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 971, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 108 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 817 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 852 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 971 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION

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March 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 176, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 176 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

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March 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 806, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 806 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

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March 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 820, BY SENATOR WHITAKER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Whitaker, Senate Bill No. 820 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

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March 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1634, BY REPRESENTATIVE STEWART,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1634 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, and without objection, the House was requested to return Senate Bill No. 163 for further consideration.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
ARKANSAS SENATE
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

March 18, 2009

Jo Renshaw
Chief Clerk
House of Representatives
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Renshaw:

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate of Senate Bill 163.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

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March 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 373, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 493, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 494, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 810, BY SENATOR HORN,
SENATE BILL NO. 872, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 873, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 947, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

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March 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 819, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

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March 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1019,
BY REPRESENTATIVE T. BAKER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

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March 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1568, BY REPRESENTATIVE HOBBS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1569, BY REPRESENTATIVE HOBBS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1576, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1967, BY REPRESENTATIVE WAGNER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1402, BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1983, BY REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

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March 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 9, BY SENATOR ALTES,
SENATE BILL NO. 836, BY SENATOR PRITCHARD,
SENATE BILL NO. 975, BY SENATOR J. KEY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER
CHAIRMAN

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 769, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER
CHAIRMAN

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1478, BY REPRESENTATIVE PATTERSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1624, BY REPRESENTATIVE DUNN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1831, BY REPRESENTATIVE T. ROGERS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1953, BY REPRESENTATIVE MOORE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1957, BY REPRESENTATIVE REEP,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER
CHAIRMAN

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March 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 87, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

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March 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 41, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 516, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 702, SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 801, SENATOR LUKER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
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March 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 410, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 779, BY SENATOR P. MALONE,
SENATE BILL NO. 788, BY SENATOR H. WILKINS

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended no. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

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March 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 515, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 882, BY SENATOR ALTES,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
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March 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1744, BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1833, BY REPRESENTATIVE POWERS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1901, BY REPRESENTATIVE SLINKARD,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
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March 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1414, BY REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1586, BY REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
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March 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 165, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 243, BY SENATOR FARRIS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
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March 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 138, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Malone, Senate Bill No. 460 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE

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Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 460

Amend Senate Bill No. 460 as engrossed, S3/12/09:

Page 1, line 34, delete "covered entity's"

AND

Page 1, line 36, delete "uses" and substitute "is funded by"

AND

Page 2, delete line 12 and substitute the following:
"services provided in connection with a pharmacy benefits plan or program or reporting expenditures for pharmacist services provided in connection with a pharmacy benefits plan or program, shall itemize by"

AND

Page 2, delete line 20 and substitute the following:
"(b) A PBM shall pay the amounts it receives for pharmacist services provided in connection with a pharmacy benefits plan or program to"

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 460 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 934 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 934

Amend Senate Bill No. 934 as engrossed, S3/12/09:

Add Representatives L. Cowling, House, Hawkins, McCrary, Pierce, J. Roebuck, Stewart, Tyler, Wagner, Webb, B. Wilkins as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID WYATT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 934 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 803 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

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Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 803

Amend Senate Bill No. 803 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 14 and substitute the following:
"the American Board of Industrial Hygiene;"

AND

Page 1, line 32, delete "(3)(A)" and substitute "(3)(A)(i)"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 35 and 36 and substitute the following:
"residential or commercial building.

(ii) "Mold investigation" does not include an employee of an insurance company or an adjuster when the employee or adjustor is adjusting a claim under an insurance policy.

(B) A service performed under subdivision (3)(A)(i) of this"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 27 through 29 and substitute the following:
"(d) This chapter does not apply to employees of the state performing work within the scope of their official duties."

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 803 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 993 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

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Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 993

Amend Senate Bill No. 993 as originally introduced:

Delete SECTION 1 and Substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Section 1 of Act 190 of 2009 is repealed.

~~SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 18, Chapter 16, Subchapter 1 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:~~

~~18-16-105. Termination of oral lease of farmlands.~~

~~The owner of farmlands that are rented or leased under an oral rental or lease agreement may elect not to renew the oral rental or lease agreement for the following calendar year by giving written notice by certified mail to the renter or~~

~~lessee on or before June 30 that the oral rental or lease agreement will not be renewed for the following calendar year.~~

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code Title 18, Chapter 16, Subchapter 1 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

18-16-105. Termination of oral lease of farmlands.

The owner of farmlands that are rented or leased under an oral rental or lease agreement may elect not to renew the oral rental or lease agreement for the following calendar year by giving written notice by certified mail to the renter or lessee on or before June 30 that the oral rental or lease agreement will not be renewed for the following calendar year.

SECTION 3. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that the traditional deadline for notice of the termination of a lease for the next crop year is June 30; that farmers operating under an oral lease are currently vulnerable to a demand for the surrender of their land; that the certainty of a farm lease of lands is necessary before the purchase of seed, fertilizer, equipment replacement, determination of the amount of a production loan, and advanced planning required for farming operations; and that this act will provide the necessary certainty to permit efficient farming operations. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or

(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

(SIGNED) SENATOR ROBERT THOMPSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 993 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 813 at this time.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 813 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

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Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 813

Amend Senate Bill No. 813 as originally introduced:

Page 30, delete lines 20 through 24 and substitute the following:

"~~(f)(1) Except as provided in subdivision (f)(2) of this section, after a period of thirty (30) days following certification of the election, all ballot stubs which were previously attached to marked ballots and all unmarked ballots may be destroyed as provided for the destruction of marked ballots in subsection (e) of this section.~~"

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 813 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 2112 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 2112

Amend House Bill No. 2112 as originally introduced:

Add Senators Horn and H. Wilkins as cosponsors of the bill

AND
Page 1, line 23, delete "law, rule, or directive" and substitute "law or rule"

AND

Page 1, line 27, delete "rule, order, or directive" and substitute "rule, or order"

AND

Page 2, line 2, delete "held on" and substitute "held under § 23-61-301 et seq. on"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 11 and 12 and substitute the following:
"after notice and opportunity for hearing:
(i) May affirm, modify, or vacate the order; and
(ii) Shall conduct the hearing within ten (10) days of the date a hearing is requested or ordered by the commissioner."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2112 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 1451 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1451

Amend House Bill No. 1451 as engrossed, S3/12/09:
Page 2, line 25, delete "not more than"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID WYATT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1451 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Key, House Bill No. 1751 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1751

Amend House Bill No. 1751 as engrossed, H3/12/09:

Page 2, line 25, delete "section; and" and substitute "section;"

AND

Page 2, line 26, delete "transport from" and substitute "transport, by ambulance or otherwise, from"

AND

Page 2, delete line 29, and substitute the following:
"regulating city; and

(C) To regulate all intracity patient transports by emergency medical service providers with a special purpose license issued by the Department of Health."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. KEY

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1751 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 312 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 312

Amend Senate Bill No. 312 as engrossed, S3/5/09:

Page 2, delete line 22 and substitute the following:
"Department of Health, shall develop rules based on guidelines for automated external"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 312, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Steele, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 312 at this time.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 312 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 312
As Engrossed: S3/5/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS STEELE, BROADWAY, CRUMBLY & LAVERTY
BY: REPRESENTATIVES ABERNATHY, ALLEN, GASKILL, GEORGE, HARRELSON, REEP, SAUNDERS, WILLIAMS, WORD, FLOWERS, CARROLL & T. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE "THE ANTONY HOBBS III ACT"; TO CREATE SCHOOL-BASED AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATOR AND CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 312 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 312 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Madison, House Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 1003 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1003

As Engrossed: H3/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH

BY: SENATOR MADISON

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION *CELEBRATING THE LIFE AND CONTRIBUTIONS, AND MOURNING THE PASSING OF, JAMES ROYCE JACKSON.*

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1003 was read the third time and concurred in by the House.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1003 was ordered returned to the House as concurred in.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 was returned from the House as requested.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 333 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Altes.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Elliott, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of discussion of Senate Bill No. 799.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 2
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS CAPPS AND GLOVER

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF MR. KERN TREAT, THE FORMER DIRECTOR OF THE BUREAU OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH, WHO FAITHFULLY SERVED THE MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR OVER FIFTY YEARS.

Senate Memorial Resolution No. 2 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Capps, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Memorial Resolution Bill No. 2 at this time.

On motion of Senator Capps, Senate Memorial Resolution No. 2 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 2
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS CAPPS AND GLOVER

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF MR. KERN TREAT, THE FORMER DIRECTOR OF THE BUREAU OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH, WHO FAITHFULLY SERVED THE MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR OVER FIFTY YEARS.

Senate Memorial Resolution No. 2. was read third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 830 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 830

As Engrossed: S3/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: TO ALLOW MUNICIPALITIES TO REGULATE NONCONSENSUAL TOWING AND STORAGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 830 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 830, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 830 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 878 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 878
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADD A LAY MEMBER TO THE PROFESSIONAL BAIL BONDSMAN LICENSING BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 878 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 878 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 988 at this time.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 988 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 988

Amend Senate Bill No. 988 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 10, delete "BOARD OF CORRECTION" and substitute "PAROLE BOARD"

AND

Page 1, line 14, delete "BOARD OF CORRECTION" and substitute "PAROLE BOARD"

AND

Page 2, line 3, add a new section to read as follows:
"SECTION 2. Do Not Codify. This act shall be implemented as vacancies occur on the Parole Board."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOBBY GLOVER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 988 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 26 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 26

As Engrossed: S3/12/09 S3/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS T. SMITH, *SALMON, BROADWAY, TRUSTY, J. TAYLOR, STEELE, MILLER, P. MALONE, BOOKOUT, B. JOHNSON, G. BAKER, BRYLES, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HORN, J. JEFFRESS, G. JEFFRESS, LAVERTY, MADISON, WILKINSON & D. WYATT*

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WILLS, J. ROEBUCK, M. BURRIS, ABERNATHY, REEP, MALOCH, ALLEN, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BLOUNT, J. BROWN, CARNINE, CARROLL, CASH, CHEATHAM, COOK, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, GASKILL, GEORGE, R. GREEN, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOUSE, HOYT, HYDE, KIDD, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MOORE, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, RAGLAND, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WOODS, WORD, COLE & POWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS SCHOLARSHIP LOTTERY ACT; TO ESTABLISH, OPERATE, AND REGULATE STATE LOTTERIES AS AUTHORIZED BY THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION; TO SUPPLEMENT HIGHER EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIPS WITH NET PROCEEDS FROM THE STATE LOTTERY; TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXCHANGE OF DATA NEEDED TO EVALUATE STATE-SUPPORTED STUDENT FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

Senator Smith closed for the Bill.

Senate Bill No. 26 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 26, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 26 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 781 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 781

As Engrossed: S3/10/09 S3/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS MOTOR VEHICLE COMMISSION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 781 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 781 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 781, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 781 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 923 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 923
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS LAWS CONCERNING ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 923 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Trusty.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 923, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Trusty.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 923 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 192 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 192

As Engrossed: S3/4/09 S3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF ABSENTEE VOTING LAWS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 192 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 192 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 936 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 936
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE GUIDANCE TO COUNTY LIBRARIES CONCERNING ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENT 38; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 936 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 936 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 937 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 937
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ASSESSMENT PROCEDURE FOR CERTAIN FIRE IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 937 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 937 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 897 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 897

As Engrossed: S3/11/09 S3/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE A PROCEDURE FOR COUNTIES THAT DO NOT HAVE ROAD MAINTENANCE AGREEMENTS TO USE SO THAT THEY ARE COMPENSATED FOR ANTICIPATED DAMAGE CAUSED BY THE TRANSPORTATION OF HEAVY LOADS OF MATERIALS AND PRODUCTION FLUIDS FROM OIL AND GAS EXPLORATION TO LOCAL PUBLIC ROADS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 897 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 897, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 897 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 989 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 989
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MAKEUP OF THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF CORRECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 989 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 989 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 3 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 3

As Engrossed: S3/5/09 S3/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF A SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE FOR COLD WAR VETERANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 3 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 3 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1912 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1912
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARDY, W. LEWELLEN & HAWKINS
BY: SENATORS H. WILKINS, ALTES, G. BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, HORN, B. JOHNSON, P. MALONE, T. SMITH & TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-86-106 TO REGULATE GROUP ACCIDENT AND HEALTH INSURANCE ASSOCIATIONS; TO REQUIRE A GROUP ACCIDENT AND HEALTH INSURANCE ASSOCIATION TO REGISTER WITH THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER BEFORE ISSUING A GROUP ACCIDENT AND HEALTH INSURANCE POLICY TO THE ASSOCIATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1912 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1912 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1916 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1916

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HAWKINS, HYDE, INGRAM, GLIDEWELL, HARDY, W. LEWELLEN

BY: SENATORS H. WILKINS, ALTES, G. BAKER, BOOKOUT, HORN & T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-79-153 TO INCLUDE POLICIES COVERING ONLY SPECIFIED DISEASE, HOSPITAL INDEMNITY, OR OTHER LIMITED BENEFIT HEALTH INSURANCE POLICIES WHEN POOLING THE EXPERIENCE OF A CLOSED BLOCK OF BUSINESS TO DETERMINE PREMIUM RATE INCREASES; TO REVISE THE PROCEDURES FOR DETERMINING A CLOSED BLOCK OF BUSINESS AND PREMIUM RATE INCREASES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1916 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1916 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1917 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1917
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HAWKINS AND HARDY
BY: SENATORS H. WILKINS, ALTES, G. BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, HORN, B. JOHNSON, P. MALONE, T. SMITH & TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT UNFAIR METHODS OF COMPETITION AND UNFAIR OR DECEPTIVE TRADE PRACTICES BY SELLERS OF PREPAID FUNERAL BENEFITS CONTRACTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1917 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1917 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1936 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1936
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HYDE, HARDY, W. LEWELLEN, INGRAM, GLIDEWELL & HAWKINS
BY: SENATORS H. WILKINS, ALTES, G. BAKER, HORN & T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT ABUSES IN THE REPLACEMENT OF LIFE INSURANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1936 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1936 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1944 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1944
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HYDE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY LANGUAGE REGARDING INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1944 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1944 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1964 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1964
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE KING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ARKANSAS YOUNG AND BEGINNING FARMER ADVISORY BOARD TO LOCATE ITS OFFICES WITHIN THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1964 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1964 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Bill No. 2247 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

On motion of Senator Glover, House Bill No. 1946 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1946
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE T. ROGERS AND COLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING APPOINTMENTS TO THE ARKANSAS RURAL DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1946 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1946 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 460, BY SENATOR P. MALONE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Malone, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Malone, Senate Bill No. 460 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 460
As Engrossed: S2/25/09 S3/12/09 S3/18/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS P. MALONE, ALTES, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, GLOVER, HENDREN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, J. KEY, LUKER, MADISON, MILLER, SALMON, T. SMITH, J. TAYLOR, TEAGUE, R. THOMPSON, H. WILKINS, D. WYATT & *WHITAKER*

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MAXWELL, ABERNATHY, T. BAKER, BETTS, T. BRADFORD, J. BROWN, CARROLL, CASH, CHEATHAM, COLE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, EVERETT, GASKILL, HARRELSON, HOUSE, HYDE, KIDD, LEA, LOWERY, MCLEAN, NIX, PATTERSON, PIERCE, POWERS, REEP, J. ROEBUCK, J. ROGERS, T. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SHELBY, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, WAGNER, WEBB, B. WILKINS & WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT REGARDING STATE FUNDED PHARMACY BENEFIT PLANS; AND* FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 460 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Laverty.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 460 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, House Bill No. 1329 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1329

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY COUNTY REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING CHECKS AND ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1329 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1329 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 2021 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2021
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ISSUANCE OF BONDS BY MUNICIPALITIES AND COUNTIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2021 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2021 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1876 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1876
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE INVESTOR PROTECTION TAKEOVER ACT, § 23-43-101 et seq.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1876 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1876 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1877 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1877
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS SECURITIES ACT, § 23-42-101 ET SEQ.; TO REGULATE SECURITIES LAW ADMINISTRATION, REGISTRATION, SANCTIONS, BOND REQUIREMENTS, AND EXAMINATION FEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1877 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1877 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Taylor, House Bill No. 2193 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2193
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PYLE AND WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO DESIGNATE THE CYNTHIANA GRAPE AS THE OFFICIAL GRAPE OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2193 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2193 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1880 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1880
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE SECURITIES COMMISSIONER TO SET BOND REQUIREMENTS FOR THE COMMISSIONER'S LICENSEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1880 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1880 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, House Bill No. 1552 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1552

As Engrossed: H3/4/09 S3/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. SMITH, ADCOCK, BLOUNT, J. ROEBUCK, TYLER, WAGNER & WEBB

BY: SENATORS MADISON, ELLIOTT & SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE EMPLOYERS TO PROVIDE UNPAID BREAK TIME AND REASONABLE LOCATIONS FOR EXPRESSING BREAST MILK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1552 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Capps, Elliott, Glover, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, D. Wyatt.

Total 20

NEGATIVE: Altes, Hendren, B. Pritchard.

Total 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bryles, Crumbly, Faris, J. Key, Laverty, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson.

Total 12

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....23

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1552 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1832 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1832
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CARTER
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING DESIGN PROFESSIONAL CONTRACTS UNDER ARKANSAS BUILDING AUTHORITY GUIDELINES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1832 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1832 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 2031 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2031
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY AND HOYT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING SUITS AGAINST PUBLIC FACILITIES BOARDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2031 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2031 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Key, House Bill No. 1584 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1584
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WOODS, M. BURRIS, CARROLL, GEORGE, LEA, NICKELS, NIX, PENNARTZ, RAGLAND, WELLS & WILLIAMS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND A CIVIL SERVICE STATUTE FOR POLICE AND FIRE DEPARTMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1584 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1584 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 2247 at this time.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Bill No. 2247 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 2247

Amend House Bill No. 2247 as originally introduced:
Page 1, delete lines 35 and 36

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2247 was ordered engrossed.

Senate Bill No. 163 was returned from the House as requested.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 82 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 82 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 82

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STUDENT LOAN AUTHORITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 82 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 82, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 82 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 93 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 93 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 93

As Engrossed: S1/22/09 S2/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF NURSING FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 93 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 93, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 93 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 153 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 153 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 153
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL ENFORCEMENT DIVISION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 153 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 153, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 153 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 193 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 193 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 193
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 193 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 193, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 193 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 244 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 244 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 244
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE ARKANSAS MINORITY HEALTH COMMISSION FOR THE MINORITY HEALTH INITIATIVE OF THE TARGETED STATE NEEDS PROGRAMS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 244 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 244, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 244 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 263 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 263 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 263

As Engrossed: S3/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE PAYMENT OF A PORTION OF FULL-TIME JUVENILE PROBATION AND INTAKE OFFICERS' SALARIES *AND FOR PAYING PERSONAL SERVICES FOR DRUG COURT JUVENILE PROBATION AND INTAKE OFFICERS* FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 263 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 263, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 263 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 412 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 412 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 412

As Engrossed: S3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 412 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 412, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 412 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 413 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 413 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 413

As Engrossed: S3/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SAU-TECH FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 413 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 413, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 413 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 414 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 414 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 414

As Engrossed: S3/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SOUTH ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 414 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 414, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 414 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 415 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 415 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 415

As Engrossed: S3/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL ARKANSAS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 415 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 415, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 415 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 419 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 419 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 419
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SOUTHEAST ARKANSAS COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 419 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 419, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 419 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 420 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 420 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 420

As Engrossed: S3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT BATESVILLE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 420 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 420, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 420 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 421 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 421 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 421

As Engrossed: S3/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - BEEBE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 421 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 421, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 421 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 422 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 422 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 422

As Engrossed: S3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 422 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 422, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 422 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 423 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 423 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 423

As Engrossed: S3/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OUACHITA TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 423 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 423, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 423 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 424 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 424 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 424

As Engrossed: S3/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - NEWPORT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 424 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 424, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 424 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 425 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 425 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 425

As Engrossed: S3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT MORRILTON FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 425 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 425, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 425 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 525 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 525 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 525
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR ARKANSAS MINIMUM WAGE LAW ENFORCEMENT BY THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 89 OF 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 525 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 525, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 525 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1531 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1531 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1531

As Engrossed: S3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE PHILLIPS COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1531 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1531, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1531 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 389 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 389 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 389
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION - ARKANSAS REHABILITATION SERVICES FOR MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, EQUIPPING, CONSTRUCTION, ACQUISITION, IMPROVEMENT, UPGRADE AND REPAIR PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 389 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 389, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 389 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 400 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 400 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 400
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION OFFICE FOR GEOSTOR AND TO UPDATE THE STATE'S AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY DATABASE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 400 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 400, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 400 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 438 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 438 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 438

As Engrossed: S2/24/09 S3/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR VARIOUS CAPITAL PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 438 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 438, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 438 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1497 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1497 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1497
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE STATE MILITARY DEPARTMENT FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1497 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1497, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1497 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1498 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1498 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1498
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS DEPARTMENT-WIDE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1498 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1498, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1498 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1499 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1499 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1499
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1499 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1499, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1499 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1501 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1501 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1501

As Engrossed: H2/27/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION *AND THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION* FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS, DEFERRED MAINTENANCE, CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, EQUIPMENT, LIBRARY HOLDINGS AND OTHER PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1501 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1501, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1501 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1502 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1502 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1502
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - EDUCATIONAL TELEVISION DIVISION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1502 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1502, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1502 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1503 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1503 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1503
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1503 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1503, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1503 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1504 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1504 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1504
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1504 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1504, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1504 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1505 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1505 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1505
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR MAJOR MAINTENANCE AND STATE MOTOR VEHICLE ACQUISITION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1505 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1505, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1505 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1506 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1506 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1506
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDARDS AND TRAINING FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1506 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1506, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1506 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1507 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1507 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1507
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS CRIME INFORMATION CENTER FOR DB2 CONVERSION AND SECURITY OF AGENCY CAPITAL PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1507 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1507, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1507 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1508 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1508 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1508

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR VARIOUS MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, EQUIPPING, CONSTRUCTION, ACQUISITION, IMPROVEMENT, UPGRADE AND REPAIR PROJECTS, FLEET ROTATION PLAN, AWIN BUILDING/TOWER REPLACEMENT, AND AWIN ZONE CONTROLLER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1508 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1508, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1508 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1509 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1509 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1509
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION FOR MEDICAL SERVICES RISK POOL DEPOSIT, GENERAL MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, EQUIPMENT, AND ROOF REPAIRS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1509 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1509, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1509 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1510 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1510 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1510

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION FOR MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, REPAIR, EQUIPPING, ACQUISITION, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENT, EXPANSION, LEASE PAYMENTS, MEDICAL SERVICES RISK POOL DEPOSIT, NORTHWEST ARKANSAS WORK RELEASE CENTER, VARIOUS INDUSTRY AND FARM PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1510 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1510, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1510 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1511 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1511 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1511
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1511 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1511, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1511 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1512 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1512 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1512
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1512 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1512, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1512 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1513 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1513 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1513
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1513 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1513, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1513 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1514 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1514 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1514
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE CROWLEY'S RIDGE TECHNICAL INSTITUTE FOR MAJOR MAINTENANCE OR REPAIR OF EXISTING FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1514 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1514, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1514 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1515 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1515 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1515

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE NORTHWEST TECHNICAL INSTITUTE FOR MAJOR MAINTENANCE OR REPAIR OF EXISTING FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1515 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1515, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1515 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1516 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1516 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1516
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS FOR PROJECTS FOR ALL STATE-OWNED REAL PROPERTY AND FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1516 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1516, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1516 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1548 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1548 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1548
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1548 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1548, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1548 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 144 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 144

Amend Senate Bill No. 144 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 3 through 30 in their entirety and substitute the following:

"(1)	Q133U GOV OFC CHIEF LEGAL COUNSEL	1	$123,616
(2)	Q123U GOV OFC EXECUTIVE SECRETARY	1	
	$115,971		
(3)	Q022U GOV OFC SR MANAGEMENT ASSISTANT III	1	$108,601
(4)	Q111U GOV OFC SR MANAGEMENT ASSISTANT II	1	$103,014
(5)	Q122U GOV OFC SR MANAGEMENT ASSISTANT	1	$98,018
(6)	Q081U GOV OFC SR EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT	6	$87,987
(7)	Q050U GOV OFC EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT II	1	$75,405
(8)	Q080U GOV OFC EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT II	1	$75,397
(9)	Q108U GOV OFC EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT I	1	$74,089
(10)	Q120U GOV OFC EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT I	4	$70,511
(11)	Q079U GOV OFC SPECIAL ASSISTANT III	1	$70,511
(12)	Q068U GOV OFC MANAGEMENT SPECIALIST II	2	$70,511
(13)	Q078U GOV OFC SPECIAL ASSISTANT II	5	$61,654
(14)	Q077U GOV OFC MANAGEMENT SPECIAL ASSTI	2	$57,235
(15)	Q116U GOV OFC SECRETARY TO THE GOVERNOR	1	$53,246
(16)	Q048U GOV OFC MANAGEMENT ASSISTANT I	2	$52,052
(17)	Q121U GOV OFC MANAGER OFFICER ADMIN	1	$50,710
(18)	Q021U GOV OFC GRANTS COORDINATOR	1	$49,702
(19)	Q115U GOV OFC ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT III	5	$48,800
(20)	Q049U GOV OFC SECRETARY	1	$46,485
(21)	Q118U GOV OFC MANAGEMENT ASSISTANT I	1	$44,367
(22)	Q117U GOV OFC ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT I	11	$43,722
(23)	Q076U GOV OFC ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT	1	$41,640
(24)	Q114U GOV OFC ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT II	1	$39,689
(25)	Q119U GOV OFC MANAGEMENT ASSISTANT	2	$39,297
(26)	Q109U GOV OFC ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT II	3	$37,136
(27)	Q020U GOV OFC ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANT	2	$34,444
	MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	60"	

AND

Page 3, line 11, delete "$ 3,556,397" and substitute "$ 3,645,925"

AND

Page 3, line 13, delete "1,071,746" and substitute "1,096,265"

AND

Page 3, line 20, delete " $ 5,420,949" and substitute " $ 5,534,995"

(SIGNED) GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 144 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 204 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 204

Amend Senate Bill No. 204 as originally introduced:

Page 3, line 6, delete "166,703" and substitute "186,832"

And

Page 3, line 14, delete "$ 1,763,088" and substitute "$ 1,783,217"

(SIGNED) GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 204 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 803, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 934, BY SENATOR WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 993, BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 813, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 988, BY SENATOR GLOVER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 813 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

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On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 988 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

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ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1451, BY REPRESENTATIVE HOYT ET AL,
BY SENATOR BRYLES ET AL,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1751, BY REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2112, BY REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS AND
REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 2247, BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Luker, House Bill No. 2247 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Senate Bill No. 76 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 260 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 318 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 356 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 369 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 393 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 448 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 468 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 582 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 764 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 800 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 824 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 866 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 966 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 1002 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 198 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 362 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 404 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 658 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 676 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 20
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

TO HONOR THE 1994 UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS RAZORBACK NCAA DIVISION I NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP BASKETBALL TEAM.

Senate Resolution No. 20 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1002

As Engrossed: H3/12/09 H3/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WILLS, *REEP, MALOCH, J. ROEBUCK, M. BURRIS, ABERNATHY, ALLEN, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BLOUNT, J. BROWN, CARNINE, CARROLL, CASH, CHEATHAM, COOK, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, GASKILL, GEORGE, R. GREEN, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOUSE, HOYT, HYDE, KIDD, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MOORE, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, RAGLAND, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WOODS, WORD, COLE & POWERS*

BY: SENATORS T. SMITH, SALMON, BROADWAY, TRUSTY, BOOKOUT, B. JOHNSON, STEELE, G. BAKER, BRYLES, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HORN, J. JEFFRESS, G. JEFFRESS, LAVERTY, MADISON, P. MALONE, MILLER, J. TAYLOR, WILKINSON & D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS SCHOLARSHIP LOTTERY ACT; TO ESTABLISH, OPERATE, AND REGULATE STATE LOTTERIES AS AUTHORIZED BY THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION; TO SUPPLEMENT HIGHER EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIPS WITH NET PROCEEDS FROM THE STATE LOTTERY; TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXCHANGE OF DATA NEEDED TO EVALUATE STATE-SUPPORTED STUDENT FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1002 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

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Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1764
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. HUTCHINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXPAND REPORTING OF POSTSECONDARY REMEDIATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1764 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1842
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES STEWART, COOK, PIERCE, J. ROEBUCK, PENNARTZ & ENGLISH
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION TO ISSUE GOLD STAR FAMILY SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES FOR THE SPOUSE OR PARENT OF A MEMBER OF THE ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES WHO HAS BEEN KILLED IN A CONFLICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1842 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

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Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1865
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT MOTOR VEHICLE SERVICE AND HANDLING FEES MAY BE CHARGED ONLY IN CONNECTION WITH A SALE OR LEASE, OR MODIFICATION, EXTENSION, OR RENEWAL THEREOF, OF A MOTOR VEHICLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1865 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

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Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1904
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCCRARY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE INSURANCE PROTECTION FOR RAILROAD EMPLOYEES TRANSPORTED BY CONTRACT CARRIERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1904 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1924

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MAXWELL, J. BURRIS, DUNN, J. ROGERS, WEBB, *CARROLL, J. EDWARDS, D. HUTCHINSON, KERR, KIDD, S. MALONE & MCLEAN*

BY: SENATORS TRUSTY, GLOVER & T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADD A FEE ON THE BUYER AT A SALVAGE AUCTION; TO PROVIDE THAT THE FEE GOES TO THE INSPECTION AND OVERSIGHT OF AUTO AUCTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1924 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

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Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1996

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, J. BURRIS, T. BRADFORD, CHEATHAM, J. DICKINSON, NIX & STEWART

BY: SENATORS J. JEFFRESS AND BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE OPPORTUNITY FOR SCHOOL COUNSELORS TO BECOME SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1996 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2081
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL CERTAIN TAX CREDITS FOR BIOTECHNOLOGY AND ADVANCED FUELS; TO REPEAL THE ARKANSAS EMERGING TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 1999; TO AMEND THE CONSOLIDATED INCENTIVE ACT OF 2003; TO ADDRESS ELIGIBLE BUSINESSES; TO ESTABLISH A TIME FRAME FOR MEETING ELIGIBILITY; TO LIMIT THE ABILITY TO COMBINE INCENTIVES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2081 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2257
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE HEALTH SERVICES AGENCY ACT TO ADJUST THE EXPENDITURE LIMIT FOR ALTERATIONS OR RENOVATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2257 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1473

As Engrossed: H3/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE, MAXWELL, ADCOCK, GARNER, ENGLISH, MCLEAN, J. DICKINSON, BARNETT, T. BAKER, J. BROWN, GEORGE, R. GREEN, HOUSE, HOYT, INGRAM, KIDD, NIX, PYLE, RAGLAND, G. SMITH, SUMMERS, B. WILKINS, LEA & *CLEMMER*

BY: SENATORS BROADWAY AND *MILLER*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO BE KNOWN AS JULI'S LAW; TO PROVIDE FOR THE COLLECTION OF A DNA SAMPLE FOLLOWING AN ARREST OR A CRIMINAL CHARGE FOR CERTAIN OFFENSES; TO ESTABLISH PROCEDURES FOR THE COLLECTION, MAINTENANCE, AND DISSEMINATION OF DNA SAMPLES SUBMITTED FOLLOWING AN ARREST OR A CRIMINAL CHARGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1473 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1633

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF FOSTER PARENTS AND PREADOPTIVE PARENTS REGARDING CONSENT TO MEDICAL TREATMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1633 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1853
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE PAYMENT AND COLLECTION OF FINES, COSTS AND RESTITUTION; TO REPEAL ARKANSAS CODE § 21-6-401(d) AS MAY BE ENACTED BY HOUSE BILL 1353 OF 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1853 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1985
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CLEMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY LIABILITY FOR FAILURE TO RECEIVE WRITTEN APPROVAL FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES BEFORE DISPOSING OF FUNDS THAT SHOULD BE HELD FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF MEDICAID COSTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1985 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2052
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE SUFFICIENT DEPOSITS INTO A CEMETERY COMPANY'S PERMANENT MAINTENANCE FUND; TO DEFINE A LAWN CRYPT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2052 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2055
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE CEMETERY ACT FOR PERPETUALLY MAINTAINED CEMETERIES, § 20-17-1001 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2055 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2264
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE AN ARREST WITHOUT A WARRANT IF AN INDIVIDUAL'S ABILITY TO PLACE A TELEPHONE CALL IN CERTAIN EMERGENCIES IS HINDERED OR PREVENTED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2264 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1183
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL DIVISION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1183 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1185
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE MEDICAID EXPANSION PROGRAM FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1185 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1523
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1523 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1524
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - MOUNTAIN HOME FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1524 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1525
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - ARKANSAS BIOSCIENCES INSTITUTE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1525 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1526
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE RICH MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1526 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1527
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE EAST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1527 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1528
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT HOPE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1528 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1529
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE BLACK RIVER TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1529 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1530
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - FORT SMITH FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1530 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1532
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1532 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1533
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE NATIONAL PARK COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1533 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1534
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OZARKA COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1534 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1535
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE MID-SOUTH COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1535 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1536
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SOUTHERN ARKANSAS UNIVERSITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1536 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1537
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE NORTH ARKANSAS COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1537 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1538
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS NORTHEASTERN COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1538 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1539
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE NORTHWEST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1539 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1540
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1540 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1541
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE COSSATOT COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1541 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1542
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1542 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1777

As Engrossed: H3/13/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE AUDITOR OF STATE OPERATIONS AND UNCLAIMED PROPERTY PROGRAM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1777 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1813

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1813 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 18, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 144, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 204, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 144 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 204 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE

AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 3

SENATE BILL NO. 26

SENATE BILL NO. 82

SENATE BILL NO. 93

SENATE BILL NO. 153

SENATE BILL NO. 192

SENATE BILL NO. 193

SENATE BILL NO. 244

SENATE BILL NO. 263

SENATE BILL NO. 389

SENATE BILL NO. 400

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On motion of Senator Smith, the Senate adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Thursday, March 19, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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SIXTY-SEVENTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

March 19, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 11:00 o'clock a.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Bishop Steven Arnold, St. Mark Baptist Church, Little Rock, Arkansas.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

Leave requested for Senator Thompson by Senator David Johnson.

Leave granted.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of SENATOR MADISON, Senate Bill No. 903 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 903

Amend Senate Bill No. 903 as originally introduced:

Delete Section 1 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 18, is amended to add an additional subchapter to read as follows:

6-18-1701. Title.

This subchapter shall be known as the “International Student Exchange Visitor Placement Organization Registration Act".

6-18-1702. Legislative findings.

The General Assembly finds that:

(1) Many international student exchange visitor placement organizations have been established to provide students from other countries the opportunity to share their histories, languages, and cultures with their counterparts in this state;

(2) International exchange programs give the state’s students and school faculty the opportunity to share their histories, languages, and cultures with foreign students;

(3) Arkansas's own former United States Senator James William Fulbright championed efforts to establish international exchange programs, the most famous of which bears his name, the "Fulbright Fellowships"; and

(4) This subchapter is necessary to provide a registration procedure and process for these organizations in order to make information concerning these organizations accessible to the people of Arkansas.

6-18-1703. Definitions.

As used in this subchapter:

(1) "International student exchange visitor placement organization" or "organization" means a person, partnership, corporation, or other entity that regularly arranges the placement of international student exchange visitors for the purpose, in whole or in part, of allowing the student an opportunity to attend school in the United States; and

(2) "Representative" means a natural person who is responsible on behalf of an international student exchange visitor placement organization for:

(A) The selection of a suitable host family for the placement of a foreign exchange student;

(B) The enrollment of a foreign exchange student in a local public or private school; and

(C) The periodic monitoring of the foreign exchange student and his or her living conditions and educational progress.

6-18-1704. Compliance required.

An international student exchange visitor placement organization shall not place a foreign exchange student with a host family or in a public or private school in this state without complying with this subchapter.

6-18-1705. Rules.

The Secretary of State shall adopt by rule necessary regulations concerning the registration of international student exchange visitor placement organizations for the implementation of this subchapter.

6-18-1706. International student exchange visitor placement organization - Registration.

(a)(1)(A) An international student exchange visitor placement organization that proposes to place a foreign exchange student in a public or private school in this state shall submit an application for a certificate of registration with the Secretary of State by January 1 immediately preceding the next regular school year in which the organization proposes to place a foreign exchange student.

(B) The Secretary of State shall issue a certificate of registration to the organization by February 1 if the application is in order, otherwise the application shall be returned to the organization with resubmission instructions.

(2)(A) For the purpose of service of process and service of notices, an international student exchange visitor placement organization shall provide the name, address, and telephone number of an officer or employee of the organization authorized to receive and accept service of process and service of notices.

(B) If service of process and service of notices cannot be reasonably given to the officer as provided by the organization, service of process and service of notices shall be effected by service upon the Secretary of State who shall make a reasonable effort to contact and provide any process and notices to the organization.

(b) An application for registration as an international student exchange visitor placement organization shall be submitted in the form prescribed by the Secretary of State. The application shall include:

(1) The name, address, and telephone number of the organization, its chief executive officer, and the person within the organization who has primary responsibility for supervising placements within the state.

(2) The organization's unified business identification number if any;

(3) Evidence of Council on Standards for International Educational Travel listing if any;

(4) The organization’s federal income tax exemption status;

(5) A statement of compliance declaring that all monetary and nonmonetary compensation paid to employees who are residents of Arkansas has been reported in accordance with current state income tax law.

(6) A list of the organization's placements in Arkansas for the previous academic year, including the number of students placed, their home countries, the school districts in which they were placed if placed in a public school or the private school in which they were placed, and the length of time of their placements;

(7) The organization’s most recent brochure describing its programs;

(8) Evidence of the organization’s health and accident insurance;

(9) The names, addresses, and telephone numbers of the organization’s local representatives for Arkansas; and

(10) Any other information the Secretary of State determines is necessary for his or her examination of the request by the organization.

(c) The application must be signed by the chief executive officer of the organization and the person within the organization who has primary responsibility for supervising placements within Arkansas.

(d) Organizations that have registered shall inform the Secretary of State of any changes in the information required under subsection (b) of this section within thirty (30) days of the change.

(e)(1) Registration is valid for one (1) year and may be renewed annually.

(2) Organizations registering for the first time in Arkansas must pay an initial registration fee of one hundred fifty dollars ($150).

(3) The fee to renew a registration is fifty dollars ($50) per year.

(f) Fees collected by the Secretary of State under this section shall be deposited into the State Treasury and credited to the General Revenue Fund.

(g) The information provided the Secretary of State under this section is a public record and shall be open to inspection and copying by any citizen of the State of Arkansas during the regular business hours of the Secretary of State's office.

(h) Registration shall not be considered or be represented as an endorsement of the organization by the Secretary of State or the State of Arkansas.

(i)(1) Only an international student exchange visitor placement organization for students from other countries to attend a public or private school approved by the United States Department of State may be considered for approval.

(2) Only an international student exchange visitor placement organization on the Advisory list of the Council on Standards for International Educational Travel may be considered for approval.

(j) An international student exchange visitor placement organization shall have a local representative who lives within one hundred twenty (120) miles of his or her assigned students, and who bears responsibility for the organization and its participants in Arkansas.

(k)(1) An international student exchange visitor placement organization shall not place a foreign exchange student in a home or seek admission of a student in a public or private school until the international student exchange visitor placement organization has been registered with the Secretary of State for that school year.

(2) Each year, the Secretary of State shall publish a list of international student exchange visitor placement organizations registered to place foreign exchange students in host homes.

(3) Unless the Secretary of State determines that an application for registration does not comply with the filing requirements of this chapter, the Secretary of State, upon payment of all filing fees, shall file the application, prepare, sign, and file a certificate of registration, and send a copy of the filed certificate of registration with a receipt for the fees to the organization.

6-18-1707. Informational document.

International student exchange visitor placement organizations that provide services to place students in this state shall provide prior to arrival to each student, host family, and school principal of the school in which the student is being placed, an informational document in English that shall include the following:

(1) An explanation of the services to be performed by the organization for the student, host family, and school district, which shall include:

(A) The name, address, and telephone number of the local representative of the placement organization and the local representative's immediate superior; and

(B) The responsibilities and duties of the local representative of the placement organization and the local representative's immediate superior;

(2) A copy of this subchapter; and

(3)(A) Telephone numbers and email addresses that the student, host family, and school district may use for assistance, which shall include the telephone numbers and email addresses of the following organizations:

(i) The United States Department of State; and

(ii) The Council on Standards for International Educational Travel.

(B) The telephone numbers shall include, at a minimum, a telephone number for the organization and the telephone numbers of the organization's national headquarters if any.

6-18-1708. Violations.

An organization that fails to register as required by this subchapter or that submits false or incorrect information to the Secretary of State in filing statements required by this subchapter, whether or not the statement or report is verified, shall be prohibited from placing students in this state during the following academic year."

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 903 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator FARIS, Senate Bill No. 190 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 190

Amend Senate Bill No. 190 as originally introduced:

Delete SECTION 3 in its entirety and appropriately renumber the remaining sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 190 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 342 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 342

Amend Senate Bill No. 342 as engrossed, S2/17/09:

Add Representative Rainey as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR WILKINS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 342 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 885 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 885

Amend Senate Bill No. 885 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 10, delete "HIGHER EDUCATION" and substitute "HIGHER EDUCATION FOR UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO CREATE AN INTERIM STUDY OF THE
AFFORDABILITY OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR
UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS IN THIS STATE."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute:

"WHEREAS, in recent years, due to the rising costs of higher education, state-supported colleges anniversities in Arkansas have increased undergraduate tuition rates and fees by an average that is greater than the rate of inflation; and

WHEREAS, higher education's growing reliance on funding budgets from tuition is causing an increasingly disproportionate financial burden on students and their families; and

WHEREAS, a study is needed to identify the factors influencing the affordability of higher education in this state and to seek ways to address the rising cost of tuition, fees, and other student costs,

NOW THEREFORE
BE IT PROPOSED BY THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:

THAT the Senate Committee on Education study issues relating to the affordability of an undergraduate education in this state, including without limitation the:

(1) Tuition-setting policies of state-supported two-year and four-year colleges and universities;

(2) Resident and nonresident tuition, all student fees, student room and board costs, and other student costs for undergraduate students attending a state-supported two-year or four-year college or university;

(3) Reasons for rising tuition rates, student fees, cost of textbooks, and other student costs;

(4) State's share of funding higher education costs; and

(5) Methods for addressing rising higher education costs."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 885 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, House Bill No. 1899 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1899

Amend House Bill No. 1899 as originally introduced:

Delete the title in its entirety and substitute the following:

"AN ACT CONCERNING REIMBURSEMENT FOR COUNTY PERSONNEL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute the following:

"CONCERNING REIMBURSEMENT FOR COUNTY PERSONNEL."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 14-14-1207, as amended by Act 74 of 2009, is amended to read as follows:

(a) Reimbursement Authorized. All ~~elected~~ county and ~~township officers,~~ district officials and authorized deputies or employees thereof shall be entitled to receive reimbursement of ~~allowable~~ expenses incurred in the conduct of ~~county affairs where the incurrence of expense is not discretionary in the conduct of duties assigned by law~~ official and nondiscretionary duties under an appropriation for the operating expenses of an office, function, or service. Reimbursement of ~~allowable~~ expenses that are incurred in the performance of discretionary functions and services may be permitted ~~where~~ when provided for by a specific appropriation of the ~~county~~ quorum court.

(b)(1) Allowance for Meals, Lodging, and Other Allowable Expenses. All reimbursements for the purchase of meals, meal tips, lodging, and other allowable expenses shall be based on the actual expense incurred or on a per diem basis if approved by the quorum court.

(2) Reimbursement for meal tips under subdivision (b)(1) of this section shall not exceed fifteen percent (15%) of the purchase amount of the meal.

(3) A per diem reimbursement under subdivision (b)(1) of this section shall be made under an accountable plan as defined by Internal Revenue Service regulations as in existence on January 1, 2009.

(c) Reimbursement of Travel Expense.

(1) Privately Owned Motor Vehicles.

(A)(i) Any elected county or ~~township~~ district officer or employee thereof ~~utilizing~~ using a privately owned motor vehicle in the conduct of county affairs may be reimbursed at a per-mile rate established by ordinance.

(ii) Reimbursement shall be based only on official miles driven and legitimate automobile parking fees.

(iii) ~~Where~~ When more than one (1) traveler is transported in the same vehicle, only the owner shall be entitled to mileage reimbursement.

(B) A county shall not assume responsibility ~~whatsoever~~ for any maintenance, operational costs, accidents, and fines incurred by the owner of the vehicle while on official business for the county.

(2) Privately Owned Airplanes.

(A) Reimbursement for travel expense ~~utilizing~~ using privately owned airplanes shall be at the same rate as established for privately owned motor vehicles.

(B) However, reimbursement mileage shall be determined by the shortest highway route to and from the official destination."

(SIGNED) SENATOR PRITCHARD

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1899 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 179 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 179

Amend Senate Bill No. 179 as engrossed, S3/3/09:

Page 3, delete lines 31 through 34 and substitute the following:
"~~this section for volunteer service; and~~

SECTION 5. Arkansas Code § 24-10-612, concerning a redetermination of retirement benefits, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(c)(1) Effective July 1, 2009, there will be a one-time redetermination of benefits for paid service members who were receiving a benefit on or before June 30, 2009.

(2) The paid service retirants will receive a benefit beginning July 1, 2009, which is the greater of:

(A) The benefit calculated under § 24-10-602, as in effect on July 1, 2009, using the member's final average salary at retirement; or

(B) The monthly benefit that otherwise would be paid on July 1, 2009, under this section.

(3)(A) Except as provided in subdivision (c)(3)(B) of this section, the redetermination under subdivisions (c)(1) and (2) of this section is applicable to all paid service members or their beneficiaries receiving benefits under this subchapter.

(B) The redetermination under subdivisions (c)(1) and (2) of this section does not apply to service members receiving benefits under § 24-10-607.

(4) The Arkansas Local Police and Fire Retirement System shall not make any benefit payments retroactive to a date before July 1, 2009.

SECTION 6. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the"

(SIGNED) SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 179 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 464 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 464

Amend Senate Bill No. 464 as originally introduced:

Page 6, delete lines 1 and 2 and substitute:

"(7) "Department" means the Department of Human Services;"

AND

Page 13, delete line 5 and substitute:

"(a)(1) A person employed at a school, Head Start program, or day care facility commits the offense of unlawful restriction of a child"

AND

Page 18, delete lines 6 and 7 and substitute:

"reporter is a medical professional."

AND

Page 36, line 4, delete "five (5) years," and substitute "one (1) year,"

AND

Page 36, line 33, delete "five (5) years," and substitute "one (1) year,"

AND

Page 54, delete lines 7 and 8 and substitute:

"since the offender's name was placed on the Child Maltreatment Central Registry."

AND

Page 54, line 12, delete "(2)" and substitute "(2)(A)"

AND

Page 54, delete lines 17 through 19 and substitute:

"subsequent true report of this type for one (1) year and more than one (1) year has passed since the offender's name was placed on the Child Maltreatment Central Registry.

(B) If the department denies the request for removal of the

name from the Child Maltreatment Central Registry, the offender shall wait one (1) year from the date of the request for removal before filing a new petition with the department requesting that the offender's name be removed from the Child Maltreatment Central Registry."

AND

Page 54, delete line 34 and substitute:

"(A) The juvenile has reached the age of eighteen (18) years of age or more than one (1) year has passed from the date of"

AND

Page 55, delete line 3 and substitute:

"evidence that the juvenile offender has been rehabilitated.

(3) If the department denies the request for removal of the name from the Child Maltreatment Central Registry, the offender shall wait one (1) year from the date of the request for removal before filing a new petition with the department requesting that the offender's name be removed from the Child Maltreatment Central Registry."

AND

Page 63, delete lines 6 and 7 and substitute:

"(a) A school, residential facility, hospital, or similar institution where a child may be located shall not require a written order for the"

AND

Page 63, delete line 9 and substitute:

"section or § 9-27-313.

(b) Upon notice by the Department of Human Services that a hold has been taken on a child, a school, residential facility, hospital, or similar institution where the child is located shall:

(1) Retain the child until the department takes a hold on the child;

(2) Not notify the parent until the child has been removed by the department; and

(3) Provide the parent or guardian with the name and contact information of the department employee regarding the hold on the child.

AND

Page 64, line 33, delete "12-18-1010" and substitute "12-18-1011"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 464 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 940 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 940

Amend Senate Bill No. 940 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 23, Chapter 86 is amended to add an additional subchapter to read as follows:

23-86-601. Title.
This subchapter shall be known and may be cited as the "Reconstructive Surgery Act of 2009".

23-86-602. Definitions.
As used in this subchapter:
(1) "Cosmetic surgery" means surgery that is performed to alter or reshape normal structures of the body in order to improve appearance; and
(2)(A) "Reconstructive surgery" means any medically necessary and appropriate surgery performed to correct or repair abnormal structures of the body caused by congenital defects, developmental abnormalities, trauma, infection, tumors, or disease to:
(i) Improve functions; or
(ii) Give the patient a normal appearance, to the extent possible, in the judgment of the physician performing the surgery.
(B) "Reconstructive surgery" does not include dental surgery.

23-86-603. Coverage for reconstructive surgery.
A group health plan and a health insurance issuer offering group health insurance coverage in connection with a group health plan that provides coverage for surgery shall provide coverage for reconstructive surgery, including medically necessary treatment for preoperative and postoperative care as determined by the treating physician or team of physicians.

23-86-604. Construction.
This subchapter does not require a group health plan or health insurance issuer in connection with a group health plan to provide coverage for cosmetic surgery.

23-86-605. Applicability.
(a) This subchapter applies to health insurance coverage offered, sold, issued, renewed, or in effect on and after the effective date of this act.
(b)(1) For a group health plan maintained under one (1) or more collective bargaining agreements between employee representatives and one (1) or more employers ratified before the effective date of this act, this subchapter does not

apply to plan years beginning before the later of:

(A) The date on which the last collective bargaining agreement relating to the plan terminates; or

(B) January 1, 2010.

(2) A plan amendment made under a collective bargaining agreement relating to the plan that amends the plan solely to conform to any requirement under § 23-86-603 is not a termination of the collective bargaining agreement under subdivision (b)(1)(A) of this section."

(SIGNED) SENATOR ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 940 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 944 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR , and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 944

Amend Senate Bill No. 944 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Findings.

The General Assembly finds that:

(1) Asthma diagnosis and treatment continue to increase in Arkansas as well as nationwide;

(2) Asthma has become increasingly problematic in the Arkansas Medicaid population, especially among children;

(3) Arkansas Medicaid has seen steady increases in the use of

emergency medicines to treat asthma, reflecting poor asthma control;

(4) In Arkansas, controller medications are used at a level below the national average;

(5) Medication restrictions imposed on the Medicaid population in Arkansas exceed the restrictions in every other state;

(6) The Department of Human Services has failed to produce outcome data following the implementation of asthma medication restrictive policies imposed in 2006; and

(7) Because of the medication restrictions imposed by the state Medicaid program, controller medications are not available to the Medicaid population at the same or similar levels as they are to privately insured individuals.

SECTION 2. Medicaid coverage for asthma medications.

For a period of one (1) year after the effective date of this act, all medications used to treat asthma shall be available without restriction to Medicaid patients eighteen (18) years of age and younger with a prescription from a qualified medical provider."

(SIGNED) SENATOR ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 944 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, Senate Bill No. 820 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 820

Amend Senate Bill No. 820 as engrossed, S3/18/09:

Page 16, line 12, delete "~~even-numbered calendar~~" and substitute "even-numbered calendar"

AND

Page 20, line 1, delete "Biennial report." and substitute "~~Biennial report~~ Report."

(SIGNED) SENATOR WHITAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 820 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 399 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 399

Amend Senate Bill No. 399 as engrossed, S3/17/09:

Page 6, delete line 1 and substitute the following:
"the maintenance of the road established under this subchapter.

(v) A user of the road does so at his or her own risk and peril and does not have the right to file a cause of action against the petitioner or respondent for any injury to the user or the user's property."

(SIGNED) SENATOR WYATT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 399 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 179, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 190 , BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 179 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 190 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 342, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 944, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 342 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 944 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 399, BY SENATOR WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 464, BY SENATORS MADISON AND KEY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 399 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 464 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 820, BY SENATOR WHITAKER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Whitaker, Senate Bill No. 820 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 885, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 903, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 885 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 903 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 940, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 940 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1899, BY REPRESENTATIVE SLINKARD ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Pritchard, House Bill No. 1899 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 312,
BY SENATORS STEELE, BROADWAY ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 76, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 260, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 318, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 356, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 369, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 393, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 448, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 468, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 582, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 764, BY EFFICIENCY COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 800, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 824, BY SENATOR WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 866, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 966, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO.1002, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 198, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 362, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 404, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 658, BY SENATOR FARIS ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 676, BY SENATOR HENDREN,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 8:15 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 312
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SENATE BILL NO. 966
SENATE BILL NO. 1002
SENATE BILL NO. 198
SENATE BILL NO. 362
SENATE BILL NO. 404
SENATE BILL NO. 658
SENATE BILL NO. 676

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 19th day of March, 2009 at 8:15 a.m..

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Marc Harrison
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL 806, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,
SENATE BILL 972, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL 809, BY SENATOR HORN,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1948, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. BROWN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1979, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2046, BY REPRESENTATIVE WELLS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2247, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. MALOCH,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1712, BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass, as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1020,
BY REPRESENTATIVE BLOUNT

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN
CHAIRMAN

Senator Miller moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 was adopted be expunged.

On motion of Senator Miller, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 at this time.

On motion of Senator Miller, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10

Amend Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 30 through 33 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Section 16 of the Joint Rules of the House of Representatives and Senate is amended to read as follows:

Deadline for the Introduction of Bills

Section 16. (A) An "appropriation bill" means a bill by the General Assembly that authorizes the expenditure of moneys if moneys are available.

(B)(1) No appropriation bill shall be filed for introduction in either the House of Representatives or the Senate later than the fiftieth (50th) day of a regular session except upon consent of two-thirds (2/3) of the members elected to each house; and, no other bill shall be filed for introduction in either the House of Representatives or the Senate later than the fifty-fifth (55th) day of a regular session, except upon consent of two-thirds (2/3) of the members elected to each house. When the filing deadline for any bills or resolutions ends on Saturday or Sunday, the deadline is hereby extended until the close of business the following Monday.

~~(B)~~(2) Any proposed legislation affecting any publicly supported retirement system or pension plan to be considered by the General Assembly at a regular session shall be introduced in the General Assembly during the first fifteen (15) calendar days of a regular ~~biennial~~ session.

~~(C)~~(3) No such bill shall be introduced after the fifteenth (15th) day of a regular ~~biennial~~ session unless its introduction is first approved by a three-fourths (3/4) vote of the full membership of each house of the General Assembly.

(C)(1) No appropriation bill shall be filed for introduction in either the House of Representatives or the Senate later than the fifteenth (15th) day of a fiscal session except upon consent of two-thirds (2/3) of the members elected to each house.

(2) For a fiscal session, a non-appropriation bill shall not be filed for introduction until a concurrent resolution authorizing the introduction of the bill has been approved by a vote of two-thirds (2/3) of the members elected to each house and the concurrent resolution becomes effective.

(3) A concurrent resolution authorizing the introduction of a non-appropriation bill in a fiscal session shall not be filed for introduction in either the House of Representatives or the Senate later than the first (1st) day of a fiscal session.

(4) A non-appropriation bill shall not be filed for introduction in either the House of Representatives or the Senate later than the fifteenth (15th) day of a fiscal session.

(D) When the filing deadline for any bills or resolutions ends on Saturday or Sunday, the deadline is extended until the close of business the following Monday.

~~(D)~~(E) A bill affecting any publicly supported retirement system or systems shall not be introduced or considered at any special session of the General Assembly unless the introduction and consideration of the bill is first approved by a three-fourths (3/4) vote of the full membership of each house of the General Assembly. (Arkansas Code § 10-2-115).

SECTION 2. Section 18(E)(7) of the Joint Rules of the House of Representatives and the Senate is amended to read as follows:

(7) It shall be the duty of the Chairman of the Joint Budget Committee to have a schedule prepared which reflects the amounts approved by the Joint Budget Committee for each category for each fund within the Revenue Stabilization Law to provide funding for the ~~biennial~~ budget enacted by the General Assembly and a schedule reflecting the proposed distribution of General Improvement funds. The schedule reflecting the allocation of funds in the Revenue Stabilization Law ~~and~~ for the next fiscal year shall be submitted to each body of the Arkansas General Assembly at least three (3) days prior to the day at which the same is to be considered for final passage. The schedule reflecting the allocation of funds in the General Improvement Fund Distribution Law for the next biennium shall be

submitted to each body of the Arkansas General Assembly at least three (3) days prior to the day at which the same is to be considered for final passage.

SECTION 3. Section 21 of the Joint Rules of the House of Representatives and Senate is amended to read as follows:

Joint Committee on Constitutional Amendments

Section 21. The Joint Committee on Constitutional Amendments shall consist of the members of the Senate Committee on State Agencies and Governmental Affairs and the members of the House Committee on State Agencies and Governmental Affairs. No proposed constitutional amendment shall be recommended to either house of the General Assembly except upon the affirmative vote of a majority of the Senate members of the Joint Committee on Constitutional Amendments and an affirmative vote of a majority of the House members of the Joint Committee on Constitutional Amendments. No resolution proposing a constitutional amendment shall be filed in either the House of Representatives or the Senate after the thirty-first (31st) day of each regular session of the General Assembly. All resolutions proposing constitutional amendments shall be referred to the Joint Committee on Constitutional Amendments. Other resolutions proposing constitutional amendments shall not be reported to or considered by either house of the General Assembly until the original recommendations of the Joint Committee on Constitutional Amendments are disposed of by both Houses. A resolution proposing a constitutional amendment may be considered only during a regular session.

SECTION 4. That Section 25 of the Joint Rules of the House of Representatives and Senate is amended to read as follows:

Prefiling of Bills and Resolutions

Section 25. (A) Beginning on November 15th of each year preceding a regular session of the General Assembly, each holdover member of the Senate who will be serving at the next following regular session of the General Assembly, and each member-elect of the General Assembly, as soon as the members-elect of the next General Assembly are certified to the Secretary of State, shall be permitted to prefile bills and resolutions for such regular session with the Chief Clerk of the House and the Secretary of the Senate. (Arkansas Code § 10-2-112).

(B)(1) Beginning on the second Monday of January of each year of a fiscal session of the General Assembly, each member of the House of Representatives and the Senate may prefile appropriation bills and resolutions for the fiscal session with the Chief Clerk of the House and the Secretary of the Senate.

(2) A non-appropriation bill may not be pre-filed prior to a fiscal session due to the requirement in Amendment 86 of the Constitution of Arkansas that a concurrent resolution be approved by a vote of two-thirds (2/3) of the members elected to each house before either body may consider a non-appropriation bill."

(SIGNED) SENATOR WHITAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Steele, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Senate Resolution No. 20, recognizing 1994 University of Arkansas Razorback NCAA Division I National Championship Basketball Team.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Resolution No. 20 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 20
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

SENATE RESOLUTION TO HONOR THE 1994 UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS RAZORBACK NCAA DIVISION I NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP BASKETBALL TEAM.

Senate Resolution No. 20 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 470, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 812, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 813, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 884, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,
SENATE BILL NO. 901, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 942, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 988, BY SENATOR GLOVER,
SENATE BILL NO. 1001, BY SENATOR WILKINS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1002, BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1834, BY REPRESENTATIVE LINDSEY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1879, BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERCE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1906, BY REPRESENTATIVE COWLING,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2073, BY REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1014,
BY REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 2029, BY REPRESENTATIVE BROWN,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 819 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 819

Amend Senate Bill No. 819 as originally introduced:
Add Senator Steele as a co-sponsor to the bill

AND

Page 3, line 1, delete "is disqualified" and substitute "is or is not disqualified"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 5 through 26 and substitute:

"(3)(A) "Employee" means any person who:

(i) Has unsupervised access to clients of a service provider except as provided in subdivision (3)(B) of this section; and

(ii)(a) Provides care to clients of a service provider on behalf of, under the supervision of, or by arrangement with the service provider;

(b) Is employed by a service provider to provide care to clients of the service provider;

(c) Is a temporary employee placed by an employment agency with a service provider to provide care to clients of the service provider; or

(d) Resides in an alternative living home in which services are provided to individuals with developmental disabilities.

(B) "Employee" does not include a person who:

(i) Is a family member of a client receiving care from a service provider;

(ii) Is a volunteer; or

(iii) Works in an administrative capacity and does not have unsupervised access to clients of a service provider;"

AND

Page 3, delete line 36 and substitute:

"(7) "Registry records check" means the review of one (1) or more database systems maintained by a state agency that contain information relative to a person's suitability for licensure, certification, exemption from licensure, or any other operating authority to be a service provider or for employment with a service provider to provide care;"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 1 through 5

AND

Page 4, delete line 17 and substitute "(D) An early intervention program provider certified by the"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 26 through 36 and substitute:

"(I) A nonprofit community program as defined by § 20-48-101; and

(10) "State criminal history records check" means a review of state criminal history records conducted by the bureau."

AND

Page 5, delete lines 1 through 26 and substitute:

"20-38-102. Criminal history records checks – Operators.

(a)(1)(A) When an operator applies for a license, exemption from licensure, certificate, or other operating authority for a service provider from its licensing or certifying agency, the operator shall submit a criminal history records check form

and a complete set of fingerprints to the Identification Bureau of the Department of Arkansas State Police and request a state criminal history records check and a national criminal history records check on the operator.

(B) The operator shall attach evidence of the request for a criminal history records check to the application for the service provider's license, exemption from licensure, certificate, or other operating authority.

(2)(A) The bureau shall conduct a state criminal records history check and request a national criminal history records check on the operator.

(B) Upon completion of each criminal history records check, the bureau shall issue a report to the licensing or certifying agency.

(3) Based on the criminal history records check, the licensing or certifying agency shall determine whether the operator is or is not disqualified from licensure, exemption from licensure, certification, or other operating authority.

(4) The licensing or certifying agency shall forward its determination to the operator and the service provider seeking licensure, exemption from licensure, certification, or other operating authority.

(b) Operators are required to undergo periodic criminal history records checks no less than one (1) time every five (5) years."

AND

Page 6, line 1, delete "six (6)" and substitute "five (5)"

AND

Page 6, line 10, delete "six (6)" and substitute "five (5)"

AND

Page 6, line 22, delete the word "temporarily" and substitute "conditionally"

AND

Page 6, line 25, delete "as caregivers" and substitute "to provide care"

AND

Page 7, delete lines 1 and 2 and substitute "service provider and shall provide copies of the documentation to the service provider, which shall be made available to the appropriate licensing or certifying agency upon request."

AND

Page 7, delete lines 12 through 16 and substitute:

"(B) When a service provider initiates a request for a national criminal history records check on an applicant for employment with or an employee of the service provider, the bureau shall issue a report to the licensing or certifying agency within ten (10) days after receipt of the results of the national criminal history records check from the Federal Bureau of Investigation."

AND

Page 7, delete lines 32 through 36 and substitute:

"(f)(1) If the subject of a criminal history records check has been offered employment with a child care facility or a church-exempt child care facility, the subject of a criminal history records check shall not be assessed a fee for the statewide criminal records check records check required under this section.

(2) The subject of a criminal history records check shall be responsible for the payment of any fee associated with the nationwide criminal records check.

(g) A person may challenge the completeness or accuracy of his or her criminal history information under § 12-12-1013."

AND

Page 8, delete lines 1 through 15 and substitute "20-38-104. Request for records check – Requirement."

AND

Page 8, delete lines 31 through 36 and substitute:

"(5) Informs the person how to object to the content of reports; and

(6) Contains the notarized signature of the person who is the subject of the check."

AND

Page 9, delete line 1

AND

Page 9, delete lines 9 through 30 and substitute:

"20-38-105. Disqualification from employment – Denial or revocation – Penalties.

(a)(1) Except as provided in subsection (d) of this section, the licensing or certifying agency shall issue a determination that a person is disqualified as a service provider, operator, or from employment with a service provider if the person has pleaded guilty or nolo contendere to or has been found guilty of:

(A) Any of the offenses listed in subsection (b) of this section by any court in the State of Arkansas;

(B) Any similar offense by a court in another state; or

(C) Any similar offense by a federal court.

(2) Except as provided in subsection (d) of this section, a service provider shall not knowingly employ a person and the licensing or certifying agency shall not knowingly contract with, license, exempt from licensure, certify, or otherwise authorize a person to be a service provider if the person has pleaded guilty or nolo contendere to or has been found guilty of:

(A) Any of the offenses listed in subsection (b) of this section by any court in the State of Arkansas;

(B) Any similar offense by a court in another state; or

(C) Any similar offense by a federal court."

AND

Page 11, delete lines 35 and 36 and substitute:

(c)(1) The provisions of this subsection (c) shall not be waived by the licensing or certifying agency.

(2) Because of the serious nature of the offenses and the close relationship to the type of work that is to be performed, a conviction or plea of guilty or nolo contendere for any of the offenses listed in this subsection (c) whether or not the record of the offense is expunged, pardoned, or otherwise sealed, shall result in permanent disqualification from employment with a service provider or licensure, exemption from licensure, certification, or other operating authority as a service provider and is not subject to subsection (d) of this section:

(A) Any of the following offenses by any court in the State of Arkansas;

(i) Capital murder, § 5-10-101;

(ii) Murder in the first degree, § 5-10-102;

(iii) Murder in the second degree, § 5-10-103;

(iv) Kidnapping, § 5-11-102;

(v) Rape, § 5-14-103;

(vi) Sexual assault in the first degree, § 5-14-124;

(vii) Sexual assault in the second degree, § 5-14-125;

(viii) Endangering the welfare of an incompetent person in the first degree, § 5-27-201;

(ix) Abuse of an endangered or impaired person, § 5-28-103, if it is a felony; and

(x) Arson, § 5-38-301;

(B) Any similar offense by a court in another state; or

(C) Any similar offense by a federal court.

(3) For purposes of licensure as a child care facility, exemption from licensure as a church-exempt child care facility, or employment with a child care facility or church-exempt child care facility, a conviction or plea of guilty or nolo contendere for any offense that involves violence or a sexual act whether or not the record of the offense is expunged, pardoned, or otherwise sealed may result in permanent disqualification from licensure as a child care facility, exemption from licensure as a church-exempt child care facility, or employment with a child care facility or church-exempt child care facility and may not subject to subsection (d) of this section.

(d)(1) This section shall not disqualify a person from employment with a service provider or licensure, exemption from licensure, certification, or other operating authority as a service provider if:

(A) The conviction or plea of guilty or nolo contendere was for a misdemeanor offense;

(B) The date of the conviction or plea of guilty or nolo contendere is at least five (5) years from the date of the request for the criminal history records check;

(C) The person has no criminal convictions or pleas of guilty or nolo contendere of any type or nature during the five (5) year period preceding the background check request; and

(D) The person has completed the person's term of confinement, probation, or parole related to the conviction or plea of guilty or nolo contendere.

(2) This section shall not disqualify a person from employment with a service provider or licensure, exemption from licensure, certification, or other operating authority as a service provider if:

(A) The conviction or plea of guilty or nolo contendere was for a felony offense;

(B) The date of the conviction or plea of guilty or nolo contendere is at least ten (10) years from the date of the background check request;

(C) The individual has no criminal convictions or pleas of guilty or nolo contendere of any type or nature during the ten-year period preceding the request for a criminal history records; and

(D) The person has completed the person's term of confinement, probation, or parole related to the conviction or plea of guilty or nolo contendere.

(e) A person shall not be disqualified from employment with a service provider or licensure, exemption from licensure, certification, or other operating authority as a service provider if the person has been found guilty of or has pleaded guilty or nolo contendere to a misdemeanor offense not listed in subsection (b) of

this section, a similar misdemeanor offense in another state, or a similar federal misdemeanor offense."

AND

Page 12, delete lines 1 through 36

AND

Page 13, delete lines 1 through 9 and substitute "20-38-106. Evidence of records checks."

AND

Page 13, delete line 16 and substitute "20-38-107. Remedies for failure to comply."

AND

Page 13, delete line 22 and substitute "20-38-108. Duties of Identification Bureau."

AND

Page 13, delete line 32 and substitute "20-38-109. Regulations."

AND

Page 14, delete line 2 and substitute "20-38-110. Confidentiality."

AND

Page 14, delete line 14 and substitute "20-38-111. Immunity."

AND

Page 14, delete lines 21 and 22 and substitute "20-38-112. Exclusions – Licensed professionals – Completion of criminal history records check."

AND

Page 27, delete lines 28 through 36 and substitute:

20-33-213. Criminal history and registry records checks required.

(a) As used in this section:

(1) "Registry records check" means the review of one (1) or more database systems maintained by a state agency that contain information relative to a person's suitability for licensure or certification as a service provider or employment with a service provider to provide care as defined in § 20-38-101; and

(2) "Service provider" means any of the following:

(A) An Elderchoices provider certified by the Division of Aging and Adult Services of the Department of Human Services;

(B) A home health care service as defined by § 20-10-801;

(C) A hospice program as defined by § 20-7-117; or

(D) A long-term care facility as defined by § 20-10-702.

(b) Beginning September 1, 2009, a service provider is subject to the requirements of this section and § 20-33-201 et seq., concerning criminal history records checks.

(c)(1) A person offered employment with a service provider on or after September 1, 2009, is subject to the requirements of this section and § 20-38-101 et seq., concerning criminal history records checks.

(2)(A) A person who was offered employment by a service provider prior to September 1, 2009, was subject to a criminal history records check under § 20-33-201 et seq., and has continued to be employed by the service provider who initiated the criminal history records check may continue employment with the service provider based on the results of the criminal history records check process conducted under § 20-33-201 et seq.

(B) When the person next undergoes a periodic criminal history records check, the person's continued employment with the service provider is contingent on the results of a criminal history records check under § 20-38-101 et seq.

(d)(1) The person who signs an application for licensure or certification as a service provider on or after September 1, 2009, is subject to the requirements of this section and § 20-38-101 et seq., concerning criminal history records checks.

(2)(A) The person who signed an application for licensure or certification of a service provider prior to September 1, 2009, was subject to a criminal history records check under § 20-33-201 et seq., and has continued to maintain the licensure or certification of the service provider may continue to maintain the licensure or certification of the service provider based on the results of the criminal history records check process conducted under § 20-33-201 et seq.

(B) When the service provider next undergoes a periodic criminal history records check, the service provider's continued licensure or certification is contingent on the results of a criminal history records check under § 20-38-101 et seq.

(e) The division shall establish by rule requirements for registry records checks for:

(1) An applicant for licensure or certification of a service provider;

(2) An applicant for employment with service provider; and

(3) An employee of a service provider."

AND

Page 28, delete lines 1 through 6 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 7. Arkansas Code §§ 20-48-801 through 22-48-811 are repealed."

AND

Page 39, delete lines 22 through 33 and substitute the following:

"20-48-812. Criminal history records checks required.

(a) As used in this section:

(1) "Registry records check" means the review of one (1) or more database systems maintained by a state agency that contain information relative to a person's suitability for licensure or certification as a service provider or employment with a service provider to provide care as defined in § 20-38-101; and

(2) "Service provider" means any of the following:

(A) An Alternative Community Services Waiver Program provider certified by the Division of Developmental Disabilities Services of the Department of Human Services;

(B) An early intervention program provider certified by the division; or

(C) A nonprofit community program as defined by § 20-48-101.

(b) Beginning September 1, 2009, a service provider is subject to the

requirements of this section and § 20-38-101 et seq., concerning criminal history records checks.

(c)(1) A person offered employment with a service provider on or after September 1, 2009, is subject to the requirements of this section and § 20-38-101 et seq., concerning criminal history records checks.

(2)(A) A person who was offered employment by a service provider prior to September 1, 2009, was subject to a criminal history records check under § 20-48-801 et seq., and has continued to be employed by the service provider who initiated the criminal history records check may continue employment with the service provider based on the results of the criminal history records check process conducted under § 20-48-801 et seq.

(B) When the person next undergoes a periodic criminal history records check, the person's continued employment with the service provider is contingent on the results of a criminal history records check under § 20-38-101 et seq.

(d)(1) The person who signs an application for licensure or certification as a service provider on or after September 1, 2009, is subject to the requirements of this section and § 20-38-101 et seq., concerning criminal records checks.

(2)(A) The person who signed an application for licensure or certification of a service provider prior to September 1, 2009, was subject to a criminal history records check under § 20-48-801 et seq., and has continued to maintain the licensure or certification of the service provider may continue to maintain the licensure or certification of the service provider based on the results of the criminal history records check process conducted under § 20-48-801 et seq.

(B) When the service provider next undergoes a periodic criminal history records check, the service provider's continued licensure or certification is contingent on the results of a criminal history records check under § 20-38-101 et seq.

(e) The division shall establish by rule requirements for registry records checks for:

(1) An applicant for licensure or certification of a service provider;

(2) An applicant for employment with service provider; and

(3) An employee of a service provider.

(f) The division shall establish by rule:

(1) Requirements for criminal history and registry records checks of persons who volunteer for a service provider; and

(2) The consequences of a determination that a person who proposes to reside in an alternative living home in which services are provided to an individual with developmental disabilities is disqualified from the residency based on the criminal history of the person."

AND

Page 47, delete lines 8 through 19 and substitute the following:

"20-78-606. Criminal history records checks required.

(a) As used in this section:

(1) "Registry records check" means the review of one (1) or more database systems maintained by a state agency that contain information relative to a person's suitability for licensure or certification as a service provider or employment with a service provider to provide care as that term is defined in § 20-38-101; and

(2) "Service provider" means any of the following:

(A) A child care facility as defined by § 20-78-202; and

(B) A church-exempt child care facility as recognized under § 20-78-209.

(b) Beginning September 1, 2009, a service provider is subject to the requirements of this section and § 20-38-101 et seq. concerning criminal history records checks.

(c)(1) A person offered employment with a service provider on or after September 1, 2009, is subject to the requirements of this section and § 20-38-101 et seq., concerning criminal history records checks.

(2)(A) A person who was offered employment by a service provider prior to September 1, 2009, was subject to a criminal history records check under § 20-78-601 et seq., and has continued to be employed by the service provider who initiated the criminal history records check may continue employment with the service provider based on the results of the criminal history records check process conducted under § 20-78-601 et seq.

(B) When the person next undergoes a periodic criminal history records check, the person's continued employment with the service provider is contingent on the results of a criminal history records check under § 20-38-101 et seq.

(d)(1) The person who signs an application for licensure or certification as a service provider on or after September 1, 2009, is subject to the requirements of this section and § 20-38-101 et seq., concerning criminal history records checks.

(2)(A) The person who signed an application for licensure or certification of a service provider prior to September 1, 2009, was subject to a criminal history records check under § 20-78-601 et seq., and has continued to maintain the licensure or certification of the service provider may continue to maintain the licensure or certification of the service provider based on the results of the criminal history records check process conducted under § 20-78-601 et seq.

(B) When the service provider next undergoes a periodic criminal history records check, the service provider's continued licensure or certification is contingent on the results of a criminal history records check under § 20-38-101 et seq.

(e) The Division of Child Care and Early Childhood Education of the Department of Human Services shall establish by rule requirements for registry records checks for:

(1) An applicant for licensure or exemption from licensure as a service provider;

(2) An applicant for employment with service provider; and

(3) An employee of a service provider.

(f) The division shall establish by rule requirements for criminal history and registry records checks of persons who volunteer for a service provider."

AND

Add an additional section to read as follows:

"SECTION 12. This act shall be effective September 1, 2009."

(SIGNED) SENATOR LAVERTY

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 819 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 769 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 769

Amend Senate Bill No. 769 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 34, and substitute the following:

"§26-53-101 et seq., or any other state tax law, and a well founded doubt exists concerning the meaning or application of the exemption, deduction or credit, then the tax law providing the"

AND

Page 1, delete line 36 and Page 2, delete line 1, and substitute the following:

"(b) Strict construction under this section shall include requirements that the tax law that provides an exemption, deduction, or credit be"

AND

Page 2, line 12, delete "(1)"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 15-18

AND

Page 2, delete line 31, which is blank

AND

Page 2, on line 33, delete (5) and substitute (3)

(SIGNED) SENATOR TEAGUE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 769 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 882 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 882

Amend Senate Bill No. 882 as engrossed, S3/12/09:

Page 1, delete line 29 and substitute the following:

"payments on an installment basis"

AND

Page 1, line 32, delete "prosecuting attorney's" and substitute "collecting official"

AND

Page 1, line 33, delete "office"

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALTES

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 882 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 410 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 410

Amend Senate Bill No. 410 as originally introduced:

Delete Sections 32, 33, and 34 of the bill

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 410 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 515 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 515

Amend Senate Bill No. 515 as engrossed, S3/10/09:

Page 1, delete lines 34 through 36 and substitute:

"SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 9-28-403(e), regarding proceedings brought under the Child Welfare Agency Licensing Act, is amended to read as follows:

(e)~~(1)~~ The Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, § 25-15-201 et seq., shall apply to all proceedings brought ~~pursuant to~~ under this subchapter, except that the following provisions shall control during adverse action hearings to the extent that they conflict with the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act:

(1) All parties to an adverse action shall be entitled to engage in and use formal discovery as provided for in Rules 26, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34 and 36 of the Arkansas Rules of Civil Procedure including:

(A) Requests for admission;

(B) Requests for production of documents and things;

(C) Written interrogatories; and

(D) Oral and written depositions; and

(2) All evidentiary rulings in an adverse action hearing shall be governed by the Arkansas Rules of Evidence with respect to the following types of evidence:

(A) The requirement of personal knowledge of a witness as required by Rule 602;

(B) The admissibility of character evidence as set forth by Rules 608 and 609;

(C) The admissibility of opinion evidence as set forth by Rules 701, 702, and 703; and

(D) The admissibility of hearsay evidence as set forth by Rules 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, and 806.

~~(2) The Arkansas Rules of Civil Procedure and the Arkansas Rules of Evidence shall also apply to adverse action hearings.~~"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 3 entirely

AND

Page 2, line 34, delete "~~exclusive~~ the" and substitute "exclusive"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 1 and 2 and substitute:

"(2) This subchapter shall not be construed to prevent a licensed child welfare agency from adopting and applying internal operating procedures that meet or exceed the minimum standards required by the board."

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 515 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 788 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 788

Amend Senate Bill No. 788 as originally introduced:

Add the following members of the Senate as cosponsors to the bill:

Senators Elliott, Steele

AND

Add the following members of the House of Representatives as cosponsors to the bill:

Representatives Harrelson, L. Smith, Williams

AND

Delete the title in its entirety and substitute:
"AN ACT TO AMEND THE JUVENILE CODE TO ALLOW A COURT TO CONSIDER WHETHER A CONFESSION OR WAIVER OF COUNSEL WAS RECORDED WHEN DETERMINING WHETHER THE CONFESSION OR WAIVER OF COUNSEL WAS MADE FREELY, VOLUNTARILY, AND INTELLIGENTLY; TO CODIFY THE CASE LAW REGARDING THE CIRCUMSTANCES A COURT MAY CONSIDER IN EVALUATING A CONFESSION OF A JUVENILE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO AMEND THE JUVENILE CODE REGARDING JUDICIAL DETERMINATIONS OF WHETHER A CONFESSION OR WAIVER OF COUNSEL WAS MADE FREELY, VOLUNTARILY, AND INTELLIGENTLY."

AND

Delete all language after the enacting clause and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 9, Chapter 27, Subchapter 3 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

9-27-363. Confessions.

In determining whether a juvenile's confession was voluntarily, knowingly, and intelligently made, the court shall consider all circumstances surrounding the confession, including without limitation the following:

(1) The juvenile's physical, mental, and emotional maturity;

(2) Whether the juvenile understood the consequences of the confession;

(3) In cases in which the custodial parent, guardian, or custodian agreed to the interrogation that led to the confession, whether the custodial parent, guardian, or custodian understood the consequences of the confession or has an interest in the matter that is adverse to the juvenile;

(4) Whether the juvenile and his or her custodial parent, guardian, or custodian were informed of the alleged delinquent act;

(5) Whether the confession was the result of any coercion, force, or inducement;

(6) Whether the juvenile and his or her custodial parent, guardian, or custodian had waived the right to counsel or been provided counsel; and

(7) Whether any of the following occurred:

(A) The oral, written, or sign language confession was electronically recorded in its entirety;

(B) The entire interrogation was electronically recorded;

(C) The audio or video recordings of the interrogation, if available, were used; and

(D) All of the voices on the recording are identified and the names of all persons present during the interrogation are identified.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 9-27-317(c), regarding a juvenile's waiver of counsel, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(c) In determining whether a juvenile's waiver of the right to counsel at any stage of the proceeding was made freely, voluntarily, and intelligently, the court shall consider all the circumstances of the waiver, including:

(1) The juvenile's physical, mental, and emotional maturity;

(2) Whether the juvenile understood the consequences of the waiver;

(3) In cases in which the custodial parent, guardian, or custodian agreed with the juvenile's waiver of the right to counsel, whether the parent, guardian, or custodian understood the consequences of the waiver;

(4) Whether the juvenile and his or her custodial parent, guardian, or custodian were informed of the alleged delinquent act;

(5) Whether the waiver of the right to counsel was the result of any coercion, force, or inducement;

(6) Whether the juvenile and his or her custodial parent, guardian, or custodian had been advised of the juvenile's right to remain silent and to the appointment of counsel and had waived such rights; and

(7) Whether the waiver was recorded in audio or video format and the circumstances surrounding the availability or unavailability of the recorded waiver."

(SIGNED) SENATOR WILKINS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 788 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12

As Engrossed: S3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS BRYLES, *ALTES, G. BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, J. JEFFRESS, G. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, J. KEY, LUKER, P. MALONE, MILLER, B. PRITCHARD, T. SMITH, STEELE, J. TAYLOR, TEAGUE, R. THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WILKINSON & D. WYATT*

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WAGNER, T. BAKER, *BETTS, M. BURRIS, CASH, L. COWLING, DAVENPORT, DUNN, GEORGE, INGRAM, KIDD, LOVELL, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PIERCE, RAGLAND, REYNOLDS, WEBB & B. WILKINS*

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REGARDING TRANSITIONAL CLIMATE CHANGE POLICY.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Steele, House Bill No. 1983 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1983

Amend House Bill No. 1983 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 34, delete "medical" and substitute "medical, pharmacy, and nursing"

AND

Page 2, line 9, delete "medical school faculty" and substitute "medical, pharmacy, and nursing school faculties"

AND

Page 2, line 34 delete "medical" and substitute "medical, pharmacy, or nursing"

AND

Page 3, line 6 delete "premedical" and substitute "premedical, prepharmacy, and prenursing"

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEELE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1983 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Smith, House Bill No. 1402 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1402

Amend House Bill No. 1402 as engrossed, H2/24/09:

Page 7, delete lines 18 through 20 and substitute the following:

"(e)(1)(A) For each brand family of cigarettes listed for certification, a manufacturer shall pay a fee of one thousand dollars ($1,000) to the Director of the Arkansas Tobacco Control Board.

(B) The fee shall be applied to all cigarettes within the certified brand family and shall include any new cigarette certified within the brand family during the three-year certification period."

AND

Page 11, delete line 18 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 3. This act shall become effective January 1, 2010."

(SIGNED) SENATOR HORN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1402 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, House Bill No. 1414 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1414

Amend House Bill No. 1414 as engrossed, H3/3/09:

Add Senator H. Wilkins as a co-sponsor to the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR WILKINS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1414 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 779 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 779

Amend Senate Bill No. 779 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 23 through 26 entirely

AND

Page 2, line 10, delete "~~(b)(2)~~(c)(2)" and substitute "(b)(2)"

AND

Page 2, line 23, delete "~~(b)(2)~~(c)(2)" and substitute "(b)(2)"

AND

Page 2, line 26, delete "~~(b)(2)~~(c)(2)" and substitute "(b)(2)"

AND
Page 1, line 27, delete "~~(a)~~(b)" and substitute "(a)"

AND

Page 2, line 26, delete "~~(b)(1)~~(c)(1)" and substitute "(b)(1)"

AND

Page 2, line 34, delete "~~(c)~~(d)(1)" and substitute "(c)(1)"

AND

Page 3, line 11, delete "evidence." and substitute "evidence and otherwise should be sealed. There is a reasonable expectation of privacy in the following items:
(i) Audio or videotapes of a child witness;
(ii) Photographs of a child witness;
(iii) Name of child victim; and
(iv) Medical records of child victim."

AND

Page 3, line 16, delete "evidence." and substitute "evidence and otherwise should be sealed. There is a reasonable expectation of privacy in the following items:

(i) Audio or videotapes of a child witness;
(ii) Photographs of a child witness;
(iii) Name of child victim; and
(iv) Medical records of child victim."

AND

Page 3, line 19, delete "(e)(1)" and substitute "(d)(1)"

AND

Page 3, line 20, delete "first" and substitute "second"

AND

Page 3, line 21, delete "memorandum" and substitute "memoranda"

AND

Page 3, line 25, delete "Class A" and substitute "Class C"

AND

Page 3, line 26, delete "(f)" and substitute "(e)"

AND

Page 3, line 27, delete "second" and substitute "first"

AND

Page 3, line 32, delete "memorandum" and substitute "memoranda"

AND

Page 4, line 1, delete "Class C" and substitute "Class A"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MALONE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 779 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 493 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 493
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE PROCEDURE FOR PUBLIC DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION RELATED TO CHILD FATALITIES OR NEAR-FATALITIES; TO CLARIFY REPORTING REQUIREMENTS OF THE DIVISION OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 493 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 493 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 494 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 494
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE PARAMETERS OF THE PUBLIC DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION ON FATALITIES AND NEAR FATALITIES IN CHILD MALTREATMENT MATTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 494 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 494 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

ARKANSAS SENATE

State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

March 19, 2009

To: Ann Cornwell

FROM: Senator Randy Laverty

On SB 494 by Senator David Johnson, I cast a "yes" vote pertaining to the placement of foster childrens' deaths on the internet. At the time, I cast the vote, I was not aware that circumstances surrounding the death would also be included. I, therefore, would like to go on record as opposing this bill.

(SIGNED) RANDY LAVERTY

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 947 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 947

As Engrossed: S3/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT, ALTES, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, D. JOHNSON, MADISON, MILLER, TEAGUE, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, H. WILKINS, *HENDREN, T. SMITH, J. TAYLOR, R. THOMPSON, D. WYATT*

BY: *REPRESENTATIVE HARDY*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: THE COLORECTAL CANCER PREVENTION, EARLY DETECTION, AND TREATMENT ACT OF 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 947 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 947 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 836 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 836
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE REQUIREMENT THAT A DECAL BE AFFIXED TO HEAVY EQUIPMENT TO PROVE THAT ARKANSAS TAX WAS PAID ON THE EQUIPMENT OR THAT THE EQUIPMENT IS EXEMPT FROM TAX; TO AMEND THE METHOD IN WHICH SELLERS REPORT TAXABLE AND EXEMPT SALES OF HEAVY EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 836 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 836 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 975 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 975
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE PURCHASE OF THERMAL IMAGING EQUIPMENT TO BE USED BY LAW ENFORCEMENT AIRCRAFT WHEN PURCHASED BY A COUNTY GOVERNMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 975 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 975, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 975 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Horn, Senate Bill No. 810 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 810
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING INVOLUNTARY ADMISSIONS OF PERSONS WITH MENTAL ILLNESS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 810 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 810 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 803 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 803

As Engrossed: S3/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO LICENSE MOLD INVESTIGATORS; TO ESTABLISH STANDARDS FOR MOLD INVESTIGATIONS; TO ESTABLISH QUALIFICATIONS FOR MOLD INVESTIGATORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 803 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 803 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 516 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 516

As Engrossed: S3/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON

BY: REPRESENTATIVE POWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE HEARING PROVISIONS OF THE REVISED UNIFORM ADOPTION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 516 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 516 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 702 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 702
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CORRECT A CODIFICATION ERROR IN TITLE 23 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 702 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 32

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway, T. Smith.

Total 3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 32

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 702 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 872 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 872
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE CERTIFICATION STANDARDS OF FIREFIGHTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 872 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 30

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, B. Pritchard.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway, T. Smith.

Total 3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....32

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 872 was held in the Chamber.

On motion of Senator Altes, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 9 at this time.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 9 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 9

As Engrossed: S3/3/09 S3/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ALTES

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MOORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR THE REHABILITATION OF HISTORIC STRUCTURES LOCATED IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 9 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 32

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway, T. Smith.

Total 3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 32

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 9 was held in the Chamber.

On motion of Senator Altes, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1953 at this time.

On motion of Senator Altes, House Bill No. 1953 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1953
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MOORE, HYDE, ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, J. BURRIS, M. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, MALOCH, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, J. ROGERS, T. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD
BY: SENATORS ALTES, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS & J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENCOURAGE AND FOSTER ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND REVITALIZE COMMUNITIES BY ALLOWING A TAX CREDIT FOR THE REHABILITATION OF HISTORIC STRUCTURES LOCATED IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1953 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 32

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway, T. Smith.

Total 3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 32

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1953 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Bill No. 801 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 801

As Engrossed: S3/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR LUKER

BY: *REPRESENTATIVES J. EDWARDS AND G. SMITH*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A TASK FORCE TO STUDY THE FUNDING OF THE JUDICIAL SYSTEM OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND ITS RELATED SERVICES AND FUNCTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 801 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 32

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway, T. Smith.

Total 3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....32

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 801 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Taylor, House Bill No. 1744 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1744
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE KILLING OR INJURING ANIMALS USED BY LAW ENFORCEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1744 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 32

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway, T. Smith.

Total 3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 32

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1744 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, House Bill No. 1420 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1420

As Engrossed: S3/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO ALLOW EMPLOYEES OF SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND PUBLIC AGENCIES TO PURCHASE GOODS PRODUCED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1420 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 32

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway, T. Smith.

Total 3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....32

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1420 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

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On motion of Senator Crumbly, House Bill No. 1393 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1393

As Engrossed: S3/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES T. BAKER, MOORE, ALLEN, BLOUNT, CARROLL, CASH, DAVIS, EVERETT, GASKILL, PYLE, RAINEY, WAGNER & WORD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE AMOUNT OF VOTES REQUIRED TO BE ELECTED TO A MUNICIPAL POSITION WITHOUT A RUNOFF; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Taylor spoke against the Bill.

Senator Steele spoke for the Bill.

Senator Madison spoke against the Bill

Senator Wilkins spoke for the Bill.

House Bill No. 1393 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Steele, H. Wilkins.

Total 7

NEGATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Glover, Hendren, D. Johnson, Madison, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, J. Taylor, Trusty.

Total 12

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway, Faris, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, P. Malone, T. Smith, Teague, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 16

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....19

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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Senator Crumbly moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1393 failed be expunged.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, House Bill No. 1393 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Bryles, House Bill No. 1451 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1451

As Engrossed: H2/23/09 S3/10/09 S3/12/09 S3/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOYT, REYNOLDS, T. BAKER, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, COLE, L. COWLING, DISMANG, GEORGE, HALL, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOUSE, LOVELL, MCCRARY, OVERBEY, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, SAUNDERS, SLINKARD, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, J. ROEBUCK, PYLE, M. BURRIS, M. MARTIN & RAGLAND

BY: SENATORS BRYLES, J. JEFFRESS, G. JEFFRESS, J. TAYLOR & D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE AN ADEQUATE SUPPLY OF ARKANSAS MILK FOR ARKANSAS CONSUMERS; TO STABILIZE AND STIMULATE DAIRY FARMS IN ARKANSAS; TO CREATE THE DAIRY STABILIZATION FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1451 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 32

NEGATIVE: Altes.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1451 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 934 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 934

As Engrossed: S3/12/09 S3/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOYT, REYNOLDS, L. COWLING, HOUSE, HAWKINS, MCCRARY, PIERCE, J. ROEBUCK, STEWART, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB & B. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR GRANTS AND INCENTIVES TO ASSIST ARKANSAS DAIRY FARMERS IN CONTINUING TO PRODUCE MILK IN THIS STATE; TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT DAIRY STABILIZATION PROGRAM FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 934 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 934 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1569 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1569
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOBBS
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE ADULT MALTREATMENT CUSTODY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1569 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1569 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1568 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1568
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOBBS
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ADULT AND LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY RESIDENT MALTREATMENT ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1568 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1568 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1967 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1967
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WAGNER, REEP & SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE AN INTERIM STUDY OF WAYS TO ENCOURAGE PHYSICIANS TO PRACTICE MEDICINE IN RURAL AREAS OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1967 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1967 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Glover, House Bill No. 1831 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1831
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES T. ROGERS, HOYT, REYNOLDS, HAWKINS & STEWART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE LAW CONCERNING THE COST OF COLLECTING AD VALOREM TAXES ON MINERAL INTERESTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1831 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1831 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1478 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1478
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PATTERSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS TAX PROCEDURE ACT AND THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES LAW TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION AND THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES TO SHARE INFORMATION TO ENHANCE EACH AGENCY'S RESPECTIVE AUDIT AND COMPLIANCE RESPONSIBILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1478 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1478 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1957 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1957
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES REEP AND MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE BOND REQUIREMENT FOR A STAMP DEPUTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1957 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1957, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1957 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 373 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 373
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE STIPEND FOR MEMBERS OF THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF NURSING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 373 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 373 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1392 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1392
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SUMMERS AND LINDSEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PRIORITY OF LIENS IN MUNICIPAL PROPERTY OWNERS' IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1392 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1392 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 873 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 873

As Engrossed: S3/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO AMEND THE TERM OF OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

Senate Bill No. 873 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 873 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 138 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 138

Amend Senate Bill No. 138 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the Enacting Clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 24-4-104(b), concerning the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System Board of Trustees, is amended to read as follows:

(b) The board shall consist of ~~nine (9)~~ the following trustees, ~~as follows~~:

(1) The Auditor of State, the Treasurer of State, the Director of the Department of Arkansas State Police or his or her designee, and the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration shall be ex officio members; and

(2) Three (3) members who are state employees and three (3) members who are nonstate employees to be appointed by the Governor; each nonstate employee trustee and each state employee trustee shall have at least ten (10) continuous years of service with a public employer or employers, and shall be a member or retired member of the system.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code Title 24, Chapter 4, Subchapter 7 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

24-4-752. State Police Retirement System abolished -- Powers, duties, and plan liabilities transferred to Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System -- State Police Division.

(a)(1) There is created under the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System, a division that will be known as the State Police Division.

(2) The authority for the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System – State Police Division is with the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System Board of Trustees.

(b) The State Police Retirement System, established by § 24-6-201 et seq., is abolished and its powers, duties, and plan liabilities are transferred to the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System -- State Police Division by a type 3 transfer under § 25-2-106.

(c) For purposes of this section, the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System shall be considered a principal department established by Acts 1971, No. 38.

(d)(1) As employer, the Department of Arkansas State Police shall make contributions to the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System -- State Police Division, based on a percentage of each active state police officer's salary at the rate established to fund the State Police Retirement System's benefit program before the effective date of this act unless the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System's actuary determines that a different required contribution rate should be applied.

(2) All other sources of revenue regularly accruing to the State Police Retirement System shall be payable to the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System -- State Police Division.

(e)(1) A member of the State Police Retirement System on the date of the transfer of the State Police Retirement System to the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System – State Police Division shall continue to accrue the same program of benefits received before the transfer.

(2) A state police officer joining the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System – State Police Division after the date of transfer to the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System shall be provided with the same benefits currently available under § 24-6-401 et seq.

(3) A state police officer covered under the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System – State Police Division that is otherwise covered by § 24-6-401 shall have access to the Deferred Retirement Option Plan provisions of § 24-4-801 et seq.

SECTION 3. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that due to the economic condition of the financial market, every opportunity to contain costs must be pursued, that combining the State Police Retirement System with the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System would save administrative costs, and that the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System's fiscal year begins on July 1, 2009. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on July 1, 2009."

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Retirement Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

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On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 138 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 138
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO COMBINE THE STATE POLICE RETIREMENT SYSTEM WITH THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 138 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 138, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

* * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * *

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 138 passed and the emergency clause adopted was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on March 25, 2009.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 165 at this time.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 165 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 165

As Engrossed: S2/5/09 S2/10/09 S2/18/09 S2/24/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADJUST THE AMOUNT OF TIME FROM THIRTY (30) DAYS TO ONE HUNDRED EIGHTY (180) DAYS THAT A RETIRED MEMBER OF THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM SHALL REMAIN RETIRED BEFORE *RETURNING TO WORK WITH A COVERED EMPLOYER OF THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM*; TO CLARIFY VARIOUS SECTIONS OF ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 24, CHAPTER 7 PERTAINING TO THE TERMINATION OF COVERED EMPLOYMENT REQUIREMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 165 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 165, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause.....24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 165 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 243 at this time.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 243 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 243

As Engrossed: S3/10/09 S3/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO ALLOW THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM AND THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO ADOPT RULES AND REGULATIONS TO REMAIN IN COMPLIANCE WITH FEDERAL LAWS AND REGULATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

Senate Bill No. 243 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 243 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, House Bill No. 2112 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2112

As Engrossed: S3/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HAWKINS AND REYNOLDS

BY: *SENATORS HORN AND H. WILKINS*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO BROADEN THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER'S CEASE AND DESIST POWERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2112 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2112 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

Senator Faris moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 163 passed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 163 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

Senate BILL NO. 138, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No. 138 was ordered transmitted to the House.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

March 18, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on March 18, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 003
Senate Bill No. 088 - ACT 436
Senate Bill No. 034 - ACT 464
Senate Bill No. 155 - ACT 465
Senate Bill No. 156 - ACT 466
Senate Bill No. 170 - ACT 467
Senate Bill No. 191 - ACT 468
Senate Bill No. 218 - ACT 469
Senate Bill No. 227 - ACT 470

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

March 19, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on March 18, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 230 - ACT 471
Senate Bill No. 239 - ACT 472
Senate Bill No. 317- ACT 473
Senate Bill No. 330 - ACT 474
Senate Bill No. 348 - ACT 475
Senate Bill No. 357 - ACT 476
Senate Bill No. 360 - ACT 477
Senate Bill No. 375 - ACT 478
Senate Bill No. 376 - ACT 479
Senate Bill No. 380 - ACT 480
Senate Bill No. 407 - ACT 481
Senate Bill No. 408 - ACT 482
Senate Bill No. 409 - ACT 483
Senate Bill No. 426 - ACT 484
Senate Bill No. 431 - ACT 485
Senate Bill No. 450 - ACT 486
Senate Bill No. 486 - ACT 487
Senate Bill No. 505 - ACT 488
Senate Bill No. 544 - ACT 489
Senate Bill No. 596 - ACT 490
Senate Bill No. 641 - ACT 491
Senate Bill No. 681 - ACT 492
Senate Bill No. 765 - ACT 493
Senate Bill No. 815 - ACT 494
Senate Bill No. 831 - ACT 495
Senate Bill No. 312 - ACT 496

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

On motion of Senator Glover, House Bill No. 1904 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Glover, House Bill No. 1904 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10,
BY SENATOR WHITAKER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 410, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 515, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 779, BY SENATOR P. MALONE,
SENATE BILL NO. 788, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 819, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 882, BY SENATOR ALTES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1402, BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1414, BY REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE ET AL,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1983, BY REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 144, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 489, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 490, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 491, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 492, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

SENATE BILL NO. 501, BY SENATOR HORN,
SENATE BILL NO. 502, BY SENATOR HORN,
SENATE BILL NO. 503, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 512, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 513, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 527, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 528, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 529, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 530, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 531, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

SENATE BILL NO. 532, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 541, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 545, BY SENATOR HORN,
SENATE BILL NO. 546, BY SENATOR HORN,
SENATE BILL NO. 547, BY SENATOR HORN,
SENATE BILL NO. 548, BY SENATOR HORN,
SENATE BILL NO. 549, BY SENATOR HORN,
SENATE BILL NO. 562, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 577, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 578, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 579, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 597, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 598, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 599, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 600, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 601, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 602, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 633, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 634, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 635, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 636, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 637, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 645, BY SENATOR TRUSTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 646 BY SENATOR TRUSTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 647, BY SENATOR TRUSTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 648, BY SENATOR TRUSTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 649, BY SENATOR TRUSTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 650, BY SENATOR TRUSTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 651, BY SENATOR TRUSTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 652, BY SENATOR TRUSTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 653, BY SENATOR TRUSTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 659, BY SENATOR SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 661, BY SENATOR SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 662, BY SENATOR SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 677, BY SENATOR WILKINSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 678, BY SENATOR WILKINSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 679, BY SENATOR WILKINSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 680, BY SENATOR WILKINSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 682, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 708, BY SENATOR SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 713, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 715, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 716, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 717, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 718, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 719, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 720, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 721, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 722, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 723, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 724, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 737, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 744, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 747, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 748, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 755, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 756, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 757, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 760, BY SENATOR STEELE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 19, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 769, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No. 38 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

Senate Bill No. 67 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 454 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 467 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 701 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 771 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 797 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 843 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1018
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOPPER
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING DOUG SMALL ON HIS SELECTION AS THE ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION 2009 BOATING LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THE YEAR.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1018 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1110
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE KERR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF COMPENSATION UNDER THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO INCLUDE A BONUS PAID TO A COUNTY OR MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1110 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1256
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING RACING MOTOR VEHICLES ON PUBLIC HIGHWAYS, OBSERVING A RACE AS A SPECTATOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1256 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1625
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE CONSOLIDATED INCENTIVE ACT OF 2003 TO REQUIRE ELIGIBLE BUSINESSES TO CLAIM PAYMENTS TO WHICH THEY ARE ENTITLED UNDER THE PAYROLL REBATE INCENTIVE PROGRAM ON AN ANNUAL BASIS; TO PROVIDE FOR A REDUCTION OF THE AVAILABLE REBATE IF NOT CLAIMED WITHIN TWELVE (12) MONTHS; TO PROVIDE FOR FORFEITURE OF THE AVAILABLE REBATE IF NOT CLAIMED WITHIN TWENTY-FOUR (24) MONTHS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1625 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1694
As Engrossed: H3/16/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HYDE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE REGISTRATION AND REGULATION OF APPRAISAL MANAGEMENT COMPANIES; TO MAKE CONFORMING AMENDMENTS TO THE ARKANSAS APPRAISER LICENSING AND CERTIFICATION ACT,§ 17-14-101 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1694 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1715
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE AND GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXPAND THE LIST OF MANDATED REPORTERS OF SUSPECTED ABUSE OR NEGLECT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1715 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1867
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE NOTICE TO BE GIVEN TO A MOTOR VEHICLE LIENHOLDER BEFORE THE ISSUANCE OF A DUPLICATE MOTOR VEHICLE TITLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1867 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1885
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HYDE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENCOURAGE FAIR DEALING IN CONTRACTS BY REQUIRING HOLD HARMLESS LANGUAGE IN A CONTRACT TO BE CLEAR AND CONSPICUOUS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1885 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1902
As Engrossed: H3/17/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CASH, WEBB, *BLOUNT, CARROLL, R. GREEN, HARRELSON, KIDD, MOORE, J. ROEBUCK, L. SMITH, WAGNER & B. WILKINS*
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE ELECTRIC AUTOCYCLES TO BE LICENSED AND REGISTERED AS MOTORCYCLES; TO PROVIDE STANDARDS FOR AUTOCYCLES; TO CREATE THE ELECTRIC AUTOCYCLE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1902 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1984
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE CENTRAL FILING WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURAL LIENS AND FARM-RELATED SECURITY INTERESTS; TO PROVIDE FOR FILING FEES WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE AND THE DISTRIBUTION OF FILING FEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1984 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2007
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HYDE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: THE ARKANSAS CLEAN AIR ON CAMPUS ACT OF 2009; AN ACT TO PROTECT STUDENTS, EMPLOYEES, AND VISITORS AT STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION FROM SECONDHAND SMOKE ON CAMPUS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2007 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2020
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE REQUIREMENTS FOR LICENSING AND REGISTERING A MOTOR VEHICLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2020 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2032
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS EARTHQUAKE PROGRAM BY INCREASING DISASTER PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER EVACUATION, SHELTERS, STOCKPILES, AND REBUILDING PLANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2032 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2050
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MAXWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A SETOFF AGAINST AN ARKANSAS INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX REFUND FOR A TAX DEBT OWED BY AN ARKANSAS TAXPAYER TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE; TO PROVIDE A PROCEDURE FOR A NONDEBTOR TAXPAYER TO CHALLENGE THE SETOFF OF A JOINT INCOME TAX REFUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2050 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2076
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE NONPROFIT INCENTIVE ACT TO SPECIFY THAT THE NONPROFIT CORPORATION BE A (501)(c) ORGANIZATION; TO CHANGE THE PAYROLL THRESHOLD FOR QUALIFICATION; TO CHANGE THE INVESTMENT THRESHOLD FOR QUALIFICATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2076 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2151
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE SERVING OF AN ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE FOR USE IN A RELIGIOUS CEREMONY OR RITE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2151 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED
SENATE BILL NO. 138
SENATE BILL NO. 165
SENATE BILL NO. 243
SENATE BILL NO. 373
SENATE BILL NO. 493
SENATE BILL NO. 494
SENATE BILL NO. 516
SENATE BILL NO. 702
SENATE BILL NO. 801
SENATE BILL NO. 803
SENATE BILL NO. 810
SENATE BILL NO. 836
SENATE BILL NO. 872
SENATE BILL NO. 873
SENATE BILL NO. 934
SENATE BILL NO. 947
SENATE BILL NO. 975

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1392
HOUSE BILL NO. 1420
HOUSE BILL NO. 1478
HOUSE BILL NO. 1568
HOUSE BILL NO. 1569
HOUSE BILL NO. 1744
HOUSE BILL NO. 1831
HOUSE BILL NO. 1953
HOUSE BILL NO. 1957
HOUSE BILL NO. 1967

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1451 AS AMENDED NOS. 1, 2 & 3
HOUSE BILL NO. 2112 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 67
SENATE BILL NO. 454
SENATE BILL NO. 467
SENATE BILL NO. 701
SENATE BILL NO. 771
SENATE BILL NO. 797
SENATE BILL NO. 843

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE

AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 38 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1110

HOUSE BILL NO. 1256

HOUSE BILL NO. 1625

HOUSE BILL NO. 1694

HOUSE BILL NO. 1715

HOUSE BILL NO. 1867

HOUSE BILL NO. 1885

HOUSE BILL NO. 1902

HOUSE BILL NO. 1984

HOUSE BILL NO. 2007

HOUSE BILL NO. 2020

HOUSE BILL NO. 2032

HOUSE BILL NO. 2050

HOUSE BILL NO. 2076

HOUSE BILL NO. 2151

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED

TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1018

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12

On motion of Senator Smith, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Monday March 23, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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SEVENTY-FIRST DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

March 23, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

Senator Whitaker requested leave for Senator Trusty. Leave granted.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Bledsoe.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 761 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 761

Amend Senate Bill No. 761 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 9, delete "DEPARTMENT" and substitute "UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - COLLEGE OF PUBLIC HEALTH"

AND

Page 1, line 10, delete "OF HEALTH"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"AN ACT FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - COLLEGE OF PUBLIC HEALTH - CENTER FOR PUBLIC HEALTH LAW GENERAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION."

AND

Page 1, line 23, delete "Department of Health" and substitute "University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences - College of Public Health".

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID JOHNSON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 761 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 817 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendments Nos. 2 and 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 817

Amend Senate Bill No. 817 as engrossed S3/18/09:

Add the following as cosponsors of the bill:
Senators: Crumbly, Horn, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt

Representatives: J. Brown, M. Burris, Dunn, Everett, Gaskill, George, R. Green, Hall, D. Hutchinson, Lindsey, Reynolds, J. Rogers, Wells

(SIGNED) SENATOR RANDY LAVERTY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 817

Amend Senate Bill No. 817 as engrossed, S3/18/09:
Add as a cosponsor of the bill: Senator Bryles

(SIGNED) SENATOR RANDY LAVERTY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 817 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 874 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 874

Amend Senate Bill No. 874 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 4, delete "one dollar and fifty cents ($1.50)" and substitute "two dollars ($2.00)"

AND

Page 2, line 11, delete "one dollar and fifty cents ($1.50)" and substitute "two dollars ($2.00)"

AND

Page 2, line 18, delete "one dollar and fifty cents ($1.50)" and substitute "two dollars ($2.00)"

AND

Page 2, line 22, delete "one dollar and fifty cents ($1.50)" and substitute "two dollars ($2.00)"

AND

Page 2, line 25, delete "one dollar and fifty cents ($1.50)" and substitute "two dollars ($2.00)"

AND

Page 2, line 35, delete "one dollar and fifty cents ($1.50)" and substitute "two dollars ($2.00)"

AND

Page 3, line 4, delete "one dollar" and substitute "two dollars ($2.00)."

AND

Page 3, delete line 5

AND

Page 3, line 11, delete "one dollar and fifty" and substitute "two dollars ($2.00) each."

AND
Page 3, delete line 12

AND
Page 3, line 20, delete "one dollar and fifty cents ($1.50)" and substitute "two dollars ($2.00)"
AND

Page 3, line 25, delete "one dollar and fifty cents ($1.50)" and substitute "two dollars ($2.00)"
AND

Page 3, line 29, delete "one dollar and fifty cents ($1.50)" and substitute "two dollars ($2.00)"
AND

Page 3, line 31, delete "one dollar and fifty cents ($1.50)" and substitute "two dollars ($2.00)"
AND

Page 3, line 33 delete "one" and substitute "two dollars ($2.00)."
AND

Page 3, delete line 34
AND

Page 4, line 15, delete "one dollar and fifty" and substitute "two dollars ($2.00) each."
AND

Page 4, delete line 16
AND

Page 4, line 25, delete "one dollar and fifty cents ($1.50)" and substitute "two dollars ($2.00)"
AND

Page 4, line 33, delete "one dollar and fifty cents ($1.50)" and substitute "two dollars ($2.00)"
AND

Page 5, line 4, delete "one dollar and fifty cents ($1.50)" and substitute "two dollars ($2.00)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR TERRY SMITH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 874 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 299 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendments Nos. 1, 2 & 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 299

Amend Senate Bill No. 299 as originally introduced:

Page 3, delete lines 18 through 21 and substitute:

"(a)(1) A law enforcement officer of a law enforcement agency who stops a vehicle for the primary offense of failure to wear a seat belt under § 27-37-701 et seq. shall record the age, sex, and race of the driver in his or her police report, regardless of whether a citation is issued or arrest is made.

(2) A violation of the primary seat belt law shall not constitute reasonable suspicion for a search or seizure."

(SIGNED) SENATOR HENRY "HANK" WILKINS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 299

Amend Senate Bill No. 299 as originally introduced:

Page 3, delete lines 16 through 36 and substitute:

"12-12-1405. Use of video cameras in law enforcement vehicles - Authorization.

(a) The use of video cameras in law enforcement vehicles has been demonstrated to be an indisputable means to disprove or substantiate allegations of racial profiling.

(b) This section authorizes the creation of a law enforcement task force to oversee the purchase of cameras for Arkansas law enforcement agencies that will be installed and used consistent with policies under § 12-12-1403 as a primary tool to document all traffic stops.

(c) Fines imposed from the enforcement of the primary seat belt law may be drawn by this task force from a fund to be created and maintained by the Administrative Office of the Courts."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 1 through 3

(SIGNED) SENATOR HENRY "HANK" WILKINS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 299

Amend Senate Bill No. 299 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 17, delete ", facilities,"

AND

Page 2, line 18, delete "the Governor's office" and substitute "the Bureau of Legislative Research"

(SIGNED) SENATOR HENRY "HANK" WILKINS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 299 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 867 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 867

Amend Senate Bill No. 867 as engrossed, S3/11/09:

Page 2, line 13, delete "for political purposes" and substitute "for activities associated with the office sought or held by the candidate or public official"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 31 through 33 and substitute the following:
"(2) Beginning January 1, 2010, all lobbyist activity reports that are required to be filed with the Secretary of State shall be filed in electronic form through the Internet."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 34 through 36

AND

Page 3, line 1, delete "(d)" and substitute "(c)"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 5 through 12 and substitute the following:
"(2) Certifies that the lobbyist activity report is accurate."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 14 through 27

AND

Page 4, line 14, delete "compensation" and substitute "payment"
AND

Page 5, delete lines 3 through 6

AND

Page 5, line 7, delete "(g)" and substitute "(f)"

AND

Page 5, delete line 9 and substitute the following:
"registered lobbyist in this state.

"(g) An expunged record shall not serve as the basis for disqualification under this section."

AND

Page 5, delete lines 11 through 23

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 867 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 888 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 888

Amend Senate Bill No. 888 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 10 and 11 and substitute:
"ASSIGNED TO ONE (1) LICENSED ART TEACHER FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS IN GRADES ONE THROUGH SIX (1-6); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"CONCERNING THE MAXIMUM NUMBER OF
STUDENTS ASSIGNED TO ONE (1) LICENSED
ART TEACHER FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS
IN GRADES ONE THROUGH SIX (1-6)."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-16-130(b)(1) — (3), concerning visual art and music instruction at public schools, are amended to read as follows:

(b)(1)(A) ~~By no later than June 1, 2005, every public elementary school~~ A public school serving students enrolled in any of grades one through six (1-6) in the state shall provide instruction ~~no~~ for not less than forty (40) minutes in visual art and ~~no~~ for not less than forty (40) minutes in music ~~based on the state visual art and music frameworks~~ each calendar week of the school year or an equivalent amount of time in each school year.

(B) The instruction required under subdivision (b)(1)(A) of this section shall be based on the state visual art and music frameworks.

(2)(A) Every student enrolled in grades one through six (1-6) at a public school shall participate in the visual art and music class required in this subsection.

(B) ~~Children~~ Students with disabilities or other special needs enrolled in grades one through six (1-6) at a public school shall be included in the visual art and music programs.

(3)(A) The instruction required by subdivision (b)(1) of this section shall be provided by a ~~licensed~~ teacher ~~certified~~ licensed to teach art or music, as applicable.

(B) Beginning with the 2010-2011 school year, a school district shall employ at least one (1) licensed full-time equivalent art teacher and one (1) licensed full-time equivalent music teacher for every five hundred (500) students enrolled in the school district in grades one through six (1-6)."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BROADWAY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 888 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 4 to SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 as engrossed, S3/12/09:
Page 1, line 13, delete "CREATE" and substitute "PROVIDE FOR"

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Joint Resolution No. 11 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 11

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 11 as originally introduced:
Page 1, delete lines 9 through 13 and substitute the following: "AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO REPEAL PROVISIONS OF

AMENDMENT 35 CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION"

AND

Delete Section 1 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. § 1 of Amendment 35 of the Arkansas Constitution is amended to read as follows:

1. Commission created - Members - Powers.

~~The control, management, restoration, conservation and regulation of birds, fish, game and wildlife resources of the State, including hatcheries, sanctuaries, refuges, reservations and all property now owned, or used for said purposes and the acquisition and establishment of same, the administration of the laws now and/or hereafter pertaining thereto, shall be vested in a Commission to be known as the Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission, to consist of eight members. Seven of whom shall be active and one an associate member who shall be the Head of the Department of Zoology at the University of Arkansas, without voting power.~~ (a) There is created the Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission.

(b) The Commission shall have its powers and duties assigned to it by the General Assembly.

(c) The Commission shall consist of eight (8) members and one (1) associate member who is the head of the Department of Zoology at the University of Arkansas.

SECTION 2. § 8 of Amendment 35 of the Arkansas Constitution is amended to read as follows:

8. Nepotism prohibited - Powers of arrest - Funds - Use - Purposes - Game Protection Fund - Audit of accounts - Resident hunting and fishing licenses - Powers of commission.

No person shall be employed by the Commission who shall be related to any of the Commissioners or any other State officers within the third degree of relationship by blood or marriage. All employed personnel may make arrests for violation of the game and fish laws.

The fees, monies, or funds arising from all sources by the operation and transaction of the said Commission and from the application and administration of the laws and regulations pertaining to birds, game, fish and wildlife resources of the State and the sale of property used for said purposes shall be ~~expended by the Commission for the control, management, restoration, conservation and regulation of the birds, fish and wildlife resources of the State, including the purchases or other acquisitions of property for said purposes and for the administration of the laws pertaining thereto and for no other purposes. All monies shall be deposited in the Game Protection Fund with the State Treasurer and such monies as are necessary, including an emergency fund, shall be appropriated by the Legislature at each legislative session for the use of the Game and Fish Commission as hereto set forth. No monies other than those credited to the Game Protection Fund can be appropriated~~ subject to appropriation by the General Assembly.

~~All money to the credit of or that should be credited to the present Game Protection Fund shall be credited to the new Game Protection Fund and any appropriation made by the Legislature out of the Game Protection Fund shall be construed to be for the use of the new Commission and out of the new Game Protection Fund.~~

The books, accounts and financial affairs of the Commission shall be audited by the State Comptroller as that department deems necessary, but at least once a year.

Resident hunting and fishing license, each, shall be One and 50/100 Dollars annually, and shall not exceed this amount unless a higher license fee is authorized by an Act of Legislature.

The Commission shall have the exclusive power and authority to issue licenses and permits, to regulate bag limits and the manner of taking game and fish and furbearing animals, and shall have the authority to divide the State into zones, and regulate seasons and manner of taking game, and fish and furbearing animals therein, and fix penalties for violations. No rule or regulations shall apply to less than a complete zone, except temporarily in case of extreme emergency.

Said Commission shall have the power to acquire by purchase, gifts, eminent domain, or otherwise, all property necessary, useful or convenient for the use of the Commission in the exercise of any of its duties, and in the event the right of eminent domain is exercised, it shall be exercised in the same manner as now or hereafter provided for the exercise of eminent domain by the State Highway Commission. All laws now in effect shall continue in force until changed by the Commission. All contracts and agreements now in effect shall remain in force until the date of their expiration.

~~This amendment shall not repeal, alter or modify the provisions of any existing special laws under the terms of which a County Game Commission has been created:~~

The Commission shall be empowered to spend such monies as are ~~necessary~~ appropriated by the General Assembly to match Federal grants under the Pittman-Robertson or similar acts for the propagation, conservation and restoration of game and fish.

This amendment shall become effective ~~July 1, 1945~~ January 1, 2011.

(SIGNED) SENATOR T. SMITH

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Joint Resolution No. 11 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Malone, Senate Bill No. 827 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 827

Amend Senate Bill No. 827 as originally introduced:

Page 22, line 32, delete "public record or permitting shall bear" and substitute "public record shall bear"

AND

Page 23, delete lines 1 through 10 and substitute the following:

"(b) No registered interior designer shall affix, or permit to be affixed, his or her seal or signature to any plan, specification, drawing, or other document which depicts work which he or she is not competent or certified to perform."

AND

Page 23, delete lines 20 through 25 and substitute the following:

"(e) No registered interior designer shall affix his or her signature or seal to any plan, specifications, or other document which was not prepared by him or her or under his or her responsible supervising control or by another interior designer and reviewed, approved, or modified and adopted by him or her as his or her own work according to the rules adopted by the board."

AND

Page 23, line 26, delete "~~(f)~~" and substitute "(f)"

AND

Page 23, delete lines 30 through 31 and substitute the following:

"(g) The shape and design of the seal will be different from the seals of architects, engineers, or landscape architects."

AND

Page 23, line 32, delete "~~(h)~~(f)(1)" and substitute "(h)(1)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 827 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 999 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 999

Amend Senate Bill No. 999 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete all language after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-17-205 is amended to read as follows:

6-17-205. Organization and duties of committee.

(a)(1) Each school district's committee on personnel policies shall organize itself in the first quarter of each school year and elect a chair and a secretary.

(2) The committee shall develop a calendar of meetings throughout the year to review the school district's personnel policies in order to:

(A) ~~determine~~ Determine whether additional policies or amendments to existing policies are needed;

(B) Review any proposed policies or changes to policies by the board of directors;

(C) Make proposed changes or additions to the board of directors; and

(D) ~~to review~~ Review any proposed distribution of a salary underpayment from previous years.

(3) Minutes of the committee meetings shall be promptly reported and distributed to members of the board of directors and posted in the buildings of the school district, including the administrative offices.

(b)(1) Either the committee or the board of directors may propose new personnel policies or amendments to existing policies.

(2) ~~if the proposals by the board of directors have~~ Proposed new personnel policies or amendments to existing policies may not be voted on by the board of directors as a school district policy unless the final form of the policy to be voted on has been submitted to the committee as a whole for consideration at least ten (10) working days ~~prior to presentation to~~ before the vote of the board of directors.

~~(2)~~(3)(A) The superintendent may recommend any changes in personnel policies to the board of directors or to the personnel policies committee.

(B) The recommendations ~~shall~~ may then become proposals ~~if adopted by~~ of either the board of directors or the committee at their discretion.

(c) The chair of the committee or a committee member designated by the chair ~~will~~ shall have the opportunity to orally present to the board of directors the committee's comments and position on the final form of any proposed policies or amendments to existing policies ~~to the board of directors~~ , whether proposed by the committee or the board of directors, before they are voted on by the board of directors as school district policies.

(d) After the oral presentation to the board of directors, the board of directors shall take action no later than its next regular board of directors meeting.

(e) The board of directors ~~shall have the authority~~ , subject to the committee review and presentation requirements under this section, ~~to~~ may adopt, reject, or refer back to the committee on personnel policies for further study and revision any proposed policies or amendments to existing policies that are submitted to the board of directors for consideration by the committee."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 999 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 349 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 349

Amend Senate Bill No. 349 as engrossed, S2/23/09:

Delete the title in its entirety and substitute:

"AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE BUYER TO REMIT THE ASSESSMENT ON THE SALE OF
RICE; TO PROVIDE FOR THE ASSESSMENT'S USE AND CONSIDERATION OF BUYER AND PRODUCER PREFERENCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO REQUIRE THE BUYER TO REMIT THE

ASSESSMENT ON THE SALE OF RICE; AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE ASSESSMENT'S USE AND CONSIDERATION OF BUYER AND PRODUCER PREFERENCES."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 27 through 35, and substitute the following:

"(a) There are imposed and levied:

(1) An assessment at the rate of one and thirty-five hundredths cents (1.35¢) per bushel to be paid by the buyer at the first point of sale, whether within or without the state, on rice grown within the state or at the point the rice enters into the United States Department of Agriculture loan program; and

(2) An assessment at the rate of one and thirty-five hundredths cents (1.35¢) per bushel to be paid by the producer on all rice grown within this state."

AND

Page 2, line 13, after "The" insert "buyer's and the"

AND

Page 2, line 17, after "the" insert "buyers' and the"

AND

Page 3, line 9, after "the" insert "buyers' and the"

AND

Page 3, line 13, after "no" insert "buyer or"

(SIGNED) SENATOR RANDY LAVERTY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 349 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 998 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 998

Amend Senate Bill No. 998 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete all language after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-17-2305 is amended to read as follows:

6-17-2305. Organization and duties of committee.

(a) The school district's committee on personnel policies for classified employees shall organize itself in October, elect a chair and secretary, and develop a calendar of meetings throughout the year to review the school district's personnel policies to:

(1) ~~determine~~ Determine whether additional policies or amendments to existing policies are needed;

(2) Review any proposed policies or changes to policies by the board of directors; and

(3) Recommend proposed changes or additions to the board of directors.

(b) Minutes of the committee meetings shall be promptly reported and distributed to members of the board of directors and posted in the work sites of the school district, including administrative offices.

(c)(1) Either the committee or the board of directors may propose new personnel policies or amendments to existing policies. ~~if the proposals by the board of directors have~~

(2) Proposed new personnel policies or amendments to existing policies may not be voted on by the board of directors as a school district policy unless the final form of the policy to be voted on has been submitted to the committee as a whole for consideration at least ten (10) working days prior to ~~presentation to~~ the vote of the board of directors.

(3)(A) The superintendent may recommend any changes in personnel policies to the board of directors or the personnel policies committee.

(B) The recommendations ~~shall~~ may then become proposals ~~if adopted by~~ of either the board of directors or committee at their discretion.

(d) The chair of the committee or a committee member designated by the chair shall have the opportunity to orally present to the board of directors the committee's comments and position on the final form of any proposed policies or amendments to existing policies ~~to the board of directors~~ whether proposed by the committee or the board of directors, before they are voted on by the board of directors as school district policies.

(e) After the oral presentation to the board of directors, final action shall be taken no later than the next regular board of directors meeting.

(f) The board of directors ~~shall have the authority to~~ , subject to the committee review and presentation requirements under this section, may adopt, reject, or refer to the committee on personnel policies for further study and revision any proposed policies or amendments to existing policies that are submitted to the board of directors for consideration by the committee."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 998 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 11, BY SENATOR SMITH,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Joint Resolution No. 11 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 299, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 827, BY SENATORS MALONE AND SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 867, BY SENATOR FARIS ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 299 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Malone, Senate Bill No. 827 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 867 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 349, BY SENATOR LAVERTY ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 874, BY SENATOR SMITH,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 349 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 874 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 761, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 761 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 817, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 888, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 998, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 999, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 817 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 888 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 998 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 999 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Senate Bill No. 64 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 72 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 73 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 82 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 140 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 153 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 193 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 244 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 389 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 396 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 400 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 419 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 437 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 446 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 525 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 773 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

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EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 179, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 190, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 163, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 920, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN P. CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1634, BY REPRESENTATIVE STEWART,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1842, BY REPRESENTATIVE STEWART,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1843, BY REPRESENTATIVE STEWART,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1867, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1902, BY REPRESENTATIVE CASH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1904, BY REPRESENTATIVE MCCRARY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1924, BY REPRESENTATIVE MAXWELL,

HOUSE BILL NO. 1961, BY REPRESENTATIVE PYLE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2034, BY REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2132, BY REPRESENTATIVE STEWART,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2200, BY REPRESENTATIVE PATTERSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2222, BY REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN P. CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1673, BY REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it so pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN P. CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1016,
BY REPRESENTATIVE COOK,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN P. CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No. 63 returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 63 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Senate Bill No. 826 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 826 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS .

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 67, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 454, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 467, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 701, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 771, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 797, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 843, BY SENATOR BAKER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:20 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 67

SENATE BILL NO. 454

SENATE BILL NO. 467

SENATE BILL NO. 701

SENATE BILL NO. 771

SENATE BILL NO. 797

SENATE BILL NO. 843

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 23rd day of March 2009, at 10:20 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Angela Tollette
Secretary

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO PROVIDE FOR RECESS OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON APRIL 9, 2009; TO PROVIDE FOR AN EXTENSION OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY UNTIL 12:00 NOON, MAY 1, 2009; TO AUTHORIZE THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, BY JOINT PROCLAMATION, TO RECONVENE THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT ANY TIME BEFORE 12:00 NOON, MAY 1, 2009, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING VETOES, CORRECTING ERRORS OR OVERSIGHTS, COMPLETING ITS WORK ON PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS,

CONSIDERING ANY ISSUES THAT MAY ARISE FROM THE PASSAGE OF THE FEDERAL STIMULUS PACKAGE, AND CONSIDERING THE NEED FOR FURTHER EXTENSION OF THE REGULAR SESSION OR TO ADJOURN THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT ANY TIME BEFORE THAT DATE IF THEY DETERMINE THAT THERE IS NO NEED TO RECONVENE; TO PROVIDE THAT IF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS NOT RECONVENED OR ADJOURNED BEFORE 12:00 NOON, MAY 1, 2009, THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS ADJOURNED SINE DIE ON THAT DATE.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 13 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senate Elliott, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1020 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1020
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BLOUNT, ALLEN, T. BAKER, DAVIS, FLOWERS, INGRAM, W. LEWELLEN, RAINEY, SHELBY, WILLIAMS & WORD
BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT AND STEELE

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO ENCOURAGE MORTGAGE LENDERS TO IMPOSE A NINETY-DAY MORATORIUM ON ALL RESIDENTIAL FORECLOSURE ACTIONS IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1020 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1020 was returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Horn, Senate Bill No. 809 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 809

Amend Senate Bill No. 809 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 26 through 36 and substitute the following:

"(2)(A) The board shall not change, alter, ~~or~~ amend, or repeal ~~any~~ a provision of the bylaws adopted by the members except upon a unanimous vote of the directors in favor of ~~such a~~ the change, alteration, ~~or~~ amendment, or repeal.

(B) ~~In the event~~ If the directors ~~shall~~ change, alter, ~~or~~ amend, or repeal a bylaw provision ~~pursuant to~~ under this section, the bylaw provision shall ~~be submitted to the members of the cooperative at their next annual or special meeting~~ remain effective unless the change, alteration, amendment, or repeal of the bylaw provision is presented by the members at the next annual or special meeting of the board.

(C) If the members at the next annual or special meeting of the board do not vote to ratify the directors' action in changing, altering, ~~or~~ amending, or repealing the bylaw provision in question, the bylaw provision in question ~~will~~ shall be deleted from the bylaws, and the bylaw provision in question shall revert, effective the day after the members' meeting, to the wording ~~which~~ that was in place immediately before the directors changed, altered, ~~or~~ amended, or repealed the bylaw provision."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 5

AND

Delete SECTION 2 of the bill in its entirety

AND

Page 2, Line 24, delete "SECTION 3" and substitute "SECTION 2"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 809 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1586 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1586

Amend House Bill No. 1586 as engrossed, H3/2/09:

Page 1, delete lines 32 through 35 and substitute:
"family member of the person to consume alcohol on the private property."

AND

Page 2, delete line 5 and substitute:
"(4) This subsection does not apply to any consumption of alcohol during religious ceremonies or for religious purposes.
(b)(1) A first violation of this section is a Class C misdemeanor."

(SIGNED) SENATOR R. THOMPSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1586 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bookout, House Bill No. 1712 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1712

Amend House Bill No. 1712 as engrossed, H3/16/09:

Page 23, delete line 10, and substitute the following:

"The Arkansas state income tax treatment of the following events"

AND

Page 23, delete lines 21 through 25

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL BOOKOUT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1712 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 993 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 993

As Engrossed: S3/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ORAL LEASES OF FARMLANDS; TO PROVIDE AN EMERGENCY EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 993 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 993, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 993 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 884 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 884
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE TIME FOR THE DIRECTOR OF THE ARKANSAS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION TO RESPOND TO AN ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT; TO REQUIRE THE DIRECTOR TO SEND PROPOSED RULES TO THE REGULATORY REVIEW COMMITTEE; TO CREATE THE REGULATORY REVIEW COMMITTEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 884 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 884 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Smith, Senate Bill No. 806 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 806

As Engrossed: S3/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS T. SMITH, ALTES, G. BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, HORN, B. JOHNSON, P. MALONE, TEAGUE & H. WILKINS

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HAWKINS, HOYT, ABERNATHY, DUNN, GLIDEWELL, HARDY, HYDE, INGRAM, W. LEWELLEN, MAXWELL & RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENACT THE STATE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT GENERAL OMNIBUS BILL; TO UPDATE AND MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO THE ARKANSAS INSURANCE LAWS; TO REPEAL SECTION 1 OF ACT 901 OF 1993, CONCERNING THE PAYMENT OF INSURANCE AGENT FEES; TO AMEND THE CAPITAL REQUIREMENTS FOR DOING BUSINESS UNDER THE SERVICE CONTRACTS ACT, § 4-114-101 ET

SEQ.; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 11-9-801(a) TO AUTHORIZE THE PAYMENT OF WORKERS' COMPENSATION BENEFITS BY ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFER; TO AMEND THE GENERAL PENALTY SECTION OF THE INSURANCE CODE; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-61-103(d) CONCERNING THE RELEASE OF ACTIVE EXAMINATION OR INVESTIGATORY FILES; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-61-207 TO PROVIDE CONFIDENTIALITY PROTECTION FOR ANICILLARY FINANCIAL AND INSURANCE INFORMATION REQUESTED BY THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER; TO PERMIT THE BIENNIAL COLLECTION OF LICENSE FEES AND ESTABLISH EQUAL NONRESIDENT INSURANCE AGENT LICENSE FEES BY INSURANCE COMMISSIONER RULE; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-61-703 TO REVISE THE DUE DATE OF AN INSURER'S ADMINISTRATIVE AND FINANCIAL REGULATION FEE; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-62-111 TO ADD EMPLOYER-SPONSORED HEALTH PLANS AS AN INSURED UNDER EMPLOYEE BENEFIT STOP-LOSS INSURANCE; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-63-111 TO REQUIRE AN INSURANCE PRODUCER TO MAIL OR DELIVER CLAIM LOSS INFORMATION TO THE POLICYHOLDER AFTER THE CLAIM LOSS INFORMATION HAS BEEN RECEIVED BY THE INSURANCE PRODUCER; TO MODERNIZE THE LAWS PERTAINING TO CHARITABLE GIFT ANNUITIES; TO REGULATE THE SUSPENSION OF AN INSURANCE COMPANY'S CERTIFICATE OF AUTHORITY; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-63-216(b)(5) TO REPEAL THE REQUIREMENT FOR FILING HARD COPIES OF FINANCIAL STATEMENTS WITH THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF INSURANCE COMMISSIONERS; TO REPEAL § 23-63-701(g) CONCERNING THE LIMIT OF RISK OF A MUTUAL INSURER; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-63-818 CONCERNING A DOMESTIC INSURER'S INVESTMENTS IN ITS SUBSIDIARIES; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-63-841 TO CORRECT AN INTERNAL REFERENCE; TO MAKE A TECHNICAL CORRECTION TO ARKANSAS CODE § 23-63-1105(b) CONCERNING CONTROLLED INSURERS; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-63-1607(b)(3)(A) TO CORRECT THE ARKANSAS CODE CITATION FOR AN ASSOCIATION CAPTIVE INSURANCE COMPANY'S ANNUAL REPORT; TO ADOPT THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF INSURANCE COMMISSIONERS PROPERTY AND CASUALTY ACTUARIAL OPINION MODEL LAW; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-64-209 TO IMPLEMENT A CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENT AND A NOTICE REQUIREMENT FOR INSURANCE ADJUSTERS; TO PROVIDE A BIENNIAL CYCLE TO CONTINUE A LICENSE OF AN INSURANCE ADJUSTER OR INSURANCE CONSULTANT; TO CLARIFY THE RECORD RETENTION REQUIREMENTS OF INSURANCE AGENTS AND

BROKERS; TO REVISE THE CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS FOR INSURANCE PRODUCERS; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-64-405(g)(2) TO CORRECT AN INTERNAL REFERENCE; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-65-311 TO REQUIRE SURPLUS LINES BROKERS TO PROVIDE CLAIM LOSS INFORMATION TO THE POLICYHOLDER; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-69-113 TO ELIMINATE THE USE OF CORPORATE SURETY BONDS AS ACCEPTABLE SECURITIES FOR DOMESTIC MUTUAL INSURERS; TO CLARIFY THE DEPOSIT REQUIREMENTS OF FARMERS' MUTUAL AID ASSOCIATIONS; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-75-106 TO REQUIRE A HOSPITAL MEDICAL SERVICE CORPORATION TO NOTIFY THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER IF IT CHANGES OR AMENDS ITS ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION OR BYLAWS; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-79-109(a)(1)(B) TO EXEMPT SURPLUS LINES INSURERS FROM FILING POLICY AND CONTRACT FORMS FOR APPROVAL; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-79-138 TO INCLUDE INFORMATION TO ACCOMPANY TITLE INSURANCE POLICIES; TO REMOVE THE EXEMPTION FOR MEDICAL MALPRACTICE INSURANCE FROM THE MINIMUM POLICY REQUIREMENTS OF § 23-79-301 ET SEQ.; TO AUTHORIZE THE ARKANSAS COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH INSURANCE POOL TO INCREASE MAXIMUM LIFETIME BENEFITS FOR POOL POLICYHOLDERS, STRENGTHEN PROTECTION AGAINST FRAUDULENT INSURANCE ACTS, AND UPDATE BENEFIT EXCLUSION PROVISIONS IN POOL PLANS; TO REVISE THE DEFINITION OF A SMALL EMPLOYER FOR SMALL GROUP HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE; TO PROVIDE SIXTY DAYS' NOTICE OF THE RENEWAL OR NONRENEWAL OF A COMMERCIAL AUTOMOBILE INSURANCE POLICY; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-93-103 TO REVISE THE DEFINITION OF "CONTINUING CARE" UNDER THE CONTINUING CARE PROVIDER REGULATION ACT; TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY FOR SECTION 20 OF THIS ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 806 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 806, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 806 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 819 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 819

As Engrossed: S3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS LAVERTY AND *STEELE*

BY: REPRESENTATIVES COOPER AND EVERETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE ADMINISTRATIVE PROCESSES AT THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES AND THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO BETTER PROTECT PERSONS WHO HAVE DISABILITIES, PERSONS WHO HAVE DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES, PERSONS WHO ARE ELDERLY, AND CHILDREN BY CONSOLIDATING THE VARIOUS PROCESSES FOR CONDUCTING CRIMINAL HISTORY CHECKS FOR DIVERSE SERVICE PROVIDERS AND THEIR EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 819 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 819 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 769 at this time.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 769 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 769

Amend Senate Bill No. 769 as engrossed, S3/19/09:

Page 1, delete lines 10 through 13 of the Title and substitute:

"AN ACT TO CHANGE THE STANDARD OF PROOF CONCERNING CLAIMS FOR EXEMPTIONS, DEDUCTIONS, AND CREDITS; TO SET THE STANDARD FOR REVIEW OF"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO CHANGE THE STANDARD OF PROOF CONCERNING CLAIMS FOR EXEMPTIONS,
DEDUCTIONS, AND CREDITS AND TO SET THE STANDARD FOR REVIEW ON APPEAL."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 27-36 and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 26, Chapter 18, Subchapter 3 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

26-18-313. Standard of Proof for Exemptions, Deductions, and Credits.

The standard of proof for the taxpayer to establish facts to support a claim for an exemption, deduction, or credit is clear and convincing evidence."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1-16.
AND

Page 3, delete lines 1 through 5 and substitute:

"the standard of proof for the taxpayer to prove an exemption, deduction, or credit should be changed to clear and convincing evidence, and that in trials de novo or appeals within"

(SIGNED) SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 769 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 882 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 882

As Engrossed: S3/12/09 S3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ALTES

BY: REPRESENTATIVE S. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE STATUTE REGARDING VICTIM RESTITUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 882 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 882 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 410 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 410

As Engrossed: S3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 5 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 410 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 410 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 515 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 515

As Engrossed: S3/10/09 S3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON

BY: REPRESENTATIVE POWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE CHILD WELFARE AGENCY LICENSING ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 515 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: Teague.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 515 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 788 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 788

As Engrossed: S3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS H. WILKINS, *ELLIOTT & STEELE*

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARRELSON, L. SMITH & WILLIAMS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO AMEND THE JUVENILE CODE TO ALLOW A COURT TO CONSIDER WHETHER A CONFESSION OR WAIVER OF COUNSEL WAS RECORDED WHEN DETERMINING WHETHER THE CONFESSION OR WAIVER OF COUNSEL WAS MADE FREELY, VOLUNTARILY, AND INTELLIGENTLY; TO CODIFY THE CASE LAW REGARDING THE CIRCUMSTANCES A COURT MAY CONSIDER IN EVALUATING A CONFESSION OF A JUVENILE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

Senate Bill No. 788 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 788 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 901 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 901

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING UNOPPOSED CANDIDATES IN CERTAIN ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 901 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 901 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 470 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 470

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A LEGISLATIVE TASKFORCE ON REDUCING POVERTY AND PROMOTING ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 470 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Glover, Hendren, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, H. Wilkins, D. Wyatt.

Total 27

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bryles, Faris, Horn, J. Key, Teague, Whitaker, Wilkinson.

Total 8

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 27

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 470 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 942 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 942

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE ON CRIMINAL JUSTICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 942 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Glover, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, D. Johnson, Laverty, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, R. Thompson, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 25

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bryles, Faris, Hendren, B. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, J. Taylor, Teague, Whitaker.

Total 10

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....25

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 942 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Glover, Senate Bill No. 988 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 988

As Engrossed: S3/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MAKEUP OF THE MEMBERS OF THE *PAROLE BOARD*; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 988 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 988 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 812 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 812

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A CONSISTENT REVIEW PROCESS FOR A CONTRACT BY A STATE AGENCY THAT RESULTS

IN A PARTIAL EQUITY OWNERSHIP AGREEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 812 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 812, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 812 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 813 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 813

As Engrossed: S3/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE IN ORDER TO CLARIFY AND SIMPLIFY PROVISIONS OF THE ELECTION LAWS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 813 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 813 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 972 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 972

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO CERTAIN BUSINESS ENTITY STATUTES AND THE MODEL REGISTERED AGENTS ACT, § 4-20-101 ET SEQ., CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF DESIGNATED OFFICES AND SERVICE UPON A FOREIGN ENTITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 972 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 972 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 1001 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 1001

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A RACIAL PROFILING HOTLINE; TO ESTABLISH CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL IN REPORTING RACIAL PROFILING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1001 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1001 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 608 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Broadway, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 608 at this time.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 608 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 608

Amend Senate Bill No. 608 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 9, delete “CERTAIN”

AND

Page 1, line 15, delete “CERTAIN”

AND

Page 1, delete lines 27 through 36, and substitute the following:

"14-86-2101. Legislative intent.

This subchapter applies to all improvement districts organized under Arkansas law that use the county collector for collection of improvement district assessments unless otherwise noted.

14-86-2102. Annual improvement district filing.

(a) By March 1 of each year or upon the creation of an improvement district, an improvement district that uses or intends to use the county collector for collection of improvement district assessments shall:

(1)(A) File an annual report with the county clerk in any county in which any portion of the improvement district is located.

(B) The annual report shall be available for inspection and copying by assessed landowners in the improvement district.

(C) The county clerk shall not charge any costs or fees for filing the annual report.

(D) The improvement district shall deliver a filed copy of the report to the county collector within five (5) days of filing; and

(2)(A) Notify all assessed landowners in the improvement district of the portion of the accounting containing items listed in subdivisions (b)(5)-(7) of this section by:

(i) Mail;

(ii) Electronic mail;

(iii) Publishing in a newspaper of general circulation in the county;

(iv) Posting at the court house in a conspicuous place;

(v) Posting on the Internet; or

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(vi) Hand delivery.

(B) The improvement district shall certify to the county collector that the requirement in subdivision (a)(2)(A) of this section has been met."

AND

Page 2, line 1, delete "accounting" and substitute "annual report"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 7 through 10 and substitute the following:
"district, if any;
(4) The most recent balance sheet or other financial statement of the improvement district for the prior calendar year,"

AND

Page 2, line 14, delete "indebtedness;" and substitute "indebtedness, if any;"

AND

Page 2, line 15, delete "from the previous year;" and substitute "; and"

AND

Page 2, delete line 16

AND

Page 2, line 17, delete "(E)" and substitute "(D)"

AND

Page 2, line 19, delete "(6)" and substitute "(5)"

AND

Page 2, delete line 21, and substitute the following:
"(6) The date, time, and location for any scheduled meeting of the"

AND

Page 2, line 23, delete "(8)" and substitute "(7)"

AND

Page 2, line 25, delete "(9)" and substitute "(8)"

AND

Page 2, delete line 26, and substitute the following:
"assessments are to be paid by the county treasurer; and"

AND

Page 2, line 27, delete "(10)" and substitute "(9)"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 29 through 36, and substitute the following:

"(c) An improvement district that complies with subsection (a) of this section is not required to file an annual report under § 14-89-1102.
(d)(1) An improvement district that does not comply with subsection (a) of this section:

(A) Commits a violation punishable by a fine of not less than one hundred dollars ($100) and not more than one thousand dollars ($1,000) for each offense.

(B) Any fine recovered under subdivision (d)(1)(A) of this section shall be deposited into the county clerk's cost fund.

(e)(1) On or before November 1, the improvement district shall file its annual assessment with the county clerk.

(2)(A) After filing the annual assessment, the improvement district shall deliver a copy of the filed annual assessment to the preparer of the tax books.

(B) If the county collector is not the designated preparer of the tax books, a copy of the filed annual assessment shall be delivered to the county collector.

(3) The annual assessment shall contain:

(A) A list of each parcel with an assessment levied against it within the improvement district;

(B) The method used to derive the assessment; and

(C) The contact information for the improvement district assessor.

(4) The annual assessment shall not include assessments on parcels that would otherwise not appear on the tax books for the following year.

(5) After the November 1 deadline to file the annual assessment, any other assessments submitted by the improvement district for the annual assessment may be rejected by the county collector."

AND

Page 3, delete line 1

AND

Page 3, line 3, delete "14-86-2102." and substitute "14-86-2103."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 4 through 11, and substitute the following:

"(a) A county treasurer may retain up to five percent (5%) of all remittances to a fire district in reserve until final settlement is made in December of each year.

(b) Upon approval of the governing body of a fire district, a county treasurer may retain up to ten percent (10%) of all remittances to a fire district in reserve until final settlement is made in December of each year."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 13 through 25

AND

Page 3, line 27, delete "14-86-2105." and substitute "14-86-2104."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 28 through 36, and substitute the following:

"(a)(1) A county collector may certify all delinquent levies to an improvement district for collection by January 10 of each year.

(2)(A) A county collector shall accept a delinquent levy after certification to an improvement district if the payor is paying:

(i) In person; and

(ii) By separate check from the payment of ad valorem taxes.

(B) The county collector shall forward the delinquent levy to the improvement district.

(C)(i) The county collector is not required to provide a receipt for the payment of the delinquent levy.

(ii) The payor is responsible for obtaining a receipt for payment of the delinquent levy from the improvement district.

(b) A county collector who continues to collect and remit delinquent levies to the improvement district after certification shall impose penalties prescribed by law on behalf of the improvement district."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 1 through 5

AND

Page 4, line 7, delete "14-86-2106." and substitute "14-86-2105."

(SIGNED) SENATOR S. BROADWAY

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 608 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1459 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 2076 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 2076 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress , House Bill No. 1604 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1604
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF VARIOUS LIFETIME HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSES TO RESIDENTS; TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF A THREE-YEAR HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSE TO A RESIDENT WHO IS TOTALLY DISABLED; TO ALLOW FOR THE ISSUANCE OF HUNTING-ONLY AND FISHING-ONLY LICENSES TO RESIDENTS; TO SET THE FEES FOR THE VARIOUS LICENSES; TO PROVIDE FOR RULES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1604 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1604 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1846 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1846
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MOORE, REYNOLDS, ABERNATHY, ALLEN, T. BAKER, T. BRADFORD, J. BROWN, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CASH, COLE, COOK, L. COWLING, DALE, DAVENPORT, J. DICKINSON, DUNN, FLOWERS, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HAWKINS, HOUSE, HOYT, HYDE, INGRAM, KIDD, KING, LINDSEY, LOVELL, MAXWELL, MCLEAN, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RICE, T. ROGERS, SAMPLE, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WORD, CHEATHAM, J. EDWARDS, MCCRARY & SHELBY
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE ECONOMIC STIMULUS THROUGH THE DEVELOPMENT AND USE OF WILDLIFE OBSERVATION TRAILS; TO CREATE THE WILDLIFE OBSERVATION TRAILS PILOT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1846 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1846 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1847 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1847
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MOORE, REYNOLDS, ABERNATHY
ALLEN, T. BAKER, T. BRADFORD, J. BROWN, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CASH, COLE, COOK, L. COWLING, DALE, DAVENPORT, J. DICKINSON, DUNN, FLOWERS, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HAWKINS, HOUSE, HOYT, HYDE, INGRAM, KIDD, KING, LINDSEY, LOVELL, MAXWELL, MCLEAN, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RICE, T. ROGERS, SAMPLE, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WORD, CHEATHAM, J. EDWARDS, MCCRARY & SHELBY
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE WILDLIFE RECREATION FACILITIES PILOT PROGRAM; TO PROMOTE THE USE AND ENJOYMENT OF WILDLIFE RECREATION THROUGH THE DEVELOPMENT AND CONSTRUCTION OF WILDLIFE RECREATION FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1847 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1847 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1901 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1901

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES SLINKARD, CARTER, HARRELSON & HOBBS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO STOP CHILD SUPPORT PAYMENT REQUIREMENTS FOR PERSONS WHO HAVE HAD THEIR PARENTAL RIGHTS TERMINATED BY THE MINOR CHILD'S ADOPTION BY ANOTHER PERSON; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1901 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1901 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Smith, House Bill No. 1002 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1002

As Engrossed: H3/12/09 H3/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WILLS, *REEP, MALOCH, J. ROEBUCK, M. BURRIS, ABERNATHY, ALLEN, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BLOUNT, J. BROWN, CARNINE, CARROLL, CASH, CHEATHAM, COOK, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, GASKILL, GEORGE, R. GREEN, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOUSE, HOYT, HYDE, KIDD, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MOORE, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, RAGLAND, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WOODS, WORD, COLE & POWERS*

BY: SENATORS T. SMITH, SALMON, BROADWAY, TRUSTY, BOOKOUT, B. JOHNSON, STEELE, G. BAKER, BRYLES, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HORN, J. JEFFRESS, G. JEFFRESS, LAVERTY, MADISON, P. MALONE, MILLER, J. TAYLOR, WILKINSON, & D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS SCHOLARSHIP LOTTERY ACT; TO ESTABLISH, OPERATE, AND REGULATE STATE LOTTERIES AS AUTHORIZED BY THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION; TO SUPPLEMENT HIGHER EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIPS WITH NET PROCEEDS FROM THE STATE LOTTERY; TO PROVIDE FOR THE EXCHANGE OF DATA NEEDED TO EVALUATE STATE-SUPPORTED STUDENT FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1002 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1002, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1002 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Steele, House Bill No. 1983 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1983

As Engrossed: S3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE NUMBER OF HEALTH CARE WORKERS FROM GROUPS THAT ARE UNDERREPRESENTED INCLUDING NATIVE AMERICANS, AFRICAN-AMERICANS, ALASKAN NATIVES, PACIFIC AMERICANS, HISPANIC AMERICANS, NATIVE HAWAIIANS, AND PACIFIC ISLANDERS IN HEALTH PROFESSION FIELDS IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

On motion of Senator Steele, House Bill No. 1983 was pulled down

On motion of Senator Smith, House Bill No. 1402 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1402

As Engrossed: H2/24/09 S3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS CIGARETTE FIRE SAFETY STANDARD ACT; CONCERNING THE REDUCED IGNITION PROPENSITY STANDARDS FOR CIGARETTES SOLD IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; TO CREATE THE CIGARETTE FIRE SAFETY STANDARD FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1402 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 25

NEGATIVE: Whitaker.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bryles, Faris, B. Johnson, J. Key, P. Malone, Miller, Teague, H. Wilkins.

Total 9

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 26

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1402 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 769, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 769 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

On motion of Senator Glover, House Bill No. 2073 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2073
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DATE THE TERM OF OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF STATE LANDS BEGINS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2073 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2073 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, House Bill No. 1834 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1834
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LINDSEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CONTINUE THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT PROVISIONS AFFECTING THE RECORDS AND MEETINGS OF PUBLIC WATER SYSTEMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1834 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1834, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1834 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Bill No. 2029 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2029
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. BROWN
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SPECIFY CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH AGRICULTURAL LAND ACQUIRED BY A FOREIGN PARTY MUST BE REGISTERED WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2029 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2029 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 769, BY SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER
CHAIRMAN
SENATOR JOHN P. CAPPS
SENATOR BOBBY GLOVER
SENATOR TERRY SMITH
SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 205 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 205

JBC 03/18/09 (6)

Amend Senate Bill No. 205 as engrossed, S2/23/09:

Page 3, line 29, delete "$ 500,000" and substitute "$ 1,500,000"

AND

Page 3, line 30, delete "40,000" and substitute "20,000"

AND

Page 3, line 35, delete "30,174,734" and substitute "28,000,000"

AND

Page 4, line 2, delete "153,987" and substitute "307,974"

AND

Page 4, line 4, delete "3,710,345" and substitute "4,277,169"

AND

Page 4, line 8, delete "250,000" and substitute "200,000"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 11 and 12 and insert therefore:
" (14) SINGLE PARENT SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM 175,000"

AND

Page 4, line 16, delete "11,200,000" and substitute "11,000,000"

AND

Page 4, line 18, delete "$ 64,090,783" and substitute "$ 63,511,860"

AND

Page 6, line 19, delete "1,610,000" and substitute "1,950,000"

AND

Page 6, line 20, delete "341,600" and substitute "410,000"
AND

Page 6, line 21, delete "179,800" and substitute "230,000"

AND

Page 6, line 22, delete "111,800" and substitute "130,400"

AND

Page 6, line 23, delete "913,347" and substitute "1,100,000"

AND

Page 6, line 24, delete "360,000" and substitute "400,000"

AND

Page 6, line 26, delete "$ 3,916,547" and substitute "$ 4,620,400"

AND

Following Section 12, insert a new section:
" SECTION 13. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS GOVERNMENT WORKER LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Higher Education, to be payable from the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, for costs associated with the reimbursement/repayment of federal student loans made to qualifying state government workers as determined by the Department of Higher Education for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010
(01) AR GOVERNMENT WORKER LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM	$ 5,000,000"

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent sections.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 205 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 417 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment Nos. 2 and 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 417

JBC 03/18/09(4)

Amend Senate Bill No. 417 as engrossed, S3/12/09:

Following Section 14, insert a new section:
" SECTION 15. APPROPRIATION - UAMS - HEALTHCARE INITIATIVE. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences, to

be payable from the University of Arkansas Medical Center Fund, for personal services, operating expenses and grants of the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010
(01)	AREA HEALTH EDUCATION CENTERS	$ 3,400,000
(02)	ARKANSAS HEALTH DATA INITIATIVE	700,000
(03)	UAMS NORTHWEST ARK MEDICAL SCHOOL	3,000,000
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	$ 7,100,000"

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent Sections.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 417

JBC 03/19/09(52)

Amend Senate Bill No. 417 as engrossed, S3/12/09:

Page 18, line 9, delete "$ 1,255,931" and substitute "$ 5,000,000"

AND

Following Section 14, insert two new sections:

" SECTION 15. APPROPRIATION - CASH FUND – PHARMACY STUDENT LOANS. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences, to be payable from the cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801, for loans to pharmacy students by the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences – College of Pharmacy for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010
(01)	PHARMACY STUDENT LOANS	$ 550,000

SECTION 16. APPROPRIATION - POISON AND DRUG INFORMATION CENTER. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences, to be payable from the Miscellaneous Agencies Fund, for personal services, maintenance and operating expenses of the Poison and Drug Information Center of the College of Pharmacy for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010
(01) POISON AND DRUG INFORMATION CENTER PERSONAL SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATING EXPENSES	$ 400,000"

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent sections.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 417 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 291 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 291

JBC 03/19/09(3)

Amend Senate Bill No. 291 as engrossed, S2/23/09:

Page 2, line 25, delete "50,000" and substitute "67,856"
And

Page 3, line 28, delete "$2,598,687,865" and substitute "$2,598,705,721"

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 291 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 41 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 41

JBC 03/18/09(1)

Amend Senate Bill No. 41 as originally introduced:

Page 3, line 12, delete "no more than $200,000 each fiscal year for educational programs, either public or private, for impaired physicians with alcohol or drug abuse problems." and substitute "~~no more than $200,000 each fiscal year for educational programs, either public or private, for impaired physicians with alcohol or drug abuse problems.~~ $25 from each licensed physician licensed by the State Medical Board each year to be paid by the State Medical Board to 501(c)(3) Arkansas foundations that have healthcare professionals on their board and provide for identification, treatment and monitoring of healthcare professionals who suffer from alcohol or drug abuse problems, in order to promote the public health and safety and to insure the continued availability of skilled and highly trained medical professionals for the benefit of the public."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 41 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 87 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 87 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 87
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS ETHICS COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 87 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 87, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 87 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1183 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1183 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1183
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL DIVISION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1183 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1183, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1183 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1185 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1185 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1185
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE MEDICAID EXPANSION PROGRAM FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1185 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1185, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1185 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1523 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1523 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1523
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1523 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1523, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1523 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1524 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1524 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1524
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - MOUNTAIN HOME FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1524 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1524, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1524 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1525 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1525 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1525
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - ARKANSAS BIOSCIENCES INSTITUTE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1525 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1525, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1525 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1526 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1526 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1526
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE RICH MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1526 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1526, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1526 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1527 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1527 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1527
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE EAST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1527 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1527, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast..... 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1527 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1528 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1528 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1528
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT HOPE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1528 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1528, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1528 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1529 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1529 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1529
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE BLACK RIVER TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1529 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1529, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1529 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1530 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1530 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1530
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - FORT SMITH FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1530 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1530, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1530 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1532 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1532 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1532
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1532 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1532, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1532 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1533 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1533 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1533
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE NATIONAL PARK COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1533 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1533, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1533 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1534 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1534 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1534
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OZARKA COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1534 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1534, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1534 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1535 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1535 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1535
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE MID-SOUTH COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1535 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1535, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1535 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1536 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1536 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1536
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE SOUTHERN ARKANSAS UNIVERSITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1536 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1536, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1536 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1537 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1537 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1537
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE NORTH ARKANSAS COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1537 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1537, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1537 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1538 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1538 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1538
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS NORTHEASTERN COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1538 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1538, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1538 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1539 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1539 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1539
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE NORTHWEST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1539 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1539, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1539 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1540 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1540 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1540
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1540 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1540, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1540 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1541 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1541 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1541
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE COSSATOT COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1541 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1541, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1541 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1542 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1542 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1542
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1542 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1542, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1542 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1777 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1777 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1777

As Engrossed: H3/13/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE AUDITOR OF STATE OPERATIONS AND UNCLAIMED PROPERTY PROGRAM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1777 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1777, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1777 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 144 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 144 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 144

As Engrossed: S3/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 144 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 144, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 144 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 744 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 744 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 744
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1229 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 744 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 744, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 744 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 809, BY SENATOR HORN,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1586, BY REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1712, BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 21
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE FAYETTEVILLE HIGH SCHOOL PURPLE BULLDOGS AS CLASS 7-A BOYS' STATE BASKETBALL CHAMPIONS.

Senate Resolution No. 21 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 22
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE FAYETTEVILLE HIGH SCHOOL PURPLE BULLDOGS AS CLASS 7-A GIRLS' STATE BASKETBALL CHAMPIONS.

Senate Resolution No. 22 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1002

As Engrossed: H3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. SMITH, *BARNETT, HOUSE, D. HUTCHINSON, LINDSEY, M. MARTIN, PYLE & SUMMERS*

BY: *SENATORS MADISON, BLEDSOE, J. KEY & B. PRITCHARD*

HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION *CELEBRATING THE LIFE AND CONTRIBUTIONS, AND MOURNING THE PASSING OF, JOHN MILES LEWIS.*

House Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 1002 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1149

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES CHEATHAM AND R. GREEN

BY: SENATORS BROADWAY AND J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PAYMENT OF INCENTIVE BONUSES FOR CERTIFIED SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGISTS WHO HOLD A NATIONAL CERTIFICATE OF CLINICAL COMPETENCE IN SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY FROM THE AMERICAN SPEECH-LANGUAGE-HEARING ASSOCIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1149 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1160
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING AUCTIONEERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1160 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1188
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DIVISION OF LEGISLATIVE AUDIT OF THE LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1188 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1190

As Engrossed: H3/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS GOVERNOR'S MANSION COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1190 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1242

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE LAND DEPARTMENT AND FOR DISTRIBUTING PROCEEDS FROM THE SALE OR REDEMPTION OF TAX DELINQUENT LAND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1242 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1564
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HALL, BLOUNT, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, CASH, DAVIS, HYDE, INGRAM, LOVELL, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, POWERS, RAINEY & WEBB
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT FOR THE BOLL WEEVIL ERADICATION PROGRAM FOR REDUCING LONG TERM DEBT FOR THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEAPRTMENT - PLANT BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1564 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1591
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE FLOWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR GRANTS TO COMMUNITY-BASED AFTERSCHOOL AND ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1591 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1593
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE AUCTIONEERS LICENSING BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1593 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1595
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE ARKANSAS SEARCH DOG ASSOCIATION, INC., A PRIVATE, NONPROFIT ENTITY, FROM PAYMENT OF SALES AND USE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1595 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1632
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MOORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - CRIMINAL JUSTICE INSTITUTE FOR SAFE SCHOOLS PROGRAM EDUCATION AND TRAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1632 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1659
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE FLOWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SOUTHEAST ARKANSAS COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, AND PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1659 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1660

As Engrossed: H3/5/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES FLOWERS, RAINEY & WORD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATIONS OF A HEALTHCARE CENTER *AND FOR CREATION OF A VOCATIONAL AND WORKFORCE EDUCATION COALITION*; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1660 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1667

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR A PROSECUTING ATTORNEY - DIVISION A FOR THE FIFTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT FOR THE AUDITOR OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1667 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1676
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE T. ROGERS
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PHILLIPS COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR STUTTGART CAMPUS COMMUNITY CENTER CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1676 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1678
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BARNETT, LINDSEY, BAIRD, M. MARTIN, CARROLL, ENGLISH, CARNINE, SUMMERS, HOUSE & HOBBS
BY: SENATORS BLEDSOE AND B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR STUDY AND DEVELOPMENT OF PROJECTS OF REGIONAL SIGNIFICANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1678 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1681
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS WATERWAYS COMMISSION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 53 OF 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1681 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1719
As Engrossed: H3/12/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX. OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, POWELL, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING

OFFICER FOR SUPPLEMENTING THE DISTRIBUTION OF FUNDS TO CITIES AND COUNTIES THROUGHOUT ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1719 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1720

As Engrossed: H3/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX. OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, POWELL, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR GRANTS TO FIRE DEPARTMENTS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1720 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1722

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX. OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, POWELL, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT FOR ALTERNATIVE FUELS AND ENERGY GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1722 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1723

As Engrossed: H3/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX. OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, POWELL, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR STATEWIDE GRANTS TO PUBLIC LIBRARIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1723 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1724

As Engrossed: H3/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX. OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, POWELL, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT - LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY FOR FAIR GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1724 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1726

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX. OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, POWELL, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE STATE ATHLETIC COMMISSION FOR GRANTS TO BOYS AND GIRLS CLUBS STATEWIDE FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, MAINTENANCE, PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT, PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1726 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1727

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX. OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, POWELL, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS FOR OPERATING, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENTS, EQUIPMENT, RENOVATION, AND MAINTENANCE EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1727 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1728

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX. OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, POWELL, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS WATERWAYS COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1728 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1729

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX. OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, POWELL, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR A GRANT TO THE BOOKS FOR *ARKANSAS* STUDENTS' EDUCATION PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1729 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1730

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX. OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, POWELL, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR COMMUNITY GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1730 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1731

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX. OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, POWELL, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE - HISTORIC PRESERVATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES AND GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1731 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1732

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX. OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, POWELL, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORITY FOR OPERATING EXPENSES AND GRANTS IN SUPPORT OF THE SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING AND MATHEMATICS (STEM) PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1732 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1733

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX. OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, POWELL, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF COUNTY OPERATIONS FOR HOMELESS SHELTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1733 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1735

As Engrossed: H3/12/09 H3/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX. OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, POWELL, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE, EQUIPMENT AND LIBRARY RESOURCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1735 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1738

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX. OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, POWELL, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS CRIME INFORMATION CENTER FOR ARKANSAS REAL-TIME SCRAP METAL LOGBOOK EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1738 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1739

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX. OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, POWELL, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FOR A STATEWIDE 2-1-1 INFORMATION AND REFERRAL SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1739 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1740

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX. OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, POWELL, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR GRANTS TO THE ARKANSAS HUNGER RELIEF ALLIANCE TO SUPPORT HUNGER RELIEF EFFORTS THROUGHOUT THE STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1740 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1743

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX. OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, POWELL, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR SKIN CANCER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1743 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1749
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS WATERWAYS COMMISSION FOR A REGIONAL INTERMODAL GRANT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1749 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1750
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR A REGIONAL INTERMODAL GRANT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1750 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1771

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1771 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1775

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF VOLUNTEERISM

FOR A NON-PROFIT SUPPORT GRANT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1775 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1776

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS,* WILLS, *WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1776 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1781
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON
BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR OPERATIONS, EQUIPMENT AND CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS FOR THE ARKANSAS RESEARCH AND EDUCATION OPTICAL NETWORK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1781 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1793
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE GENERAL REVENUES APPROPRIATED TO THE ARKANSAS STATE FAIR AND LIVESTOCK SHOW ASSOCIATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1793 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1821
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES RAGLAND AND WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR THE ARKANSAS ROCK AND ROLL, COUNTRY MUSIC, AND ENTERTAINERS HALL OF FAME; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1821 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1822
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES RAGLAND AND WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1822 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1823
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES RAGLAND AND WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR OPERATING, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENTS, PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT, RENOVATION AND MAINTENANCE EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1823 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1824
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE - HISTORIC PRESERVATION FOR GRANTS FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING, CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, EQUIPPING AND MAJOR MAINTENANCE EXPENSES FOR HISTORIC PRESERVATION PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1824 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1825

As Engrossed: H3/13/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS FOR *CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS AND MILITARY FUNERAL HONORS;* AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1825 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1845

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES STEWART, COOK, PIERCE & R. GREEN

BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE REDESIGN AND SIMPLIFICATION OF MILITARY SERVICE AND VETERANS SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES; TO HELP WITH THE COSTS OF PROVIDING MILITARY FUNERAL HONORS AT VETERANS' FUNERALS; TO CREATE THE MILITARY FUNERAL HONORS FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1845 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1881

As Engrossed: H3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS

BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE FAIR MORTGAGE LENDING ACT, § 23-39-501 ET SEQ.; TO REVISE BONDING, REPORTING, RECORDS, PROHIBITED ACTIVITIES, PENALTIES, AND OTHER PROVISIONS OF THE FAIR MORTGAGE LENDING ACT, § 23-39-501 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1881 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1950

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY

BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE COMMUNITY MATCH INCOME INCENTIVE PROGRAM THROUGH THE ARKANSAS RURAL MEDICAL PRACTICE STUDENT LOAN AND SCHOLARSHIP BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1950 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1955

As Engrossed: H3/11/09 H3/17/09 H3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE *INGRAM*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE AUTHORIZATION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE SALES FOR CERTAIN LARGE ATTENDANCE FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1955 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2014

As Engrossed: H3/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE DISCLOSURE OF CONTRACTS BETWEEN STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND EMPLOYEES HAVING A FINANCIAL INTEREST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2014 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2023

As Engrossed: H3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT BEFORE A LAW ENFORCEMENT VEHICLE IS SOLD FOR RESALE ALL LIGHTS, DECALS, LAW ENFORCEMENT RADIOS, SIRENS, AND OTHER ITEMS THAT ARE ASSOCIATED WITH LAW ENFORCEMENT VEHICLES SHALL BE REMOVED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2023 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2119

As Engrossed: H3/13/09 H3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WOODS AND *RAINEY*

BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE CONNECT ARKANSAS BROADBAND ACT, § 4-113-101 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2119 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2173

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE ON SICKLE CELL DISEASE; TO PROVIDE FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF ITS MEMBERS; TO DESCRIBE ITS MISSION AND RESPONSIBILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2173 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2201

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE LEA

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING MEMBERS OF A BOARD OF CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSIONERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2201 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2212

As Engrossed: H3/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY WHEN EMPLOYEES OF NURSING FACILITIES ARE NOT REQUIRED TO INITIATE CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION FOR UNWITNESSED DEATHS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2212 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2230

As Engrossed: H3/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE TO ESTABLISH EMPLOYMENT AND INVESTMENT THRESHOLDS FOR COMPLIANCE FOR WINDMILL BLADE AND WINDMILL COMPONENT MANUFACTURERS; TO PROVIDE FOR INCENTIVES FOR WINDMILL BLADE AND COMPONENT MANUFACTURERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2230 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2256

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MAXWELL

BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SPECIFY THAT BIOMASS GROWN FOR THE PURPOSE OF BIOFUEL PRODUCTION IS NOT SUBJECT TO A SEVERANCE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2256 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1021

As Engrossed: H3/13/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES W. LEWELLEN, BLOUNT, WILLIAMS & RAINEY

BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE AND COMMEND ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA SORORITY, INC. FOR ONE HUNDRED ONE (101) YEARS OF SERVICE TO AFRICAN-AMERICAN COLLEGE WOMEN AND THE COMMUNITY.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1021 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1485
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SAUNDERS, BARNETT, T. BRADFORD, J. BROWN, CHEATHAM, COLE, L. COWLING, J. EDWARDS, FLOWERS, HALL, HARRELSON, HOYT, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, SUMMERS, TYLER & WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF ELECTION OFFICIALS AND ELECTION OFFICERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1485 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1647
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXTEND THE ABILITY TO PURCHASE RURAL WATER SERVICE FACILITIES TO A MUNICIPALITY AFTER ANNEXATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1647 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1920
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PLACE REASONABLE RESTRICTIONS ON YOUTHFUL CONSUMERS WHO UTILIZE TANNING FACILITIES; TO REQUIRE RECORD KEEPING AT TANNING FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1920 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1942
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A CITY THAT ADJOINS A BORDER CITY THAT IS SEPARATED BY A NAVIGABLE RIVER FROM A CITY IN ANOTHER STATE TO SELL CIGARETTES AT THE RATE USED BY THE BORDER CITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1942 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2002
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MAXWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADD A DEFINITION FOR "SYNTHETIC TRANSPORTATION FUEL"; TO AMEND THE DEFINITIONS OF “ALTERNATIVE FUELS” AND “BIOMASS”; TO INCREASE THE INCENTIVES FOR AN ALTERNATIVE FUELS PRODUCER, A FEEDSTOCK PROCESSOR, AND AN ALTERNATIVE FUELS DISTRIBUTOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2002 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2145
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REGARDING THEFT OF CATTLE OR LIVESTOCK A PERSON HAS WON AT AN AUCTION BUT WHO FAILS TO PAY FOR THE CATTLE OR LIVESTOCK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2145 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Senate Bill No. 143 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 379 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 447 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 663 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 830 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 26 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1703
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE PATIENT PROTECTION AND ANY WILLING PROVIDER LAWS; TO REQUIRE THE STATE EMPLOYEE AND PUBLIC SCHOOL PERSONNEL SELF-FUNDED HEALTH BENEFIT PLANS TO COMPLY WITH ARKANSAS'S PATIENT PROTECTION AND ANY WILLING PROVIDER LAWS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1703 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 65, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1327, BY REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1553, BY REPRESENTATIVE T. BRADFORD,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1633, BY REPRESENTATIVE REEP,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1715, BY REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1985, BY REPRESENTATIVE CLEMMER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2032, BY REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN,

HOUSE BILL NO. 2052, BY REPRESENTATIVE DISMANG,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2055, BY REPRESENTATIVE DISMANG,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2257, BY REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 41, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 205, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 291, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 417, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 205 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 291 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 417 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 608, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 608 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1725

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS,* WILLS, *WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT GRANTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1725 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 399, BY SENATOR WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 464, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 772, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 785, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 786, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1030, BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1853, BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1934, BY REPRESENTATIVE HYDE,

HOUSE BILL NO. 2074, BY REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2259, BY REPRESENTATIVE COLE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 23, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1800, BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 87
SENATE BILL NO. 144
SENATE BILL NO. 410
SENATE BILL NO. 470
SENATE BILL NO. 515
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SENATE BILL NO. 812
SENATE BILL NO. 813
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SENATE BILL NO. 882
SENATE BILL NO. 884
SENATE BILL NO. 901
SENATE BILL NO. 942
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SENATE BILL NO. 988
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SENATE BILL NO. 1001

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AS PASSED

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1777
HOUSE BILL NO. 1834
HOUSE BILL NO. 1846
HOUSE BILL NO. 1847
HOUSE BILL NO. 1901
HOUSE BILL NO. 2029
HOUSE BILL NO. 2073

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1402 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1020

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE

AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 26

SENATE BILL NO. 64

SENATE BILL NO. 72

SENATE BILL NO. 73

SENATE BILL NO. 82

SENATE BILL NO. 140

SENATE BILL NO. 143

SENATE BILL NO. 153

SENATE BILL NO. 193

SENATE BILL NO. 244

SENATE BILL NO. 379

SENATE BILL NO. 389

SENATE BILL NO. 396

SENATE BILL NO. 400

SENATE BILL NO. 419

SENATE BILL NO. 437

SENATE BILL NO. 446

SENATE BILL NO. 447

SENATE BILL NO. 525

SENATE BILL NO. 663

SENATE BILL NO. 773

SENATE BILL NO. 830

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE

AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 63 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILL NO. 826 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1149

HOUSE BILL NO. 1160

HOUSE BILL NO. 1188

HOUSE BILL NO. 1190

HOUSE BILL NO. 1242

HOUSE BILL NO. 1485

HOUSE BILL NO. 1564

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1632

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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1021

HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED
HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1002

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 24, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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SEVENTY-SECOND DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

March 24, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Key.

Senator Wyatt requested leave for Senator Thompson.

Leave granted.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 876 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 876

Amend Senate Bill No. 876 as engrossed, S3/17/09:

Page 5, line 10, delete "March 1" and substitute "~~March 1~~ April 1"

AND

Page 5, line 12, delete "year." and substitute "year along with a copy of the budget for the previous year and a copy of the year-end appropriation and expenditure analysis of any participating or supporting counties, cities, or agencies."

(SIGNED) SENATOR D. WYATT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 876 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 903 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 903

Amend Senate Bill No. 903 as engrossed, S3/19/09:
Page 2, delete line 36 and substitute the following:

"(a)(1)(A) Beginning January 1, 2010 for the 2010-2011 school year, an international student exchange visitor placement"

AND
Page 4, line 36, delete "approval" and substitute "registration"

AND

Page 5, line 3, delete "approval" and substitute "registration"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 6 and 7 and substitute the following:
"miles of his or her assigned students."

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 903 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 799 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 799

Amend Senate Bill No. 799 as originally introduced:

Add the following as cosponsors of the bill

Senators: Madison, Salmon, H. Wilkins

Representatives: Rainey, T. Baker, Blount, Carroll, L. Smith

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 799 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1990 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1990

Amend House Bill No. 1990 as engrossed, H3/13/09:

Add Representative Abernathy as a cosponsor of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1990 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 799, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 903, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 799 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 903 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 876, BY SENATOR D. WYATT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 876 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1990, BY REPRESENTATIVE ROEBUCK ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1990 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 526, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 567, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 714, BY SENATOR B. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 746, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 390, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 391, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 745, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 608, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1899, BY REPRESENTATIVE SLINKARD,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1474, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1607, BY REPRESENTATIVE DUNN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1694, BY REPRESENTATIVE HYDE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1625, BY REPRESENTATIVE DUNN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2009, BY REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1939, BY REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 253, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 299, BY SENATOR H. WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 867, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 871, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1052, BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1892, BY REPRESENTATIVE DUNN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1893, BY REPRESENTATIVE DUNN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2151, BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 64, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 72, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 73, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 82, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

SENATE BILL NO. 140, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 153, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 193, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 244, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 389, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 396, BY SENATORS ELLIOTT, BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 400, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 419, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 437, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 446, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 525, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE
SENATE BILL NO. 773, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 143, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 379, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 447, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 663, BY SENATOR HORN,
SENATE BILL NO. 830, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 26, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:35 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 64
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SENATE BILL NO. 447
SENATE BILL NO. 663
SENATE BILL NO. 830
SENATE BILL NO. 26

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 24th day of March, 2009 at 9:35 a.m..

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Sarah S. Agee
Secretary

Senate Bill No. 872 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 13 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO PROVIDE FOR RECESS OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON APRIL 9, 2009; TO PROVIDE FOR AN EXTENSION OF THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY UNTIL 12:00 NOON, MAY 1, 2009; TO AUTHORIZE THE PRESIDENT PRO TEMPORE OF THE SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, BY JOINT PROCLAMATION, TO RECONVENE THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT ANY TIME BEFORE 12:00 NOON, MAY 1, 2009, FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING VETOES, CORRECTING ERRORS OR OVERSIGHTS, COMPLETING ITS WORK ON PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS, CONSIDERING ANY ISSUES THAT MAY ARISE FROM THE PASSAGE OF THE FEDERAL STIMULUS PACKAGE, AND CONSIDERING THE NEED FOR FURTHER EXTENSION OF THE REGULAR SESSION OR TO ADJOURN THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT ANY TIME BEFORE THAT DATE IF THEY DETERMINE THAT THERE IS NO NEED TO RECONVENE; TO PROVIDE THAT IF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS NOT RECONVENED OR ADJOURNED BEFORE 12:00 NOON, MAY 1, 2009, THE REGULAR SESSION OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY IS ADJOURNED SINE DIE ON THAT DATE.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 13 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 13 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 13 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1016 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1016
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES COOK, CASH, J. DICKINSON, GASKILL, KIDD, PATTERSON & J. ROGERS
BY: SENATORS MILLER AND D. WYATT

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOMMENDING THAT THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS, THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, THE SECRETARY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, AND THE DIRECTOR OF THE FEDERAL HIGHWAY ADMINISTRATION ENSURE THAT A SIGNIFICANT PORTION OF FUNDING FOR TRANSPORTATION INFRASTRUCTURE BE COMMITTED TO COMPLETE CONSTRUCTION OF HIGHWAY 67 FROM NEWPORT, ARKANSAS, TO THE MISSOURI STATE LINE.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1016 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1016 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1800 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1800

Amend House Bill No. 1800 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 30, add the words "the offender" after the word "assess"

AND

Page 2, line 1, add the words "the offender" after the word "charge"

AND

Page 2, line 1, delete the word "fee." and substitute the following:
"fee if the credit card company will allow the charge."

AND

Page 2, line 13, add the words "the offender" after the word "assess"

AND

Page 2, delete line 18 and substitute the following:

"entity may charge the offender a service or convenience fee if the credit card company will allow the charge."

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1800 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Horn, Senate Bill No. 809 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 809

As Engrossed: S3/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND AND MAKE TECHNICAL CHANGES TO THE RURAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS COOPERATIVE ACT, § 23-17-201 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 809 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 809 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1673 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1673

Amend House Bill No. 1673 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 27 and substitute:

"cardboard buyer's tag to the vehicle as provided in this section.

(3) This section places no civil or criminal liability upon the dealer or any agent or employee for the motor vehicle buyer's or operator's failure to comply with the terms of subsections (c) and (d) of this section."

AND

Page 2, line 10, delete "dealer" and substitute "dealer, which shall expire upon the expiration date of the original temporary cardboard buyer's tag"

(SIGNED) SENATOR TEAGUE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1673 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 769 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 769

As Engrossed: S3/19/09 S3/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO CHANGE THE STANDARD OF PROOF CONCERNING CLAIMS FOR EXEMPTIONS, DEDUCTIONS, AND CREDITS; TO SET THE STANDARD FOR REVIEW OF* ADMINISTRATIVE TAX DETERMINATIONS ON APPEAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 769 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 769, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 769 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 399 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 399

As Engrossed: S3/2/09 S3/9/09 S3/17/09 S3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO UPDATE THE PROCEDURE FOR ACQUIRING AN ACCESS EASEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 399 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 399 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 920 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 920
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE TECHNOLOGY ACCELERATION FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 920 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 920 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, House Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 1002 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 1002

As Engrossed: H3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. SMITH, *BARNETT, HOUSE, D. HUTCHINSON, LINDSEY, M. MARTIN, PYLE & SUMMERS*

BY: *SENATORS MADISON, BLEDSOE, J. KEY & B. PRITCHARD*

HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTION *CELEBRATING THE LIFE AND CONTRIBUTIONS, AND MOURNING THE PASSING OF, JOHN MILES LEWIS.*

House Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 1002 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Memorial Resolution No. 1002 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 65 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 65

As Engrossed: S3/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 8 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 65 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 65 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 786 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 786
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO UPDATE THE REFERENCES IN THE ARKANSAS CODE RELATED TO THE CHILD MALTREATMENT ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 786 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 786 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 772 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 772
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ENTRIES INTO THE JUDGMENT BOOK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 772 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 772 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 464 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 464

As Engrossed: S3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS MADISON AND J. KEY

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO HELP TO ENSURE THE HEALTH, SAFETY, AND WELFARE OF CHILDREN BY MODERNIZING AND UPDATING THE LAW RELATED TO CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT; TO ADOPT THE CHILD MALTREATMENT ACT; TO REPEAL THE ARKANSAS CHILD MALTREATMENT ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 464 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 464 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 2256 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 2256 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 785 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 785
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE DISCLOSURE OF PERSONALLY IDENTIFIABLE INFORMATION OF A LIBRARY PATRON; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 785 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B.

Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 785 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Steele, House Bill No. 1983 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1983

As Engrossed: S3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE NUMBER OF HEALTH CARE WORKERS FROM GROUPS THAT ARE UNDERREPRESENTED INCLUDING NATIVE AMERICANS, AFRICAN-AMERICANS, ALASKAN NATIVES, PACIFIC AMERICANS, HISPANIC AMERICANS, NATIVE HAWAIIANS, AND PACIFIC ISLANDERS IN HEALTH PROFESSION FIELDS IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1983 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1983 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Bill No. 2247 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2247

As Engrossed: S3/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, GLIDEWELL & HOYT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CODIFY THE DUTY AND THE OBLIGATION OF A MINERAL LESSEE TO A MINERAL LESSOR; TO ALLOW THE PARTIES TO AN OIL AND GAS LEASE TO STIPULATE THE PRUDENT OPERATOR STANDARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2247 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: J. Key.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 2247, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: J. Key.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2247 was ordered returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1843 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1843

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES STEWART, COOK, PIERCE, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, J. ROEBUCK & PENNARTZ

BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE ACT OF 2005 TO ALLOW RETIRED MEMBERS OF THE ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES TO OBTAIN SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES FOR NOMINAL FEES; TO AMEND PROVISIONS RELATED TO SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES FOR MILITARY SERVICE AND VETERANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1843 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1843 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 2132 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2132

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE STEWART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT AN OWNER OF A BOAT LIVERY SHALL RECORD THE REGISTRATION NUMBER OF A MOTORBOAT; TO REQUIRE A BOAT LIVERY TO NOT ALLOW A VESSEL TO DEPART FROM THE PREMISES WITHOUT THE EQUIPMENT REQUIRED BY LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2132 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2132 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1634 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1634

As Engrossed: H3/9/09 S3/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE STEWART

BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE USE OF AN ALL-TERRAIN VEHICLE BY A PERSON WITH A SERIOUS WALKING HANDICAP; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1634 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1634 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1842 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1842

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES STEWART, COOK, PIERCE, J. ROEBUCK, PENNARTZ & ENGLISH

BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION TO ISSUE GOLD STAR FAMILY SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES FOR THE SPOUSE OR PARENT OF A MEMBER OF THE ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES WHO HAS BEEN KILLED IN A CONFLICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1842 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1842 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1979 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1979
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW ELECTRONIC FUNDS TRANSFERS BY CERTAIN WATER SYSTEMS FOR PAYMENT OF DEBTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1979 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1979 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1624 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1624

As Engrossed: H3/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES DUNN, *LOWERY, MALOCH, M. BURRIS,* BAIRD, BARNETT, BREEDLOVE, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARTER, CLEMMER, DALE, DISMANG, ENGLISH, GARNER, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, HOPPER, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, KERR, KING, LEA, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MOORE, PENNARTZ, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, WELLS & *RAGLAND*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROMOTE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT WITHIN THE STATE BY EXEMPTING FROM THE STATE SALES TAX FUEL AND ENERGY USED OR CONSUMED IN MANUFACTURING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1624 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: D. Johnson.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....33

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1624, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: D. Johnson.

Total 2

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 33

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1624 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, House Bill No. 2222 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2222
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES ADCOCK AND HALL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ANIMAL RESCUE AND SHELTER TRUST FUND; TO PROVIDE FOR AND ISSUE A SPECIAL LICENSE PLATE FOR THE SUPPORT OF ANIMAL RESCUE AND SHELTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2222 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 2222, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2222 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 1961 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1961

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT TO ANALYZE WRONG-WAY CRASHES ON INTERSTATES AND OTHER FREEWAYS THAT ARE A PART OF THE STATE HIGHWAY SYSTEM; TO IMPLEMENT WARRANTED AND FEASIBLE COUNTERMEASURES THAT MAY REDUCE THE POSSIBILITY OF WRONG-WAY CRASHES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1961 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1961 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bookout, House Bill No. 1712 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1712

As Engrossed: H3/16/09 S3/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE ELECTRIC UTILITIES TO RECOVER THE COST OF RESTORATION OF DAMAGES CAUSED BY STORMS AND RELATED PERILS THROUGH SECURITIZATION OF SUCH STORM RESTORATION AND RELATED COSTS; TO PRESCRIBE THE MEANS AND MANNER IN WHICH SUCH SECURITIZATION SHALL BE AUTHORIZED; AND MATTERS RELATED THERETO.

House Bill No. 1712 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1712, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1712 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Smith, House Bill No. 2034 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2034
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE DISTRIBUTION OF FINES COLLECTED RELATED TO UNLAWFUL TOWING OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2034 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 2034, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2034 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Steele, House Bill No. 1576 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1576
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADJUST FOR INFLATION THE AMOUNT IN CONTROVERSY REGARDING WAGE DISPUTES HEARD AND DECIDED BY THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1576 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 31

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Hendren, B. Pritchard.

Total 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1576 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wilkinson, House Bill No. 2046 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2046
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WELLS AND INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING WRITTEN CONTRACTS FOR THE SOLICITATION OF ADVERTISING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2046 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2046 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bookout, House Bill No. 1902 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1902

As Engrossed: H3/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES CASH, WEBB, *BOUNT, CARROLL, R. GREEN, HARRELSON, KIDD, MOORE, J. ROEBUCK, L. SMITH, WAGNER & B. WILKINS*

BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE ELECTRIC AUTOCYCLES TO BE LICENSED AND REGISTERED AS MOTORCYCLES; TO PROVIDE STANDARDS FOR AUTOCYCLES; TO CREATE THE ELECTRIC AUTOCYCLE ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1902 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1902 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1867 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1867
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE NOTICE TO BE GIVEN TO A MOTOR VEHICLE LIENHOLDER BEFORE THE ISSUANCE OF A DUPLICATE MOTOR VEHICLE TITLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1867 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill.....18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1867 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1906 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1906

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. COWLING, ALLEN, COLE, D. CREEKMORE, ENGLISH, GARNER, GLIDEWELL, HALL, HAWKINS, HOUSE, HOYT, INGRAM, MALOCH, MOORE, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, POWERS, REEP, T. ROGERS, SAUNDERS, G. SMITH & STEWART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO DESIGNATE THE PECAN AS THE OFFICIAL NUT OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1906 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1906 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Glover, House Bill No. 1904 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1904
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCCRARY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE INSURANCE PROTECTION FOR RAILROAD EMPLOYEES TRANSPORTED BY CONTRACT CARRIERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1904 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1904 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Glover, House Bill No. 2200 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2200
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PATTERSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS INFORMATION SYSTEMS ACT OF 1997, § 25-4-101 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2200 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2200 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Smith, House Bill No. 1653 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1653
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: HOUSE MANAGEMENT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES - STAFF FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1653 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1653, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1653 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 2259 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2259

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE COLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT INCREASING THE FELONY CLASSIFICATION FOR NEGLIGENT HOMICIDE; TO PROVIDE FOR LICENSE SUSPENSION FOR A CONVICTION FOR NEGLIGENT HOMICIDE; TO PROVIDE FOR A DWI ENHANCEMENT FOR A CONVICTION FOR NEGLIGENT HOMICIDE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2259 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2259 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1030 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1030

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO GRANT THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION THE AUTHORITY TO SHUT DOWN UNLICENSED TRANSITIONAL HOUSING FOR CRIMINAL OFFENDERS WHO HAVE BEEN TRANSFERRED, PAROLED, OR PLACED ON PROBATION THROUGH THE ARKANSAS CRIMINAL JUSTICE SYSTEM; TO ALLOW FOR CIVIL PENALTIES FOR OPERATION OF UNLICENSED TRANSITIONAL HOUSING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1030 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bookout, Broadway, Capps, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 23

NEGATIVE: Hendren, B. Pritchard.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Altes, Bledsoe, Bryles, Crumbly, B. Johnson, Luker, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins.

Total 10

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 25

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1030 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, and without objection, the House was requested to return Senate Bill No. 138 for further consideration.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

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March 24, 2009

The Honorable Jo Renshaw
Chief Clerk
House of Representatives
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Renshaw:

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate of Senate Bill 138.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 163 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 163

Amend Senate Bill No. 163 as engrossed, S2/18/09:

Page 2, delete lines 10 through 15, and substitute the following:

"(B)(i) "Final average compensation" as used in this section means the combined highest salaries from the preceding and succeeding systems equaling thirty-six (36) complete months divided by three (3) if a member has:

(a) Fewer than twenty (20) years of credited service on July 1, 2009; and

(b) Fewer than three (3) years of service in a succeeding reciprocal system.

(ii) If the member is a state police officer covered"

(SIGNED) SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Retirement Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 163 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 163

As Engrossed: S2/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE CALCULATION OF DEFERRED ANNUITIES; TO ALLOW ADDITIONAL TIME FOR MEMBERS OF THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO SELECT CONTRIBUTORY SERVICE; TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF REDUCED ANNUITY UNDER OPTION B75; TO AMEND THE RETIREMENT MEMBERSHIP OF DISTRICT COURT CLERKS IN THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 163 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 163 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 190 at this time.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 190 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 190

As Engrossed: S3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENCOURAGE JUDICIAL SERVICE AND RETENTION OF JUDGES THROUGH RETIREMENT INCENTIVES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 190 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 190, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 190 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1110 at this time.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1110 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1110
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE KERR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF COMPENSATION UNDER THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO INCLUDE A BONUS PAID TO A COUNTY OR MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1110 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1110, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1110 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 179 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 179

As Engrossed: S2/18/09 S3/3/09 S3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

BY: *REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MULTIPLIER USED BY THE LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO FUND THE INCREASED MULTIPLIER BY AN INCREASE IN THE MEMBER'S CONTRIBUTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 179 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Bookout, Broadway, Capps, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Madison, Miller, T. Smith, Steele, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 19

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Hendren, B. Pritchard, Salmon, J. Taylor, Trusty, Whitaker.

Total 7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Altes, G. Baker, Bryles, Crumbly, D. Johnson, Luker, P. Malone, Teague.

Total 9

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 26

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

The record pertaining to the vote by which the Emergency Clause on Senate Bill No. 179 failed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on March 24, 2009.

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There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 179, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Bookout, Broadway, Capps, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Madison, Miller, T. Smith, Steele, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 19

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Hendren, B. Pritchard, Salmon, J. Taylor, Trusty, Whitaker.

Total 7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Altes, G. Baker, Bryles, Crumbly, D. Johnson, Luker, P. Malone, Teague.

Total 9

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....26

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

* * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * *

Senator G. Jeffress moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Emergency Clause on Senate Bill No. 179 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 179, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 25

NEGATIVE: Faris.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Altes, G. Baker, Crumbly, Elliott, B. Johnson, Luker, J. Taylor, H. Wilkins.

Total 9

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 26

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 179 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 41 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 41

As Engrossed: S3/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE MEDICAL BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 41 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 41, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 41 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1188 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1188 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1188

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DIVISION OF LEGISLATIVE AUDIT OF THE LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1188 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1188, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1188 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1190 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1190 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1190
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS GOVERNOR'S MANSION COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1190 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1190, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1190 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1242 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1242 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1242
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE LAND DEPARTMENT AND FOR DISTRIBUTING PROCEEDS FROM THE SALE OR REDEMPTION OF TAX DELINQUENT LAND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1242 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1242, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1242 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1149 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1149 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1149

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES CHEATHAM & R. GREEN

BY: SENATORS BROADWAY & J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PAYMENT OF INCENTIVE BONUSES FOR CERTIFIED SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGISTS WHO HOLD A NATIONAL CERTIFICATE OF CLINICAL COMPETENCE IN SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY FROM THE AMERICAN SPEECH-LANGUAGE-HEARING ASSOCIATION FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1149 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1149, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1149 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1593 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1593 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1593
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE AUCTIONEERS LICENSING BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1593 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1593, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1593 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1667 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1667 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1667
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR A PROSECUTING ATTORNEY - DIVISION A FOR THE FIFTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT FOR THE AUDITOR OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1667 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1667, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1667 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1681 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1681 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1681
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS WATERWAYS COMMISSION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 53 OF 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1681 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1681, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1681 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1793 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1793 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1793

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE GENERAL REVENUES APPROPRIATED TO THE ARKANSAS STATE FAIR AND LIVESTOCK SHOW ASSOCIATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1793 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1793 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1673, BY REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1800, BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No. 54 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 192 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 767 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 875 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1167
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES COOPER, DUNN, EVERETT, GEORGE & WELLS
BY: SENATORS P. MALONE, MILLER & WILKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW TIPPED FOOD SERVICE EMPLOYEES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM TO BE CONSIDERED SUBSTANTIALLY GAINFULLY EMPLOYED FOR PURPOSES OF THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1167 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1895
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE KERR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE IMPOSITION OF AN ACCIDENT RESPONSE SERVICE FEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1895 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2070

As Engrossed: H3/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES REYNOLDS, COOPER, GEORGE, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, LOVELL, NIX *& HOYT*

BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDARDS AND TRAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2070 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

March 24, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 163, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS

CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No. 163 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 41
SENATE BILL NO. 65
SENATE BILL NO. 163
SENATE BILL NO. 179
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AS PASSED

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HOUSE BILL NO. 2070

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Wednesday, March 25, 2009.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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SEVENTY-THIRD DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

March 25, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Pritchard.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 665 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 665

Amend Senate Bill No. 665 as originally introduced:

Insert an additional Section immediately following Section 1 to read as follows:
" SECTION 2. REGULAR SALARIES. There is hereby established for the Arkansas Agriculture Department for the 2009-2010 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however, that any position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101), or its successor.

Item No.	Class Code	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2009-2010
(1)	B010N	VETERINARY VIROLOGIST	1	GRADE N904
		MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	1	

SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Agriculture Department, to be payable from the Livestock and Poultry Special Revenue Fund, for personal services of the Arkansas Agriculture Department - Livestock and Poultry for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010
(01)	REGULAR SALARIES	$ 90,000
(02)	PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	22,569
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	$ 112,569"

And

Appropriately renumber the subsequent Sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE BRYLES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 665 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 929 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 929

Amend Senate Bill No. 929 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 29 and 30 and substitute the following:
"(A) Publication on its website; and"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 21 through 25

AND

Page 2, line 26, delete "(e)(1)" and substitute "(d)(1)"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 28 through 31 and substitute the following:
"requests notification of the late adoption or change within one (1) business day of receipt by the bookstore or department responsible for textbook adoption records at a state-supported institution of higher education concerning the change or late adoption required by subsection (c) of this section."

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 929 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 844 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 844

Amend Senate Bill No. 844 as originally introduced:

Page 7, delete line 7 and substitute the following:

"physical medicine and rehabilitation services are delivered.

(3) This subchapter shall not be construed to limit or restrict the authority of a licensed chiropractor to practice under § 17-81-101 et seq."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 844 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 998 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 998

Amend Senate Bill No. 998 as engrossed, S3/23/09:

Page 1, delete lines 28 through 31 and substitute the following language:

"(2) Review any policies or changes to policies proposed by the board of directors; and

(3) Propose additional policies or amendments to existing personnel policies to the board of directors."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 2 through 6 and substitute the following language:
"(2) New personnel policies or amendments to existing personnel policies proposed by the board of directors may not be voted on by the board of directors as a school district policy unless the final form of the policy to be voted on has been submitted as a proposed policy to the committee for consideration at least ten (10) working days ~~prior to~~ ~~presentation to~~ before the vote of the board of directors."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 9 through 11 and substitute the following language:
"(B) The recommendations ~~shall~~ may then become proposals ~~if adopted by~~ at the discretion of either the board of directors or the committee."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 13 and 14 and substitute the following language:
"chair shall be placed on the board of directors' agenda and shall have the opportunity to orally present to the board of directors the committee's comments, positions, or proposals on the final form of any proposed"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 18 through 20 and substitute the following language:
"(e) After the oral presentation to the board of directors, final action ~~shall~~ may be taken immediately, but final action shall be taken no later than the next regular board of directors meeting."

AND

Page 2, line 21 delete ", subject to"

AND
Page 2, line 22 delete "the committee review and presentation requirements under this section,"

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 998 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 999 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 999

Amend Senate Bill No. 999 as engrossed, S3/23/09:

Page 1, delete lines 30 through 33 and substitute the following language:

"(B) Review any policies or changes to policies proposed by the board of directors;

(C) Propose additional policies or amendments to the board of directors; and"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 5 through 10 and substitute the following language:

"(2) ~~if the proposals by the board of directors have~~ New personnel policies or amendments to existing personnel policies proposed by the board of directors may not be voted on by the board of directors as a school district policy unless the final form of the policy to be voted on has been submitted as a proposed policy to the committee for consideration at least ten (10) working days ~~prior to presentation~~ before the vote of the board of directors.

AND

Page 2, line 14 delete "~~if~~"

AND

Page 2, line 15 delete "~~adopted by~~" and substitute "~~if adopted by~~ at the discretion"

AND

Page 2, line 15 delete "at their"

AND

Page 2, line 16 delete "discretion"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 18 and 19 and substitute the following language:

"chair ~~will~~ shall be placed on the board of directors' agenda and shall have the opportunity to orally present to the board of directors the committee's comments, positions, or proposals on the final form of any"

AND

Page 2, delete line 25 and substitute the following language:
"of directors ~~shall~~ may take final action immediately, but final action shall be taken no later than its next regular board of"

AND

Page 2, line 27 delete ", subject to the"

AND

Page 2, line 28 delete "committee review and presentation requirements under this section,"

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 999 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 931 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 931

Amend Senate Bill No. 931 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 13 through 16 and substitute the following:
"AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO ESTABLISH POLICIES ADDRESSING THE

SELECTION AND USE OF TEXTBOOKS AND
COURSE MATERIALS AT STATE-SUPPORTED
INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION."

AND

Page 1, delete line 31 and substitute the following:
"(a)(1) A state-supported institution of higher"

AND

Page 1, delete line 36 and substitute the following:
"education and academic freedom.
(2) Development of the policies, procedures, and guidelines shall take into consideration issues concerning customized, single-use, and bundled course materials.
(b) A state-supported institution of higher education shall provide its policies, procedures, and guidelines to the Department of Higher Education by December 31, 2009."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 18

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 931 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 913 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 913

Amend Senate Bill No. 913 as originally introduced:

Add Senators G. Jeffress, Madison, Faris, P. Malone, H. Wilkins Representatives Lindsey, Reep as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete lines 31 and 32 and substitute the following:
"(2)(A) "Autism services provider" means a person, entity, or group that provides treatment of autism spectrum disorders.
(B) If the treatment provided by an autism services provider is applied behavior analysis, the autism services provider shall be certified as a behavior analyst by the Behavior Analyst Certification Board;"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 9 and 10 and substitute the following:
"relevant to autism spectrum disorders;
(6) "Health benefit plan" does not include an accident only, specified disease, hospital indemnity, Medicare supplement, long-term care, disability income, or other limited benefit health insurance policy;
(7) "Medically necessary" means reasonably expected to do the"

AND

Page 2, line 20, delete "(7)" and substitute "(8)"

AND

Page 2, line 23, delete "(8)" and substitute "(9)"

AND

Page 2, line 26, delete "(9)" and substitute "(10)"

AND

Page 2, line 29, delete "(10)" and substitute "(11)"

AND

Page 2, line 32, delete "(11)" and substitute "(12)"

AND
Page 3, delete line 10 and substitute the following:
"(b)(1) A health benefit plan shall provide coverage not to exceed a maximum annual benefit of fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) for the"

AND

Page 3, delete line 23 and substitute the following:
"(c) Unless the coverage required by this section will exceed the maximum annual benefit provided by subdivision (b)(1) of this section, the coverage required by this section is not subject to:"

AND

Page 3, line 33, delete "rehabilitative" and substitute "habilitative"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MARY ANNE SALMON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 913 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, Senate Bill No. 820 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 820

Amend Senate Bill No. 820 as engrossed, S3/19/09:

Page 5, delete line 35 and substitute "after the General Assembly convenes in ~~regular~~ a regular session and within fifteen (15) days after the General Assembly convenes in a fiscal"

AND

Page 6, line 1, delete "session" and substitute "session or fiscal session"

AND

Page 19, line 36, delete "§ 25-16-513" and substitute "Arkansas Code § 25-16-513"

AND

Page 20, line 2, delete "to shall digest" and substitute "~~to~~ shall digest"

(SIGNED) SENATOR RUTH WHITAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 820 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 894 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 894

Amend Senate Bill No. 1 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 9, delete “CONCERNNG” and substitute “CONCERNING”

AND

Page 1, line 14 , delete “CONCERNNG” and substitute “CONCERNING”

AND

Delete everything following the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 2-16-504(b)(1), concerning petitions to establish Johnson grass control and eradication districts, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) Immediately upon the submission of the petition to the county court or courts, the court or courts shall issue a proclamation calling the election in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. and notify the county board or boards of election commissioners in writing. The election shall be held on a date in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. but in no event more than ninety (90) days following publication of the proclamation.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 3-9-206(b)(1), concerning referendum elections for or against the sale of alcoholic beverages for on-premises consumption, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) The election shall be called by order of the quorum court in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. and held and conducted in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. and the results certified under the supervision of the county board of election commissioners in the manner provided by the election laws of this state.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 6-14-106, as amended by Act 292 of 2009, is amended to read as follows:

6-14-106. Polling places – Qualifications and appointment of election commissioners and poll workers.

(a)(1) The county board of election commissioners of each county shall designate all the polling sites for each school district in its respective county, including districts having territory in more than one (1) county but which are domiciled in its county for administrative purposes, and shall provide the election supplies and appoint the ~~election officials~~ poll workers for holding all school elections.

(2) The county board shall consult with each school district regarding:

(A) The number of polling sites to designate for each school district; and

(B) The location of the polling sites.

~~(3) Each polling site for a school district's annual school election shall be located within the school district.~~

(3) Polling sites for school elections shall be established by a majority vote of the members of the county board of election commissioners present.

(4)(A) The polling sites for each school election shall be the same as those established for the immediately preceding school election unless changed by order of the county board of election commissioners.

(B) Each polling site for a school district's annual school election shall be located within the school district.

(b) If a school district has territory in more than one (1) county, the county board of election commissioners of the county in which it is domiciled shall either:

(1) Designate one (1) or more polling sites in each county in which any part of the school district lies; or

(2) Designate one (1) or more polling sites in the county in which the school district is domiciled for administrative purposes, at which all qualified electors of the school district, regardless of their county of residence, may vote.

(c) When the county board of election commissioners of any county in which a school district is domiciled for administrative purposes determines that a polling site shall not be designated in the other county in which a portion of the school district lies, it shall designate and publish in a paper of general circulation in that area the location of the polling site in the county in which the school district is administered for those electors of the school district in the other county to vote. The county board of election commissioners shall take appropriate action to assure that the necessary precinct registration files are delivered to that polling site in order that the electors in the nonadministering county may vote in the school election.

(d) The board of directors of each school district shall cause to be published, by at least one (1) insertion in a newspaper with general circulation in the county or counties in which the school district is located, not more than ten (10) days nor less than three (3) days before any school election, a notice identifying the polling site for each ward or precinct. If the polling site for any ward or precinct has changed since the last school election, the notice shall indicate the change.

(e)(1) In addition to any other qualification under Arkansas law regarding members of the county board of election commissioners, a member of the county board of election commissioners who is a paid employee of any school district holding the election in the county shall be disqualified from participating as a member of the county board of election commissioners in any matter concerning the school election.

(2) In the event of a disqualification under subdivision (e)(1) of this section, the disqualified member shall notify the chair of the county committee of the affected party of the disqualification no later than sixty (60) days before the school election or, if the disqualified member is the county chair, the notice shall be provided to the chair of the state committee of the affected party.

(3) The chair of the county committee of the party affected by disqualification of a member of the county board of election commissioners shall appoint a qualified person to replace the disqualified member for the school election or, if the disqualified member is the county chair, the state chair of the affected party shall appoint a qualified person to replace the disqualified member for the school election.

(f)(1) The county board of election commissioners of the domicile county shall appoint one (1) election judge and one (1) election sheriff for each polling site and as many additional election clerks as are necessary for the efficient administration of elections at each polling site.

(2) In addition to any other qualification under Arkansas law regarding poll workers, a poll worker at a school election shall not be a paid employee of the school district holding the election.

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 6-14-111 is amended to read as follows:

6-14-111. Ballots — Write-in candidates.

(a)(1) All candidate filings pursuant to this subchapter shall be with the county clerk of the county in which the school district is domiciled for administrative purposes.

(2) All actions required of county boards of election commissioners shall be performed by the county board of election commissioners of the county in which the school district is domiciled for administrative purposes.

(b) The county board of election commissioners shall prepare and furnish ballots and all other necessary supplies for the annual school election.

(c) A candidate for a position on the board of directors of a school district may qualify for the ballot by filing a political practices pledge, an affidavit of eligibility, and either:

(1) ~~a~~ A petition; or

(2) ~~filing a~~ A notice of write-in candidacy.

(d)(1) The petition shall be directed to the county clerk and shall contain the names of at least twenty (20) registered voters who are residents of the school district and, if applicable, the electoral zone for the position.

(2) The petition shall:

(A) State the name and title of the candidate that the candidate proposes to appear on the ballot; and

(B) Identify the position sought, including without limitation the position number or other identifying information if applicable.

(e) The petition, affidavit of eligibility, and the candidate's political practices pledge shall be filed with the clerk during a one-week period ending at 12:00 noon sixty (60) days before the annual school election.

(f)(1) Candidates may begin circulating petitions not earlier than ninety (90) days before the annual school election.

(2) A signature dated more than ninety (90) days before the school election shall not be counted by the clerk as a valid signature.

(g) Votes for a write-in candidate for school district director shall not be counted or tabulated unless the candidate files with the county clerk during a one-week period ending at 12:00 noon fifty-five (55) days before the annual school election:

(1) A written notice of his or her intention to be a write-in candidate, identifying the position sought, including without limitation the position number or other identifying information if applicable;

(2) An affidavit of eligibility; and

~~(2)~~(3) The political practices pledge.

(h) The county board of election commissioners shall place on the ballot as candidates for school district director the names of any qualified registered voters whose political practices pledges and affidavits of eligibility have been filed and whose petitions have been filed with and verified by the county clerk of the county in which the school district is domiciled for administrative purposes.

(i)(1) On the day after the deadline for candidates to file for a position on the board of directors by petition, the county clerk shall certify to the board of election commissioners the names of those candidates who are registered voters in the school district and the electoral zone, if applicable, and who have qualified for the ballot by petition.

(2) Immediately after the close of the write-in filing period, the county clerk shall certify to the county board of election commissioners any write-in candidates who have filed ~~notices and political practices pledges~~ the affidavit of eligibility, the notice of write-in candidacy, and the political practices pledge with the clerk.

(j) The order in which the names of the respective candidates are to appear on the ballot shall be determined by lot at the public meeting of the county board of election commissioners held not later than fifty-five (55) days before the annual school election.

(k) When a candidate has identified the position sought on the petition or notice of write-in candidacy, the candidate shall not be allowed to change the position on that petition or notice of write-in candidacy but may withdraw a petition or notice of write-in candidacy and file a new petition or notice of write-in candidacy designating a different position before the deadline for filing.

SECTION 5. Arkansas Code § 6-14-122(c), concerning special elections to consider consolidation or annexation of school districts, is amended to read as follows:

(c) If the State Board of Education is petitioned by the board of directors of a school district or districts, by resolution duly adopted by majority vote of each of the local boards of directors, or when petitioned by at least twenty-five percent (25%) of the qualified electors of a school district or districts as certified in writing by the county clerk of each county where the school district or districts are located, the state board may call a special election to be held in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. to consider the question of consolidation or annexation of the school districts as otherwise allowed for in subsection (a) of this section.

SECTION 6. Arkansas Code § 6-53-307(e), concerning special elections on the issue of dedicating all or a portion of any undedicated county sales or use tax to any technical college, community college, two-year college, or satellite campus of a community college for capital improvements or maintenance and operation, is amended to read as follows:

(e) Any election called by the quorum court pursuant to this section shall be called pursuant to the proclamation issued by the quorum court and held in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

SECTION 7. Arkansas Code § 6-53-602(b)(2), concerning elections for the formation of a technical college district, is amended to read as follows:

(2) The local board or acting local board shall issue a proclamation and set a date for the election in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. but in no event later than ninety (90) days after the publication of the proclamation.

SECTION 8. Arkansas Code § 6-53-602(c)(2)(B), concerning elections for the formation of a technical college district, is amended to read as follows:

(B) The local board or acting local board shall issue a proclamation and set a date for the election in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

SECTION 9. Arkansas Code § 6-53-602(d)(3), concerning elections for tax levies in a technical college district, is amended to read as follows:

(3) In the alternative, the local board or acting local board may set a date for a special election in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

SECTION 10. Arkansas Code § 6-61-512 is amended to read as follows:

6-61-512. Formation of district — Election — Date.

The date of the election shall be set by the Secretary of State in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

SECTION 11. Arkansas Code § 6-61-520(c)(2), concerning filing as a candidate for the local board of a community college, is amended to read as follows:

(2) Any person desiring to be a candidate for a position on the local board shall, ~~not less than forty-five (45) days~~ not later than noon of the seventieth day prior to the general or annual school election at which the position on the board is to be filled, file a notarized statement of such candidacy with the county ~~board of election commissioners~~ clerk of each county of which any portion is in the community college district, in substantially the following form:

"State of Arkansas
County of . . . . . .
I, ..., being first duly sworn, state that I reside at . . . . . .; that I am a resident and qualified elector of . . . . . community college district; that I am a candidate for the office of position No. . . . . on the local board of such community college, and I hereby request that my name be placed on the ballot as a candidate for such position at the coming general or annual school election.
(Signed) . . . . . .
Subscribed and sworn to before me this . . . . . day of . . . . . ., 20 . . . . .
(Signed). . . . . .Notary Public . . . . . ."

SECTION 12. Arkansas Code § 6-61-602(c) and (d), concerning elections concerning millage taxes for community colleges, is amended to read as follows:

(c)(1) The local board of each community college shall certify, within the time provided by law, to the appropriate tax levying authority of each county or city of the district the aggregate millage to be levied for the district for operating purposes and indebtedness purposes, and the millage shall be levied and collected in the manner provided by law.

(2) If the amount of the budget to be supported from taxes levied by the district is in excess of the amount to be produced from taxes then authorized for the district, after allowing for tax proceeds pledged for indebtedness purposes, the local board of the community college shall certify, at least sixty (60) days before any election upon which the millage may be voted, the additional millage required to the county board of election commissioners of each county of which any portion is in the community college district. However, millage together with the rate then levied will not exceed ten (10) mills.

(3) The question of the levy shall be placed on the ballot at the next following general election or a special election called for that purpose pursuant to § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. as determined by the local board.

(d)(1) When the local board of a community college determines that the question of a tax levy in the district should be submitted to the electors of the district at a special election, it shall adopt a resolution to that effect and shall file a certified copy of the resolution with the county board of election commissioners of each county of which any portion is in the district that a special election shall be held in the district and shall set the date of the election, which shall be not more than ninety (90) days after the date of the proclamation required by § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

(2) The county board of election commissioners in each county of which any portion is included in a community college district shall prepare the ballots, furnish the election supplies, select the election judges and clerks, and make all necessary arrangements for conducting such elections.

(3) All laws applicable to the conduct of general elections, counting of ballots, and certification of the results thereof, and other matters relating to the holding of general elections, so far as the laws are appropriate shall be applicable to special elections held pursuant to the provisions of §§ 6-61-101 — 6-61-103, 6-61-201 — 6-61-209, 6-61-211 [repealed], 6-61-212 — 6-61-216, 6-61-301 — 6-61-305, 6-61-306 [repealed], 6-61-401, 6-61-402, 6-61-501 — 6-61-524, 6-61-601 — 6-61-603, and 6-61-604 — 6-61-612 [repealed].

(4) All expenses of conducting special elections held pursuant to the provisions of §§ 6-61-101 — 6-61-103, 6-61-201 — 6-61-209, 6-61-211 [repealed], 6-61-212 — 6-61-216, 6-61-301 — 6-61-305, 6-61-306 [repealed], 6-61-401, 6-61-402, 6-61-501 — 6-61-524, 6-61-601 — 6-61-603, and 6-61-604 — 6-61-612 [repealed] shall be paid from funds of the respective community college districts in which the elections are held.

SECTION 13. Arkansas Code § 6-71-105(b)(2)(A), concerning elections related to improvement districts for colleges and universities, is amended to read as follows:

(2)(A) The commission may call at any time within five (5) years an election in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. to determine whether this chapter shall become operative and may call subsequent elections in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. after the chapter has failed to carry if the commission has good reasons to believe that a majority of the electors then favor this chapter.

SECTION 14. Arkansas Code § 7-1-101 is amended to read as follows:

7-1-101. Definitions.

As used in this title, unless the context or chapter otherwise requires:

(1) "Administrator" means the administrative head of a long-term care or residential care facility licensed by the state who is authorized in writing by a patient of the long-term care or residential care facility to deliver the application for an absentee ballot and to obtain or deliver the absentee ballot to the county clerk;

(2) "Affidavit of eligibility" means an affidavit signed by a candidate for elective office stating that the candidate is eligible to serve in the office he or she seeks;

~~(2)~~(3) "Audit log" means an electronically stored record of events and ballot images from which election officials may produce a permanent paper record with a manual audit capacity for a voting system using voting machines;

~~(3)~~(4) "Authorized agent" means a person who is identified and authorized to deliver the application, obtain a ballot, and deliver the ballot on the day of the election to the county clerk by an applicant who is medically unable to cast a ballot at a polling site due to unforeseen medical necessity as set forth in an affidavit from the administrative head of a hospital or long-term or residential care facility;

~~(4)~~(5) "Canvassing" means examining and counting the returns of votes cast at a public election to determine authenticity;

~~(5)~~(6) "Constitutional officers of this state" means the offices of the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, Attorney General, Auditor of State, Treasurer of State, and Commissioner of State Lands;

~~(6)~~(7) "Counting location" means a location selected by the county board of election commissioners with respect to all elections for the automatic processing or counting, or both, of votes;

~~(7)~~(8) "Designated bearer" means any person who is identified and authorized by the applicant to obtain from the county clerk or to deliver to the county clerk the applicant's ballot;

~~(8)~~(9) "Election official" or "election officer" means a person who is a member of the county board of election commissioners or a person who is a poll worker designated by a county board of election commissioners to be an election clerk, election judge, or election sheriff;

~~(9)~~(10) "Electronic vote tabulating device" means a device used to electronically scan a marked paper ballot for the purpose of tabulation;

~~(10)~~(11) "Fail-safe voting" means the mechanism established under the National Voter Registration Act of 1993 that allows voters who have moved within the same county to vote at their new precinct without having updated their voter registration records;

~~(11)~~(12) "First-time voter" means any registered voter who has not previously voted in a federal election in the state;

~~(12)~~(13) "General or special election" means the regular biennial or annual elections for election of United States, state, district, county, township, and municipal officials and the special elections to fill vacancies therein and special elections to approve any measure. The term as used in this act shall not apply to school elections for officials of school districts;

~~(13)~~(14) "Majority party" means that political party in the State of Arkansas whose candidates were elected to a majority of the constitutional offices of this state in the last preceding general election;

~~(14)~~(15) "Marking device" means any approved device for marking a paper ballot with ink or other substance that will enable the votes to be tabulated by means of an electronic vote tabulating device;

~~(15)~~(16) "Minority party" means that political party whose candidates were elected to less than a majority of the constitutional offices of this state in the last preceding general election or the political party that polled the second greatest number of votes for the office of Governor in the last preceding general election if all of the elected constitutional officers of this state are from a single political party;

~~(16)~~(17) "Party certificate" means a written statement or receipt signed by the secretary or chair of the county committee or of the state committee, as the case may be, of the political party evidencing the name and title proposed to be used by the candidate on the ballot, the position the candidate seeks, payment of the fees, and filing of the party pledge, if any, required by the political party;

(18) "Party filing period" means the period of time established by law for the candidate for a political party's nomination to file his or her party certificate with the Secretary of State or county clerk, as the case may be;

~~(17)~~(19)(A) "Political party" means any group of voters that at the last preceding general election polled for its candidate for Governor in the state or nominees for presidential electors at least three percent (3%) of the entire vote cast for the office.

(B) No group of electors shall assume a name or designation that is so similar in the opinion of the Secretary of State to that of an existing political party as to confuse or mislead the voters at an election.

(C) When any political party fails to obtain three percent (3%) of the total votes cast at an election for the office of Governor or nominees for presidential electors, it shall cease to be a political party;

~~(18)~~(20) "Polling site" means a location selected by the county board of election commissioners where votes are cast;

~~(19)~~(21) "Precinct" means the geographical boundary lines dividing a county, municipality, township, or school district for voting purposes;

~~(20)~~(22) "Primary election" means any election held by a political party in the manner provided by law for the purpose of selecting nominees of the political party for certification as candidates for election at any general or special election in this state;

~~(21)~~(23) "Provisional ballot" means a ballot:

(A) Cast by special procedures to record a vote when there is some question concerning a voter's eligibility; and

(B) Counted contingent upon the verification of the voter's eligibility;

~~(22)~~(24) "Qualified elector" means a person who holds the qualifications of an elector and who is registered pursuant to Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 51;

~~(23)~~(25) "Sample ballot" means a ballot for distribution to the public or the press marked with the word "SAMPLE" so as to prevent the production of counterfeit ballots;

~~(24)~~(26) "Vacancy in election" means the vacancy in an elective office created by death, resignation, or other good and legal cause, arising prior to election to the office at a general or special election but arising subsequent to the certification of the ballot;

~~(25)~~(27) "Vacancy in nomination" means the circumstances in which the person who received the majority of votes at the preferential primary election or general primary election cannot accept the nomination due to death or notifies the party that he or she will not accept the nomination due to serious illness, moving out of the area from which the person was elected as the party's nominee, or filing for another office preceding the final date for certification of nominations;

~~(26)~~(28)(A) "Vacancy in office" means the vacancy in an elective office created by death, resignation, or other good and legal cause arising subsequent to election to the office at a general or special election or arising subsequent to taking office and prior to the expiration of the term of office in those circumstances wherein the vacancy must be filled by a special election rather than by appointment.

(B) The phrase "vacancy in office" shall not apply to the election of a person at a general election to fill an unexpired portion of a term of office;

~~(27)~~(29) "Voter-verified paper audit trail" means a contemporaneous paper record of a ballot printed for the voter to confirm his or her votes before the voter casts his or her ballot that:

(A) Allows the voter to verify the voter-verified paper audit trail before the casting of the voter's ballot;

(B) Is not retained by the voter;

(C) Does not contain individual voter information;

(D) Is produced on paper that is sturdy, clean, and resistant to degradation; and

(E) Is readable in a manner that makes the voter's ballot choices obvious to the voter without the use of computer or electronic code;

~~(28)~~(30) "Voting machine" means either:

(A) A direct recording electronic voting machine that:

(i) Records votes by means of a ballot display provided with mechanical or electro-optical components that may be actuated by the voter;

(ii) Processes the data by means of a computer program;

(iii) Records voting data and ballot images in internal and external memory components; and

(iv) Produces a tabulation of the voting data stored in a removable memory component and on a printed copy; or

(B) An electronic device for marking a paper ballot to be electronically scanned; and

~~(29)~~(31) "Voting system" means:

(A) The total combination of mechanical, electromechanical, or electronic equipment, including the software, firmware, and documentation required to program, control, and support the equipment that is used:

(i) To define ballots;

(ii) To cast and count votes;

(iii) To report or display election results; and

(iv) To maintain and produce any audit trail information; and

(B) The practices and documentation used to:

(i) Identify system components and versions of components;

(ii) Test the system during its development and maintenance;

(iii) Maintain records of system errors and defects;

(iv) Determine specific system changes to be made to a system after the initial qualification of the system; and

(v) Make available any materials to the voter, including, but not limited to, notices, instructions, forms, or paper ballots.

SECTION 15. Arkansas Code § 7-5-101, as amended by Act 250 of 2009, is amended to read as follows:

7-5-101. Precinct boundaries and polling sites — Establishment and alteration.

~~(a)(1) A county board of election commissioners is empowered to alter the boundaries of existing election precincts and to establish new ones when in its judgment it may be necessary.~~

~~(2)(A)(i) The county board shall establish a polling site for each election precinct.~~

~~(ii)(a) Except as provided in subdivision (a)(2)(A)(ii)(b) of this section, the establishment of a polling site shall be by a unanimous vote of the county board.~~

~~(b) A polling site for a school election shall be established by a majority of the county board.~~

~~(B)(i) The county board may combine polling sites for two (2) or more precincts when, in its judgment, it may be necessary.~~

~~(ii)(a) Except as provided in subdivision (a)(2)(B)(ii)(b) of this section, the combining of polling sites shall be by a unanimous vote of the county board.~~

~~(b) Polling sites for school elections shall be fixed by a majority of the county board.~~

~~(C) The county board may allow school elections to be conducted by early voting and absentee voting only and open no polling sites on a school election day in any election year if no more than one (1) candidate for school district director presents a petition or notice in writing to the county board of election commissioners as required by § 6-14-111 and if there are no other ballot issues to be submitted to district electors for consideration, if requested by resolution adopted by the board of directors of any school district.~~

~~(3) In changing the boundaries of existing precincts or in creating new ones, the county board shall arrange them so that all qualified voters residing in the precincts may vote on the same day.~~

~~(4)(A) The county board shall not have the power to change the boundaries of existing precincts, to create any new precinct, or to change the polling site in any precinct within thirty (30) days of any election, but all elections shall be held at the sites and within the boundaries as they existed thirty (30) days before the date of the election.~~

~~(B) In the event of an emergency, a county board may change a precinct boundary or a polling site.~~

~~(b) All polling sites shall be fixed at well-known points in the several precincts and easily accessible to all electors entitled to vote therein.~~

~~(c)(1)(A) The action of the county board in changing the polling site in any precinct, in altering the boundaries of any precinct, or in establishing any new one shall be determined in a public meeting pursuant to § 7-4-105 and shall be entered in the record to be kept on file in the county clerk's office.~~

~~(B) A copy of the order, which shall set out intelligently and accurately the boundaries of precincts as so altered or established, shall be filed with the clerk of the county court, who shall record the order at full length on the record book on which the minutes of the proceedings of the county court are recorded.~~

~~(2)(A)(i)(a) Within thirty (30) days after altering the boundaries of an election precinct or establishing a new one, the county board shall submit four (4) copies of the changes to the Secretary of State.~~

~~(b) The changes shall be submitted in the form of a map and shall include a written description.~~

~~(ii) A short statement of why the changes were made may be included.~~

~~(B) Upon receipt of the changes, the Secretary of State shall immediately forward a copy to the office of the Attorney General, the Census State Data Center, and the Cartography Section of the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department.~~

~~(d)(1) Notice of any changes made in polling sites shall also be given to the electors by prominently posting information about any changes at all previous polling sites that were used in the last election.~~

~~(2) Except for school elections and special elections, the notice shall also be mailed by the county clerk to each affected registered voter at least fifteen (15) days before the election.~~

~~(e) If the county board wishes to combine or eliminate polling sites fixed for the preferential primary election or general election for the general primary election or general runoff election, each combination or elimination of polling sites shall require a unanimous vote of the county board.~~

(a)(1) The county board of election commissioners shall:

(A) Establish election precincts; and

(B)(i) Designate a polling site for each precinct.

(ii) A polling site may serve two (2) or more precincts, including parts of precincts.

(2) Except as provided in § 6-14-106, the designation of polling sites shall be by a unanimous vote of the members of the county board present.

(b)(1) The county board by order may alter the boundaries of existing election precincts and establish new ones.

(2) A precinct shall not be altered and a new precinct shall not be created less than thirty (30) days before an election, except in the event of an emergency as determined by the county board.

(3)(A) An order to alter the boundaries of any precinct or establish any new one shall not be effective until it has been filed with the county clerk.

(B) The order shall contain a:

(i) Written description; and

(ii) Map of the boundaries of the precincts altered or established.

(c)(1) Within thirty (30) days after the boundaries of an election precinct are altered or a new election precinct is established, the county clerk shall submit five (5) copies of the changes in the form of a map and written descriptions to the Secretary of State.

(2) Upon receipt of the changes, the Secretary of State immediately shall forward a copy to the:

(A) Office of the Attorney General;

(B) Census State Data Center; and

(C) Cartography Section of the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department.

(d)(1) Except for school elections under § 6-14-106, the polling sites for each election shall be the same as those established for the immediately preceding general election unless changed by order of the county board.

(2) The county board shall not change a polling site for any precinct less than thirty (30) days before an election, except in the event of an emergency.

(3) Notice of any changes made in polling sites shall be provided by posting information at the polling sites used in the last election and, except for school elections and special elections, the notice shall be mailed by the county clerk to each affected registered voter at least fifteen (15) days before the election.

SECTION 16. Arkansas Code § 7-5-103 is repealed.

~~7-5-103. Special elections.~~

~~(a)(1) All special elections to fill vacancies in an office shall be called by proclamation, ordinance, resolution, or order of the appropriate constituted authority.~~

~~(2) The proclamation, ordinance, resolution, or order shall be published as soon as practicable in a newspaper of general circulation in which the special election is held and the proclamation, ordinance, resolution, or order shall establish:~~

~~(A) The date of the election;~~

~~(B) The date of the primary election, if any;~~

~~(C) The deadline for filing party certificates and political practices pledges, if required, with the county clerk or Secretary of State, as the case may be, if applicable;~~

~~(D) The deadline for party conventions to select nominees, if applicable;~~

~~(E) The deadline for parties to issue certificates of nomination, if applicable;~~

~~(F) The deadline for candidates to file certificates of nomination, if applicable, and political practices pledges with the county clerk or Secretary of State, as the case may be;~~

~~(G) The deadline for filing as an independent candidate and the period in which petitions for independent candidacy may be circulated;~~

~~(H) The deadline for filing as a write-in candidate, if applicable;~~

~~(I) The deadline for drawing for ballot position by the appropriate committee or election commission, as the case may be; and~~

~~(J) The date the election shall be certified by the county board of election commissioners in each county in which the election takes place and, if applicable, by the Secretary of State.~~

~~(3)(A) All special elections to fill vacancies in office shall be held on the second Tuesday of any month.~~

~~(B)(i) Special elections under this section in which a presidential preferential primary election, preferential primary election, general primary election, or general election is scheduled to occur shall be held on the date of the presidential preferential primary election, preferential primary election, general primary election, or general election.~~

~~(ii) If a special election to fill a vacancy in office is held on the date of the presidential preferential primary election, preferential primary election, or general primary election, the names of the candidates in the special election shall be included on the ballot of each political party, and the portion of the ballot on which the special election appears shall be labeled with a heading stating "SPECIAL ELECTION FOR _____" with the name of the office set out in the heading.~~

~~(iii) However, separate ballots containing the names of the candidates to be voted on at the special election, nonpartisan judicial elections, if applicable, and any other measures or questions that may be presented for a vote shall be prepared and made available to voters requesting a separate ballot.~~

~~(iv) No voter shall be required to vote in a political party's presidential preferential primary, preferential primary, or general primary in order to be able to vote in the special election.~~

~~(C)(i) If the special election is held at the same time as the general election, the names of the candidates in the special election shall be included on the general election ballot, and the portion of the ballot on which the special election appears shall be labeled with a heading stating "SPECIAL ELECTION FOR _____" with the name of the office set out in the heading.~~

~~(ii) The county board of election commissioners may include the special election on a separate ballot if the special election is held at the same time as the general election and if the commission determines that a separate ballot is necessary to avoid voter confusion.~~

~~(D) A special election to fill a vacancy in office shall be held not less than sixty-five (65) days following the date in the proclamation, ordinance, resolution, or order for drawing for ballot position when the special election is to be held on the date of the presidential preferential primary election, preferential primary election, general primary election, or general election.~~

~~(4) If the special election is not held at the same time as a presidential preferential primary election, preferential primary election, general primary election, or general election, the special election shall be held not less than fifty (50) days following the date in the proclamation, ordinance, resolution, or order for drawing for ballot position.~~

~~(5)(A) All special primary elections required for an election to fill a vacancy in office shall be held on the second Tuesday of any month, and special primary elections held under this section in months in which a presidential preferential primary election, preferential primary election, general primary election, or general election is scheduled to occur shall be held on the date of the presidential preferential primary election, preferential primary election, general primary election, or general election.~~

~~(B) If a special primary election in conjunction with an election to fill a vacancy in office is held on the date of the presidential preferential primary election, preferential primary election, general primary election, or general election, the candidates to be voted upon at the special election shall be included on the ballot of each political party or the general election ballot, as the case may be, and the portion of the ballot on which the special primary election appears shall be labeled with a heading stating "SPECIAL PRIMARY ELECTION FOR _____" with the name of the party for which nomination is sought and the office set out in the heading.~~

~~(C) The county board of election commissioners may include the special primary election on a separate ballot if the special primary election is held at the same time as a presidential preferential primary election, preferential primary election, general primary election, or general election and if the commission determines that a separate ballot is necessary to avoid voter confusion.~~

~~(6) A special primary election shall be held not less than sixty-five (65) days following the date in the proclamation, ordinance, resolution, or order for drawing for ballot position when the special election is to be held on the date of the presidential preferential primary election, preferential primary election, general primary election, or general election.~~

~~(7)(A) If the special primary election is not held at the same time as a presidential preferential primary election, preferential primary election, general primary election, or general election, the special election shall be held not less than fifty (50) days following the date in the proclamation, ordinance, resolution, or order for drawing for ballot position.~~

~~(B) When a special primary election is called to select nominees for a special election to fill a vacancy in office, the nominee shall be the person who receives the highest number of votes in the special primary election. There shall be no runoff after a special primary election.~~

~~(8) In addition to the publication of the proclamation, ordinance, resolution, or order required by the provisions of this section, notice of special elections to fill vacancies called under this section shall be published and posted under §§ 7-5-202 and 7-5-206.~~

~~(b)(1) Except for special school elections held under § 6-14-102(d), all special elections on measures or questions referred to the voters shall be called by proclamation, ordinance, resolution, or order of the properly constituted authority.~~

~~(2) The proclamation, ordinance, resolution, or order shall set forth:~~

~~(A) The date of the special election;~~

~~(B) The full text of any measure or question for which the election is called;~~

~~(C) Any ballot title for the measure or question for which the election is called; and~~

~~(D) Any other information as may be required by law.~~

~~(3) All special elections on measures or questions shall be held on the second Tuesday of any month, except special elections held under this section in a month in which a presidential preferential primary election, preferential primary election, general primary election, or general election is scheduled to occur shall be held on the date of the presidential preferential primary election, preferential primary election, general primary election, or general election. Special elections scheduled to occur in a month in which the second Tuesday is a legal holiday shall be held on the third Tuesday of the month.~~

~~(4)(A) If a special election is held on the date of the presidential preferential primary election, preferential primary election, or general primary election, the issue or issues to be voted upon at the special election shall be included on the ballot of each political party. The portion of the ballot containing the special election shall be labeled with a heading stating "SPECIAL ELECTION ON _____" with a brief description of the measure or question to be decided in the election.~~

~~(B) However, separate ballots containing the issue or issues or candidates to be voted on at the special election and candidates for nonpartisan judicial office shall be prepared and made available to voters requesting a separate ballot.~~

~~(C) No voter shall be required to vote in a political party's presidential preferential primary, preferential primary, or general primary in order to be able to vote in the special election.~~

~~(5) A special election shall be held not less than sixty-five (65) days following the date that the ordinance or resolution is adopted or the date the proclamation or order is issued when the special election is to be held on the date of the presidential preferential primary election, preferential primary election, general primary election, or general election.~~

~~(6) If the special election is not held at the same time as a presidential preferential primary election, preferential primary election, general primary election, or general election, the special election shall be held not less than fifty (50) days following the date that the proclamation, ordinance, resolution, or order is published.~~

~~(7) Notice of the election shall be published and posted in accordance with § 7-5-202, § 7-5-206, or as may be otherwise provided by Arkansas law.~~

SECTION 17. Arkansas Code § 7-5-203 is amended to read as follows:

7-5-203. Certification of candidate lists.

(a)(1) Not less than ~~seventy-five (75)~~ seventy (70) days before each general election day, the Secretary of State shall certify to all county boards of election commissioners full lists of all candidates to be voted for in their respective counties as the nominations have been certified or otherwise submitted to him or her.

(2) A name of a person shall not be certified and shall not be placed on the ballot if prior to the certification a candidate on the list:

(A) Notifies the Secretary of State in writing, signed by the candidate and acknowledged before an officer authorized to take acknowledgements, of his or her desire to withdraw as a candidate for the office or position; or

(B) Dies.

(b)(1) Not less than ~~seventy-five (75)~~ seventy (70) days before each general election day, the clerk of each county shall certify to the county board of his or her county a full list of all candidates to be voted for in the county as the nominations have been certified or otherwise submitted to him or her.

(2) A name of a person shall not be certified and shall not be placed on the ballot if prior to the certification a candidate on the list:

(A) Notifies the county clerk in writing, signed by the candidate and acknowledged before an officer authorized to take acknowledgements, of his or her desire to withdraw as a candidate for the office or position; or

(B) Dies.

(c) However, in special elections held to fill vacancies or to elect officers in case of a tie vote, the certification shall issue at the time specified in the writ of election issued by the appropriately constituted authority.

SECTION 18. Arkansas Code § 7-5-205 is amended to read as follows:

7-5-205. Write-in candidates' votes — When counted.

~~(a)~~ No votes for write-in candidates ~~in general elections~~ shall be counted or tabulated unless:

(1) The candidate ~~or his or her agent shall notify~~ notifies in writing the county board of election commissioners of each county in which the candidate seeks election and files the notice with either: ~~the Secretary of State, if a United States state or district candidate, or a county clerk, if a candidate for a county or township office, of his or her intention to be a write-in candidate no earlier than noon on the third Tuesday in March and not later than ninety (90) days before the election day; and~~

(A) The Secretary of State, if a candidate for United States Senate, United States House of Representatives, or any state or district office; or

(B) The county clerk if a candidate for a county or township office;

(2) The candidate files with the county clerk or the Secretary of State, as required, a political practices pledge and an affidavit of eligibility for the office at the same time the candidate files his or her notice of write-in candidacy;

(3) The notice of write-in candidacy, the political practices pledge, and the affidavit of eligibility are filed no earlier than noon on the last day of the party filing period and not later than ninety (90) days before the election day; and

~~(2)~~(4) The name written on the ballot is the same name listed on the write-in candidate's political practices pledge, except that any abbreviation, misspelling, or other minor variation in the form of the name of the candidate shall be disregarded if the intention of the voter may be ascertained.

~~(b) This section shall not apply to the offices of Justice of the Supreme Court, Judge of the Court of Appeals, circuit judge, or district judge.~~

SECTION 19. Arkansas Code § 7-5-207 is amended to read as follows:

7-5-207. Ballots — Names included.

(a)(1) ~~All~~ Except as provided in subdivisions (a)(2) and (3) of this section, all election ballots provided by the county board of election commissioners of any county in this state for any election shall contain in the proper place the name of every candidate whose nomination for any office to be filled at that election has been certified to the county board and shall not contain the name of any candidate or person who has not been certified. ~~If any candidate shall notify, no later than seventy (70) days before the election, the Secretary of State in the case of a United States, state, or district office, or the county board in the case of a county, city, or township office, in writing, signed by the candidate, and acknowledged before an officer authorized to take acknowledgments, of his or her desire to withdraw as a candidate for the office or position, the name of the person shall not be printed on the ballot at~~

~~the election.~~

(2)(A) Except as provided in subdivision (a)(2)(B) of this section, unopposed candidates for municipal offices shall be declared and certified elected without the necessity of including those names on the general election ballot.

(B) The names of all unopposed candidates for the office of mayor shall be separately placed on the general election ballot, and the votes for mayor shall be tabulated as in all contested races.

(3)(A)(i) Except as provided in subdivision (a)(3)(B) of this section, the names of all other unopposed candidates for all offices, including without limitation the names of all unopposed write-in candidates, shall be grouped together on the ballot indicating the office and the name of the unopposed candidate.

(ii) The phrase "unopposed candidates" shall appear at the top of the list of the names of all unopposed candidates.

(iii) Adjacent to the phrase "unopposed candidates" shall be a place in which the voter may cast a vote for all the candidates by placing an appropriate mark.

(B) The names of all unopposed candidates for the office of circuit clerk shall be separately placed on the general election ballot, and the votes for circuit clerk shall be tabulated as in all contested races.

(b) No person's name shall be ~~printed~~ placed upon the ballot as a candidate for any public office in this state at any election unless the person is qualified and eligible at the time of filing as a candidate for the office to hold the public office for which he or she is a candidate, except if a person is not qualified to hold the office at the time of filing because of age alone, the name of the person shall be ~~printed~~ placed on the ballot as a candidate for the office if the person will qualify to hold the office at the time prescribed by law for taking office.

(c)(1) The order in which the names of the candidates shall appear on the ballot shall be determined by lot at a public meeting of the county board not less than sixty-five (65) days before the general election.

(2) Notice of the public meeting shall be given by publication in a newspaper of general circulation in the county at least three (3) days before the drawing.

(3) For runoff elections, the ballot order for eligible candidates shall be the same as for the previous election leading to the runoff.

(d)(1) Beside or adjacent to the name of each candidate in the general election shall be:

(A) His or her party designation; or

(B) The term "INDEPENDENT" if he or she represents no officially recognized party.

(2) Subdivision (d)(1) of this section shall not apply to a:

(A) Nonpartisan judicial election; or

(B) Nonpartisan municipal election.

SECTION 20. Arkansas Code § 7-5-208 is amended to read as follows:

7-5-208. ~~Paper ballots~~ Ballots — Form.

(a) All election ballots provided by the county board of election commissioners of any county in this state for any election shall be alike and shall be ~~printed~~ in plain type.

~~(b) Each ballot shall be printed on paper with a perforated portion capable of being detached for use as the ballot stub.~~

~~(c) As ballots are printed, the portion that shall be used as the ballot stub shall be numbered consecutively from one (1) to the number which is the total amount of ballots provided for the election.~~

~~(d)~~(b)(1) The heading ~~on the front or inner side~~ of each ballot shall be:

"OFFICIAL BALLOT _____ ~~ELECTION~~ _____ , ~~20~~ _____ _____(description)_____ ELECTION (date) ,

__(year)____”
Vote by placing an appropriate mark opposite the person for whom you wish to vote”.

(2) If the ballot contains an initiated or referred amendment, act, or measure, the heading shall also contain these words — “Vote on amendments, acts, and measures by placing an appropriate mark above the amendment (or act or measure) either FOR or AGAINST”.

~~(e) Beneath the heading on each paper ballot there shall be printed instructions that inform the voter:~~

~~(1) Of the effect of casting multiple votes for an office; and~~

~~(2) How to correct the ballot before it is cast and counted, including, but not limited to, instructions on how to correct an error through the issuance of a replacement ballot if the voter was otherwise unable to change the ballot or correct an error.~~

~~(f)~~(c)(1) Every ballot shall contain the name of each candidate who has been nominated or has qualified in accordance with law for each office. The names of the candidates shall be listed in a perpendicular column under the name of each office to be filled.

~~(2)(A) However, the names of all unopposed candidates for all offices, including the names of all unopposed write-in candidates, except the names of all unopposed candidates for the office of mayor or circuit clerk, shall be grouped together on the ballot indicating the office and the name of the unopposed candidate. At the top of the list of the names of all unopposed candidates, there shall appear on the ballot the words “Unopposed Candidates”, and adjacent thereto there shall be a place in which the voter may cast a vote for all the candidates by placing an appropriate mark.~~

~~(B) The names of unopposed candidates for the office of mayor or circuit clerk shall be separately printed from any grouping of unopposed candidates, with a place in which the voter may cast a vote for each unopposed candidate for the office of mayor or circuit clerk by placing an appropriate mark, so that the votes may be separately counted and tabulated as required in § 7-5-315.~~

~~(3)~~(2) In all elections ~~except primary elections and municipal elections~~ in which votes for a write-in candidate may be counted, at the bottom of each list of names for each position or office appearing on the ballot, there shall be a blank line for a possible write-in vote for that position or office. However, the blank line shall not appear on the ballot with respect to those offices and candidates for positions in which no person has qualified as a write-in candidate by filing his or her notice of intention to be a write-in candidate within the time prescribed in § 7-5-205.

~~(4) The order in which the names of the respective candidates shall appear on the ballots shall be determined by lot at a public meeting of the county board not less than sixty-five (65) days prior to the general election. It is expressly understood and provided that the selection on the order of the ballot in all other elections shall be and remain as provided by law. For runoff elections, the ballot order for eligible candidates shall stay the same as for the previous election.~~

~~(5) Beside or adjacent to the name of each candidate in the general election, except for the nonpartisan judicial general election, shall be his or her party designation or the name “INDEPENDENT” if he or she represents no officially recognized party.~~

~~(g)~~(d) Adjacent to the name of each candidate and on the same line there shall be a place for marking a vote for the candidate. Below each act, amendment, or measure to be voted on, there shall be the words “FOR” and “AGAINST” situated one above the other with a place for marking a vote for the act, amendment, or measure adjacent to each word and on the same line. ~~With respect to all offices and the candidates for those offices who are unopposed and have been grouped together in the manner provided in subsection (f) of this section, the names of all those candidates and their respective offices shall appear under the heading of “Unopposed Candidates”. The elector shall vote on each and all such candidates by~~

~~casting a single vote in the place for marking a vote adjacent to the heading "Unopposed Candidates" as provided in subdivision (f)(2) of this section.~~

~~(h)~~(e) Opposite the designation of each office, there shall appear these words: "VOTE FOR _____ ". The number of persons required to fill the vacancy in office shall be placed in the blank space.

SECTION 21. Arkansas Code 7-5-209 is amended to read as follows:

7-5-209. Ballots — Correction of errors.

Whenever it shall appear by affidavit that an error or omission has occurred in the publication of the names or description of candidates nominated for office or in the ~~printing~~ preparation of ballots, the county board of election commissioners shall in a public meeting announce the error or omission and immediately correct the error or omission or show cause why the correction should not be done.

SECTION 22. Arkansas Code § 7-5-210 is repealed.

~~7-5-210. Ballots — Number — Official.~~

~~(a) The county board of election commissioners of each county in this state using paper ballots counted by hand at the polling site, paper ballots counted by an electronic vote tabulating device at the polling site, or paper ballots cast at a polling site and counted at a central location shall provide for each election precinct one hundred fifty (150) printed ballots for each one hundred (100), or fraction of one hundred (100), electors voting thereat at the last-preceding comparable election. Provided, however, the total number of ballots required to be printed for each election precinct shall not be required to exceed one hundred five percent (105%) of the total number of registered voters for the respective precinct.~~

~~(b) No ballot shall be received or counted in any election to which this act applies unless it is provided by the county board as provided in this section.~~

SECTION 23. Arkansas Code § 7-5-211(a)(1)(A), concerning the delivery of election supplies, is amended to read as follows:

(a) At least one (1) day before any election:

(1)(A) The county board of election commissioners shall designate a suitable person or persons and deliver to the person or persons the ballots ~~as set forth in § 7-5-210~~.

SECTION 24. Arkansas Code § 7-5-212 is repealed.

~~7-5-212. Permanent ink when ballots counted by hand.~~

~~At general, primary, special, and school elections in counties which use paper ballots and in which those ballots are counted by hand, the ballots shall be marked using permanent ink.~~

SECTION 25. Arkansas Code § 7-5-308 is amended to read as follows:

7-5-308. Provisional ballot procedure.

(a) When the voter is required by law to cast a provisional ballot, the ballot shall be cast pursuant to the following procedures:

(1) ~~An election official at the polling place~~ A poll worker shall notify the individual that the individual may cast a provisional ballot in that election;

(2) The voter shall execute a written eligibility affirmation in the presence of the ~~election official~~ poll worker stating that he or she is a registered voter in the precinct in which he or she desires to vote and is eligible to vote;

(3) The ~~election official~~ poll worker shall initial the back of the ballot, remove the ballot stub from the provisional ballot, and place the stub in the stub box provided;

(4) The voter shall mark his or her provisional ballot;

(5) The voter shall place the voted provisional ballot in a ballot secrecy envelope marked "provisional ballot" and seal the envelope;

(6) The voter shall place the sealed provisional ballot envelope containing the voted provisional ballot in a voter envelope, seal the envelope, and give it to the ~~election official~~ poll worker;

(7) The ~~election official~~ poll worker shall provide the voter written information instructing him or her on how to determine whether his or her provisional ballot was counted, and if not, the reason the ballot was not counted; and

(8) The ~~election official~~ poll worker shall make a separate list of the names and addresses of all persons voting a provisional ballot.

(b) ~~Election officials~~ The poll worker shall preserve, secure, and separate all provisional ballots from the remaining ballots so that the right of any person to vote may be determined later by the county board of election commissioners or the court in which an election contest may be filed.

(c)(1) Whenever a person casts a provisional ballot, the ~~election official~~ poll worker shall provide the voter written information that states that the individual who casts a provisional ballot will be able to ascertain whether the vote was counted, and if not, the reason the vote was not counted~~, by accessing a toll-free telephone number, Internet website, or other free access system established by the Secretary of State for that purpose~~.

(2) The Secretary of State shall establish a free access system to allow a provisional voter to ascertain whether his or her vote was counted, and if not, the reason his or her vote was not counted.

~~(2)~~(3) Access to information about an individual provisional ballot shall be restricted to the individual who cast the ballot.

~~(d)(1) Any person who votes in an election as a result of a federal or state court order or any other order extending the time established for closing the polls only may vote in that election by casting a provisional ballot.~~

~~(2) The ballot shall be separated and held apart from other provisional ballots cast by those not affected by the order.~~

~~(e)~~(d)(1) ~~Prior to~~ Before certification of the results of the election, the county board shall determine whether the provisional ballots are valid.

(2) Unless enjoined by a court of competent jurisdiction, a provisional ballot shall be counted if it is cast by a registered voter and is the correct ballot, according to the precinct listed on the voter's eligibility affirmation, for the precinct of the voter's residence.

~~(f)~~(e) If, upon examination of any provisional ballots, the county board suspects that a violation of the election laws has occurred, the county board may refer the matter to the prosecuting attorney.

SECTION 26. Arkansas Code § 7-5-312 is amended to read as follows:

7-5-312. Challenge of voter's ballot by poll watchers, candidates, or designees.

(a) Poll watchers shall include any:

(1) Candidate in person, but only during the counting and tabulation of ballots and the processing of absentee ballots;

(2) Authorized representative of a candidate;

(3) Authorized representative of a group seeking the passage or defeat of a measure on the ballot; and

(4) Authorized representative of a political party with a candidate on the ballot.

(b) Each candidate, group, or party may have~~,~~ at any given time during the election, including early voting:

(1) One (1) authorized representative present at any one (1) time at each location within a polling site where voters identify themselves to election officials, so as to observe and ascertain the identity of those persons presenting themselves to vote for the purpose of challenging ~~any voter who appears for the purpose of casting a ballot~~ voters; and

(2) One (1) authorized representative present at any one (1) time at each location within the absentee ballot processing site where absentee ballots are processed, so as to observe and ascertain the identity of absentee voters for the purpose of challenging any absentee vote.

(c) In accordance with §§ 7-5-316, 7-5-413, 7-5-416, 7-5-527, and 7-5-615, a candidate in person or an authorized representative of a candidate or political party may be present at a polling site, central counting location, and absentee ballot counting location for the purpose of witnessing the counting of ballots by election officials and determining whether ballots are fairly and accurately counted.

(d) The document designating and authorizing a representative of a candidate, a representative of a group seeking the passage or defeat of a measure on the ballot, and a representative of a political party with a candidate on the ballot shall be filed with the county clerk and a file-marked copy shall be presented by the poll watcher to the election official immediately upon entering the polling site, absentee ballot processing site, or counting location in the following form:

"POLL WATCHER AUTHORIZATION FORM

Representative of a Candidate

I, ... , state that I am a candidate for the office of . . . . . in the . . . . . election. I further state that I have designated . . . . . as my authorized representative at the election at polling sites . . . . . and absentee ballot processing sites . . . . . in . . . . . County, Arkansas, to observe and ascertain the identity of persons presenting themselves to vote in person or by absentee for the purpose of challenging any voter in accordance with Arkansas Code §§ 7-5-312, 7-5-416, and 7-5-417. I further state that I have designated and authorized my representative named above to be present at the ballot counting locations at . . . . . in . . . . . County, Arkansas, for the purpose of witnessing the counting of ballots by election officials and determining whether ballots are fairly and accurately counted in accordance with Arkansas Code §§ 7-5-312, 7-5-316, 7-5-413, 7-5-416, 7-5-527, and 7-5-615.

Representative of a Group

I, ... , state that I represent the . . . . . group that is seeking passage/defeat (circle one) of the ballot measure entitled . . . . . on the ballot in the . . . . . election at polling sites . . . . . and absentee ballot processing sites . . . . . in . . . . . County, Arkansas, to observe and ascertain the identity of persons presenting themselves to vote in person or by absentee for the purpose of challenging any voter in accordance with Arkansas Code §§ 7-5-312, 7-5-416, and 7-5-417.

Representative of a Party

I, ... , state that I am the chair or secretary of the state/county (circle one) committee for the . . . . . party with candidates on the ballot in the . . . . . election. I further state that I have designated . . . . . as an authorized party representative at the election at polling sites . . . . . and absentee ballot processing sites . . . . . in . . . . . County, Arkansas, to observe and ascertain the identity of persons presenting themselves to vote in person or by absentee for the purpose of challenging any voter in accordance with Arkansas Code §§ 7-5-312, 7-5-416, and 7-5-417. I further state that I have designated and authorized my representative named above to be present at the ballot counting locations at . . . . . in . . . . . County, Arkansas, for the purpose of witnessing the counting of ballots by election officials and determining whether ballots are fairly and accurately counted in accordance with Arkansas Code §§ 7-5-312, 7-5-316, 7-5-413, 7-5-416, 7-5-527, and 7-5-615.
. . . . .
Signature of Candidate, Group Representative, or Chair/Secretary of the State/County Committee

Acknowledged before me this . . . . . day of . . . . . , 20 . . . . .
Notary Public: . . . . . My Commission Expires: . . . . .
I do hereby state that I am familiar with the rights and responsibilities of a poll watcher as outlined on the back of the poll watcher authorization form and will in good faith comply with the provisions of same.
. . . . .
Signature of the Poll Watcher

Acknowledged before me this . . . . . day of . . . . . , 20 . . . . .
Notary Public: . . . . . My Commission Expires: . . . . .
I do hereby acknowledge <u>the</u> filing <u>of</u> this poll watcher authorization form with the county clerk's office.
. . . . .
Signature of County Clerk”

(e) Poll watcher rights and responsibilities shall be printed on the back of the document in the following form:

“POLL WATCHER RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

A poll watcher may be:

(1) A candidate in person<u>, but only during the counting and tabulation of ballots and the processing of absentee ballots</u>;

(2) An authorized representative of a candidate;

(3) An authorized representative of a group seeking the passage or defeat of a measure on the ballot; or

(4) An authorized representative of a party with a candidate on the ballot.

Official recognition of poll watchers:

(1) Only one (1) authorized poll watcher per candidate, group, or party at any one (1) given time may be officially recognized as a poll watcher at each location within a polling site where voters identify themselves to election officials;

(2) Only one (1) authorized poll watcher per candidate, group, or party at any one (1) given time may be officially recognized as a poll watcher at each location within the absentee ballot processing site where absentee ballots are processed; and

(3) Only one (1) authorized poll watcher per candidate or party at any one (1) given time may be officially recognized as a poll watcher at the counting of the ballots.

Poll watcher credentials:

(1) Except for candidates in person, poll watchers must present a valid affidavit in the form of a “Poll Watcher Authorization Form” to an election official immediately upon entering the polling or counting location; and

(2) Candidates in person attending a counting site or absentee ballot processing site are not required to present a “Poll Watcher Authorization Form” but must present some form of identification to an election official immediately upon entering the ~~polling or counting location~~ site for the purpose of confirming the poll watcher as a candidate on the ballot.

Poll watchers may:

(1) Observe the election officials;

(2) Stand close enough to the ~~precinct voter registration lists~~ place where voters check in to vote so as to hear the voter's name ~~and observe the voter's signature~~;

(3) Compile lists of persons voting;

(4) Challenge ballots upon notification to an election official before the voter signs the precinct voter registration list and upon completing a “Challenged Ballot Form”;

(5) Call to the attention of the election sheriff any occurrence believed to be an irregularity or violation of election law. The poll watcher may not discuss the occurrence unless the election sheriff invites the discussion; and

(6) Be present at the opening, processing, and canvassing of absentee ballots for the purpose of challenging absentee votes in the manner provided by law for personal voting challenges.

Poll watchers representing a candidate or political party may:

(1) Remain at the polling site after the poll closes if ballots are counted at the poll;

(2) Be present at the counting of votes by hand or by an electronic vote tabulating device at a central location;

(3) Be present at the counting of absentee ballots for the purpose of witnessing the counting of ballots by election officials and determining whether ballots are fairly and accurately counted; and

(4) Upon request made to an election official, inspect any or all ballots at the time the ballots are being counted.

Poll watchers may not:

(1) Be within six feet (6') of any voting machine or booth used by voters to cast their ballot;

~~(2) Electioneer inside the polling site or within one hundred feet (100') of the primary exterior entrance used by voters to the building containing the polling site;~~

~~(3)~~(2) Speak to any voter or in any way attempt to influence a voter inside the polling site or within one hundred feet (100') of the primary exterior entrance used by voters to the building containing the polling site; or

~~(4)~~(3) Disrupt the orderly conduct of the election.”

(f) Poll watcher rights and responsibilities shall be posted in plain view at each polling site, absentee ballot processing site, and counting site.

(g) A poll watcher may challenge a voter only on the grounds that the voter is not eligible to vote in the precinct or that the voter has previously voted at that election.

~~(g)~~(h)(1) When the ballot of any voter is thus challenged, it shall be treated as a provisional ballot.

(2) The poll watcher shall notify an election official of the challenge before the voter signs the precinct voter registration list.

(3) The poll watcher shall complete a challenged ballot form.

(4) The election official shall inform the voter that his or her ballot is being challenged.

(5) The procedures for casting a provisional ballot under § 7-5-308 shall be followed.

SECTION 27. Arkansas Code § 7-5-313 is repealed.

~~7-5-313. Spoiled ballots — Cancellation and return.~~

~~(a) Any voter who shall by accident or mistake mar or spoil any ballot so that he or she cannot conveniently or clearly vote on the ballot may return it to the election officials and receive another not to exceed three (3) in all.~~

~~(b) Spoiled ballots shall be cancelled by an election official's writing "CANCELLED" on its face and initialling the ballot. The cancelled ballots shall be preserved separately from other ballots and returned to the county board of election commissioners and shall be open to public inspection.~~

SECTION 28. Arkansas Code § 7-5-315 is amended to read as follows:

7-5-315. Counting ~~paper ballots at the polling site~~ votes for unopposed and deceased candidates.

~~In counting the paper ballots at the polling site, the following procedures shall be followed:~~

~~(1)~~(a) The votes received by an unopposed candidate in any election held in this state shall not be counted or tabulated by the election officials. The word "UNOPPOSED" shall be sufficient to insert on the tally sheet to indicate that the candidate has received a majority of the votes cast in the election. However, the votes received by an unopposed candidate for the office of mayor or circuit clerk shall be counted and tabulated by the election officials~~;~~.

~~(2) No write-in vote in any election in this state may be counted unless the name of the write-in candidate shall have been handwritten on the ballot;~~

~~(3) In counting the ballots, the ballot box shall be opened, and the ballots shall be counted by counting each ballot in turn or by counting by offices and issues. The election officials must witness the counting of the ballots and shall keep separate tally lists of the votes cast for each candidate or issue on the ballot;~~

~~(4) When two (2) or more ballots are found folded together, it shall be considered as conclusive evidence of their being fraudulent, and neither of them shall be counted. If a ballot shall be found to contain marks for more than the maximum allowable number of candidates in any one (1) contest, the contest shall be considered overvoted, and it shall be the responsibility of the election officials to determine the voter's intent;~~

~~(5) Upon the close of the polls, the election officials shall immediately certify and attest the list of voters and continue the count to completion. If any of the election officials become sick or incapacitated from any other cause, the remaining election officials shall continue the count until it is completed;~~

~~(6) After the count is completed, the election officials shall make out the certificates of election in triplicate and immediately post one (1) copy outside the polling site; and~~

~~(7)(A)~~(b)(1) The votes received by any person whose name appeared on the ballot and who withdrew or died after the certification of the ballot ~~or filing period ended~~ shall be counted.

~~(B)(i)~~(2)(A) If the person received enough votes to win the ~~nomination or~~ election, a vacancy in ~~the nomination or~~ election shall be declared.

~~(ii)(a)~~(B)(i) If the person received enough votes to qualify for a runoff, the person's name shall appear on the runoff ballot.

~~(b)~~(ii) If enough votes are cast for the person to win the runoff, then a vacancy in ~~the nomination or~~ election shall exist.

SECTION 29. Arkansas Code § 7-5-316(a), concerning the designation of representatives by a candidate or political party, is amended to read as follows:

(a) After the polls have been closed, the counting of votes shall be open to the public, and any candidate or political party may be present in person or by representative designated in writing pursuant to § 7-5-312 at the count of the ballots in any election for the purpose of determining whether or not the ballots in any election precinct are fairly and accurately counted. ~~The candidate, political party, or authorized representative of the candidate or political party shall be permitted, upon a request being made to an election official, to inspect any or all ballots at the time the ballots are being counted.~~

SECTION 30. Arkansas Code § 7-5-317 is amended to read as follows:

7-5-317. Processing and delivery of election materials.

(a) After the ~~count of the ballots is completed~~ polls close, all of the election ~~returns~~ materials shall be processed and delivered in the following manner:

(1) The poll workers shall total the number of voters on the list of voters form and certify and attest the form;

~~(1)~~(2) The list-of-voters form, precinct voter registration list, voter registration application forms, and other recordkeeping supplies shall be delivered to the county clerk;

~~(2)~~(3) Certificates of election results and tally sheets:

(A) One (1) copy of the certificate of election results with one (1) copy of the tally sheets, if any, shall be delivered to the county clerk; and

(B) One (1) copy of the certificate of election results shall be returned with one (1) copy of the tally sheets, if any, and reports of challenges of voters, if any, to the county board of election commissioners;

~~(3)~~(4) Ballots:

(A) The ~~election officials~~ poll workers shall securely envelope ~~the~~ any voted ballots separately from ~~the~~ any unused ballots and place the ballots in a container with a numbered seal and then deliver the ballots with the tally sheets, if any, and other election materials to the county board; and

(B) All cancelled ballots shall be preserved separately from the other ballots and returned to the county board; and

~~(4)~~(5) ~~Stub boxes:~~ Sealed stub boxes shall be delivered to the county treasurer for storage.

(b) All of the election materials and returns shall be delivered to the county board by the ~~election officials~~ poll workers immediately after the polls close.

SECTION 31. Arkansas Code § 7-5-319(c), concerning recount in an election using a voter-verified paper audit trail, is amended to read as follows:

(c)(1) For any recount of an election in which ballots are cast using a direct recording electronic voting machine with a voter-verified paper audit trail, the voter-verified paper audit trail shall serve as the official ballot to be recounted.

(2) The county board of election commissioners either may:

(A) Manually sum the total votes for each candidate involved in the recount that is printed on the voter-verified paper audit trail; or

(B) Count by hand the votes for each candidate involved in the recount as shown on the voter-verified paper audit trail.

(3) If the voter-verified paper audit trail is damaged or for some other reason is incapable of being used for a recount, the paper record produced by the machine for manual audit shall be the official ballot to be recounted.

(4) If the voting machine is exempt from the requirement to have a voter-verified paper audit trail and does not have one, the paper record produced by the machine for manual audit shall be the official ballot to be recounted.

SECTION 32. Arkansas Code § 7-5-320 is repealed.

~~7-5-320. Election to fill vacancy — Unopposed candidate.~~

~~(a)(1) If, after all deadlines for filing as a candidate or write-in candidate have passed in a special election to fill a vacancy, there is only one (1) candidate and if no other office or issue is on the ballot, then the county board of election commissioners may reduce the number of polling places for the election.~~

~~(2) The county board shall provide at least one (1) polling place.~~

~~(b) In a county that uses voting machines or electronic voting, the county board may choose to use paper ballots for the election.~~

SECTION 33. Arkansas Code 7-5-515(c)(1), concerning the preparation of voting machines for elections, is amended to read as follows:

(c)(1) At least ~~five (5)~~ seven (7) days prior to the ~~election day~~ beginning of voting, the county board, with respect to all elections, shall have ~~the machines~~ each machine tested to ascertain that the voting system will correctly count the votes cast for all offices and on all measures.

SECTION 34. The Arkansas Code Revision Commission shall rename Arkansas Code Title 7, Chapter 5, Subchapter 6 as "Paper Ballots and Electronic Vote Tabulating Devices."

SECTION 35. Arkansas Code § 7-5-601 is amended to read as follows:

7-5-601. ~~Purpose~~ Paper ballots -- Form.

~~The purpose of this subchapter is to authorize the use of electronic vote tabulating devices in which the voter records his or her votes by means of marking a paper ballot which is so designed that votes may be counted by an electronic scanner at one (1) or more counting places. This method of marking ballots and electronically tabulating election results shall be in addition to and supplemental to the existing systems of voting.~~

(a) All paper ballots provided by the county board of election commissioners of any county in this state for any election shall be alike and shall be printed in plain type.

(b) Each ballot shall be printed on paper with a perforated portion capable of being detached for use as the ballot stub.

(c)(1) As ballots are printed, the portion that shall be used as the ballot stub shall be numbered consecutively beginning with the number 1.

(2) The number on the last ballot printed shall show the total number of ballots provided for the election.

(d)(1) The heading on the front or inner side of each ballot shall be: "OFFICIAL BALLOT. Vote by placing an appropriate mark opposite the person for whom you wish to vote".

(2) If the ballot contains an initiated or referred amendment, act, or measure, the heading shall also contain these words: "Vote on amendments, acts, and measures by placing an appropriate mark above the amendment (or act or measure) either FOR or AGAINST".

(e) Beneath the heading on each paper ballot there shall be printed instructions that inform the voter:

(1) Of the effect of casting multiple votes for an office; and

(2) How to correct the ballot before it is cast and counted, including without limitation instructions on how to correct an error through the issuance of a replacement ballot if the voter was otherwise unable to change the ballot or correct an error.

SECTION 36. Arkansas Code Title 7, Chapter 5, Subchapter 6 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

7-5-602. Ballots -- Number -- Official -- Marking device -- Spoiled.

(a)(1) The county board of election commissioners of each county in this state using paper ballots counted by hand at the polling site, paper ballots counted by an electronic vote tabulating device at the polling site, or paper ballots cast at a polling site and counted at a central location shall provide for each election precinct one hundred fifty (150) printed ballots for each one hundred (100) or fraction of one hundred (100) electors voting on paper ballots at the last preceding comparable election.

(2) The total number of ballots required to be printed for each election precinct shall not exceed one hundred five percent (105%) of the total number of registered voters for the respective precinct.

(b) A ballot shall not be received or counted in any election to which this subchapter applies unless it is provided by the county board under this section.

(c) At all elections in counties that use paper ballots and in which those ballots are counted by hand, the ballots shall be marked using permanent ink.

(d)(1) A voter who shall by accident or mistake mar or spoil any ballot so that he or she cannot conveniently or clearly vote on the ballot may return it to the poll workers and receive another ballot, not to exceed three (3) ballots in total.

(2) Spoiled ballots shall be cancelled by a poll worker writing "CANCELLED" on its face and initialing the ballot.

(3) The cancelled ballots shall be preserved separately from other ballots and returned to the county board of election commissioners and shall be open to public inspection.

SECTION 37. Arkansas Code § 7-5-603 is amended to read as follows:

7-5-603. ~~Penalty~~ Counting paper ballots at the polling site.

~~Persons violating the provisions of this subchapter shall be subject to the same fine and imprisonment as is provided by law for violating the comparable provisions of the laws of this state regarding voting by other voting methods.~~

When paper ballots are to be counted at the polling site, the following procedures shall be followed:

(1)(A) In counting the ballots, the ballot box shall be opened and each ballot shall be counted in turn or by counting by offices and issues.

(B) The poll workers shall witness the counting of the ballots and shall keep separate tally lists of the votes cast for each candidate or issue on the ballot;

(2)(A) When two (2) or more ballots are found folded together, it shall be considered as conclusive evidence the ballots are fraudulent and neither of the ballots shall be counted.

(B) If a ballot is found to contain marks for more than the maximum allowable number of candidates in any one (1) contest, the contest shall be considered overvoted, and it shall be the responsibility of the poll workers to determine the voter's intent;

(3)(A) Upon the close of the polls, the poll workers immediately shall certify and attest the list of voters and continue the count to completion.

(B) If a poll worker becomes sick or incapacitated from any other cause, the remaining poll workers shall continue the count until it is completed;

(4) After the count is completed, the poll workers shall make out the certificates of election in triplicate and immediately post one (1) copy outside the polling site; and

(5)(A) The counting of ballots shall be open to the public.

(B) Any candidate or political party may be present in person or by representative designated in writing under § 7-5-312 at the count of the ballots in any election for the purpose of determining whether or not the ballots in any election precinct are fairly and accurately counted.

(C) The candidate in person or an authorized representative of the candidate or political party shall be permitted, upon a request's being made to a poll worker, to inspect any or all ballots after the ballots have been counted.

SECTION 38. Arkansas Code § 7-5-604(a), concerning voting systems that include electronic vote tabulating devices, is amended to read as follows:

(a) ~~Voting~~ Paper ballot voting systems that include electronic vote tabulating devices may be used in elections, provided that the systems shall:

(1) Enable the voter to cast a vote in secrecy;

(2) Enable the voter to vote for all offices and measures on which he or she is entitled to vote;

(3) Permit the voter to verify in a private and independent manner the votes selected by the voter on the ballot before the ballot is cast;

(4) Provide the voter with the opportunity in a private and independent manner to change the ballot or correct any error before the ballot is cast;

(5)(A) Notify the voter that he or she has selected more than one (1) candidate for the office, notify the voter before the ballot is cast and counted of the effect of casting multiple votes for the office, and provide the voter with the opportunity to correct the ballot before the ballot is cast if the voter is legally entitled to select only one (1) candidate for an office but the voter selects more than one (1) candidate for the office.

(B) Electronic vote tabulating devices used to cast and count votes at the polling place shall be programmed to reject ballots containing overvotes as described in this section.

(C) When votes are cast at polling places and are to be counted by hand or at the courthouse or other central counting location, the county board of election commissioners shall provide a voter education program to inform the voters:

(i) Of the effect of casting multiple votes for an office; and

(ii) How to correct the ballot before it is cast, including, but not limited to, instructions on how to correct the error through the issuance of a replacement ballot if the voter was otherwise unable to change the ballot or correct any error;

(6)(A) Notify the voter that the voter has selected more than the allowed number of candidates for the office on the ballot, notify the voter before the ballot is cast and counted of the effect of casting more than the allowed number of votes for that office, and provide the voter with the opportunity to correct the ballot before the ballot is cast if the voter is legally entitled to select multiple candidates for an office but the voter selects more than the number of candidates he or she is legally entitled to select.

(B) Electronic vote tabulating devices used to cast and count votes at the polling places shall be programmed to reject ballots containing overvotes as described in this section.

(C) When votes are cast at polling places and are to be counted by hand or at the courthouse or other central counting location, the county board of election commissioners shall provide a voter education program to inform the voters:

(i) Of the effect of casting more votes than the voter is legally entitled to cast for an office; and

(ii) How to correct the ballot before it is cast, including, but not limited to, instructions on how to correct the error through the issuance of a replacement ballot if the voter was otherwise unable to change the ballot or correct any error;

(7) Permit the voter to vote:

(A) At any election for all persons and officers for whom he or she is lawfully entitled to vote and no others;

(B) For as many persons for an office as he or she is entitled to vote;

(C) For or against any question upon which he or she is entitled to vote; and

(D) By means of a single device, if authorized by law, for all candidates for one (1) party or to vote a split ticket as he or she desires;

(8) Permit the voter by one (1) mark to vote for the candidates for that party for president, vice president, and their presidential electors at presidential elections;

(9) Generate a printed record at the beginning of its operation which verifies that the tabulating elements for each candidate position and each question and the public counter are all set to zero (000); and

(10) Generate a printed record at the finish of its operation of the total number of:

(A) Voters whose ballots have been tabulated;

(B) Votes cast for each candidate whose name appears on the ballot;

(C) Votes cast for or against any question appearing on the ballot; and

(D) Undervotes and overvotes by contest.

SECTION 39. Arkansas Code 7-5-611(a)(2), concerning the preparation of electronic vote tabulating machines, is amended to read as follows:

(2) At least ~~five (5)~~ seven (7) days prior to the ~~election day~~ beginning of voting, the county board, with respect to all elections, shall have ~~the electronic vote tabulating devices~~ each electronic vote tabulating device tested to ascertain that the devices will correctly count the votes cast for all offices and on all measures.

SECTION 40. Arkansas Code Title 7, Chapter 5, Subchapter 6 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

7-5-616. Penalty.

A person who violates this subchapter shall be subject to the same fine and imprisonment as provided by law for violating the comparable provisions of the laws of this state regarding voting by other voting methods.

SECTION 41. Arkansas Code § 7-7-103, as amended by Act 188 of 2009, is amended to read as follows:

7-7-103. Filing as an independent — Petitions — Disqualification.

(a)(1) ~~Any~~ A person desiring to have his or her name placed upon the ballot as an independent candidate without political party affiliation for any United States office other than President of the United States or Vice-President of the United States or state, county, township, or district office in any general election in this state shall file, ~~as an independent candidate,~~ during the party filing period for the year in which the election is to be held, a political practices pledge, an affidavit of eligibility, and a notice of candidacy stating the name and title the candidate proposes to appear on the ballot and identifying the elective office sought, ~~during the period for filing political practices pledges and party pledges if any are required by the rules of the party to qualify as a candidate of a political party in a primary election~~ including the position number, if any.

(2)(A) An independent candidate shall state the same position, including the position number, if any, on his or her petition.

(B) When a candidate has identified the position sought on the notice of candidacy, the candidate shall not be allowed to change the position but may withdraw a notice of candidacy and file a new notice of candidacy designating a different position before the deadline for filing.

(b)(1)(A) The person shall furnish by 12:00 noon on May 1 of the year in which the election is to be held petitions signed by not less than three percent (3%) of the qualified electors in the county, township, or district in which the person is seeking office, but in no event shall more than two thousand (2,000) signatures be required for a district, county, or township office.

(B) If the person is a candidate for state office or for United States Senator in which a statewide race is required, the person shall file petitions signed by not less than three percent (3%) of the qualified electors of the state or which contain ten thousand (10,000) signatures of qualified electors, whichever is the lesser.

(2) Each elector signing the petition shall be a registered voter, and the petition shall be directed to the official with whom the person is required by law to file the petition to qualify as a candidate and shall request that the name of the person be placed on the ballot for election to the office mentioned in the petition.

(3) Petitions shall be circulated not earlier than ninety (90) calendar days before the deadline for filing petitions to qualify as an independent candidate unless the number of days is reduced by a proclamation, ordinance, resolution, ~~or~~ order, or other authorized document ~~of~~ for a special election under ~~§ 7-5-103~~ 7-11-101 et seq.

(4) In determining the number of qualified electors in any county, township, or district or in the state, the total number of votes cast therein for all candidates in the preceding general election for the office of Governor shall be conclusive of the number of qualified electors therein for the purposes of this section.

(5) If the number of days in which the petition for independent candidacy may be circulated is reduced by a proclamation, ordinance, resolution, ~~or~~ order, or other authorized document for a special election under ~~§ 7-5-103~~ 7-11-101 et seq., the number of signatures required on the petition shall be reduced proportionately.

~~(c)(1)(A) Independent candidates for municipal office may qualify by a petition of not fewer than ten (10) electors for incorporated towns and cities of the second class and not fewer than thirty (30) electors for cities of the first class of the ward or city in which the election is to be held.~~

~~(B) The county clerk shall determine within ten (10) days of filing whether the petition contains the names of a sufficient number of qualified electors. The county clerk shall promptly notify the candidate of the result.~~

~~(2)(A) Independent candidates for municipal office shall file their petitions of nomination with the county clerk not more than ninety (90) days nor less than seventy (70) days before the general election.~~

~~(B) The filing on the last day shall occur before 12:00 noon.~~

~~(d) The sufficiency of any petition filed under the provisions of this section may be challenged in the same manner as is provided by law for election contests, § 7-5-801 et seq.~~

~~(e) A person who has been defeated in a party primary shall not be permitted to file as an independent candidate in the general election for the office for which he or she was defeated in the party primary.~~

~~(f) This section shall not apply to the offices of Justice of the Supreme Court, Judge of the Court of Appeals, circuit judge, or district judge.~~

SECTION 42. Arkansas Code § 7-7-105 is amended to read as follows:

7-7-105. Filling vacancies in certain offices - Special primary elections.

~~Nominees for election at a special election called for the purpose of filling a vacancy in office for a member of the United States House of Representatives, for Lieutenant Governor, or as a member of the Senate or House of Representatives of the General Assembly shall be chosen in accordance with § 7-5-103(a).~~

(a) Nominees for special elections called for the purpose of filling a vacancy in office for a member of the United States House of Representatives, Lieutenant Governor, or for a member of the Senate or House of Representatives of the General Assembly shall be chosen as follows:

(1) The Governor shall certify in writing to the state committees of the respective political parties the fact of vacancy and shall request the respective state committees to make a determination and notify him or her in writing within ten (10) days with respect to whether the political parties desire to hold a special primary election or a convention of delegates held under party rules to choose nominees; and

(2)(A) If the state committee of any political party timely notifies the Governor that it chooses to hold a special primary election, any political party desiring to choose a nominee shall choose the nominee at a special primary election.

(B) The Governor's proclamation shall set dates for the special primary election and the runoff primary election to be held if no candidate receives a majority of the vote at the special primary election; and

(3)(A) A special election to fill the vacancy in office shall be held on a date as soon as possible after the vacancy occurs, but not more than one hundred fifty (150) days after the occurrence of the vacancy.

(B) The special election shall be held in accordance with laws governing special elections.

(C)(i) If a nominee is to be chosen at a special primary election and if, after the close of the filing period, only one (1) or two (2) candidates have filed for the nomination of a party holding a primary, the state committee of a party holding a primary shall notify the Governor.

(ii) The Governor shall issue a new proclamation setting the special election for an earlier date so long as the earlier date is in accordance with state laws governing special elections.

(b) If no state committee of any political party timely notifies the Governor of the desire to hold a special primary election or convention, the Governor, in issuing his or her proclamation calling for the special election, shall declare that the nominee of a political party shall be chosen at a convention.

SECTION 43. Arkansas Code § 7-7-301 is amended to read as follows:

7-7-301. Party pledges, affidavits of eligibility, and party filing fees.

(a) A political party may impose a filing fee for candidates seeking nomination by that party. The filing fee for county, municipal, and township offices shall be fixed by the county committee, as authorized by the state executive committee. For all other races, the filing fee shall be established by the state executive committee. On or before noon of the ~~time provided in § 7-7-203(c),~~ last day of the political party filing period, all candidates at primary elections of political parties shall file an affidavit of eligibility and any pledge required by such party and shall pay the party filing fees required by the party, as follows:

(1) Candidates for United States Senator, United States Representative, and for all state offices shall file the pledge and the affidavit of eligibility~~,~~ and pay the party filing fees with the secretary of the state committee of the political party or his or her designated agent;

(2) Candidates for district offices, including, but not limited to, the offices of State Representative and State Senator, shall file the pledge and affidavit of eligibility with the secretary of the state committee of the political party or his or her designated agent and pay the party filing fees with the secretary of the state committee of the political party or his or her designated agent; and

(3) All candidates for county, municipal, and township offices, candidates for county committeeman, and delegates to the county convention shall file the pledge and the affidavit of eligibility and pay the party filing fees with the secretary of the county committee of the political party.

~~(b)(1) Before the name of any person shall appear on the primary ballot of a political party as a candidate for any local, state, or federal office, the secretary of the county committee or the secretary of the state committee, as the case may be, of the political party must make an affirmative determination that the person complies with the eligibility requirements of the office.~~

~~(2) The secretary of the county committee or of the state committee, as the case may be, shall require an affidavit of eligibility from the candidate, and the secretary may make an independent investigation as he or she deems necessary to determine the eligibility of the candidate to serve in the office he or she seeks, including the power to compel the person to answer interrogatories. The affidavit of eligibility shall be filed, along with the filing fee and party pledge, with the county or state committee, and the investigation concerning the eligibility shall be concluded within two (2) weeks after the filing deadline for nomination.~~

~~(c)~~(b) The county clerk shall not accept for filing the political practices pledge of any candidate for nomination by a political party to any county, township, or partisan municipal office, nor shall the Secretary of State accept for filing the political practices pledge of any candidate for nomination by a political party to any state or district office, unless the candidate first files a party certificate.

~~(d)~~(c) Any candidate who shall fail to file the party pledge and affidavit of eligibility and pay the party filing fee at the time and in the manner as provided in this section shall not receive a party certificate and shall not have his or her name printed on the ballot at any primary election.

~~(e)~~(d) The names of candidates who file with the state committee as provided in this section shall be certified to the various county committees and the various county boards of election commissioners in the manner and at the time provided in § 7-7-203~~(d)~~.

SECTION 44. Arkansas Code § 7-7-304 is amended to read as follows:

7-7-304. Names to be included on ballots — Withdrawal — Unopposed candidates — Position.

~~(a)(1) Whenever a person qualifies for a primary election of a political party as a candidate for an office or a position, his or her name shall be printed on the ballot at the preferential primary election.~~

~~(2) If at the preferential primary election for a political party a candidate receives a majority of the votes cast for that office or position, the person shall be declared the party nominee, and it shall not be necessary for the candidate's name to appear on the ballot at the general primary election.~~

~~(3) If no candidate receives a majority of the votes cast for an office or a position at the preferential primary election for a political party, the names of the two (2) candidates of the political party who received the highest number of votes for an office or a position shall be printed upon the ballots at the general primary election.~~

~~(b)(1) If any candidate, either prior to the certification of the ballot for the preferential primary or subsequent to the preferential primary but prior to the certification of the ballot for the general primary election, shall notify the secretary of the state committee in the case of a United States, state, or district office or the secretary of the county committee in the case of a county, city, or township office, in writing, signed by the candidate and acknowledged before an officer authorized by law to take acknowledgments, of his or her desire to withdraw as a candidate for the office or position, then the committee shall immediately notify the county board of election commissioners or the Secretary of State, as the case may be, and the name of the person shall not be printed on the preferential primary ballot or the general primary ballot, as the case may be.~~

~~(2) If one (1) of the two (2) candidates who received the highest number of votes but not a majority at the preferential primary election for an office or a position withdraws prior to certification of the result at the preferential primary election, the remaining candidate who received the most votes at the preferential primary election shall be certified as the nominee for the office or position and there shall not be a general primary election for that office or position.~~

(a)(1) Not less than seventy (70) days before each preferential primary election, the Secretary of State shall certify to all county boards of election commissioners full lists of the names of all candidates who have filed party certificates with him or her to be placed on the ballots in their respective counties at the preferential primary election.

(2) A name of a person shall not be certified and shall not be placed on the ballot if prior to the certification a candidate:

(A) Notifies the Secretary of State in writing, signed by the candidate and acknowledged before an officer authorized to take acknowledgements, of his or her desire to withdraw as a candidate for the office or position; or

(B) Dies.

(b)(1) Not less than seventy (70) days before each preferential primary election, the county clerk shall certify to the county board full lists of the names of all candidates who have filed party certificates with him or her to be placed on the ballot at the preferential primary election.

(2) A name of a person shall not be certified and shall not be placed on the ballot if prior to the certification a candidate:

(A) Notifies the county clerk in writing, signed by the candidate and acknowledged before an officer authorized to take acknowledgements, of his or her desire to withdraw as a candidate for the office or position; or

(B) Dies.

(c)(1) The votes received by a person whose name appeared on the preferential primary ballot and who withdrew or died after the certification of the ballot shall be counted.

(2) If the person receives enough votes to win the nomination, a vacancy in nomination shall exist.

(3) If the person receives enough votes to advance to the general primary election, the person's name shall be printed on the general primary election ballot.

(4) If the person receives enough votes to win the general primary election, a vacancy in nomination shall exist.

~~(c)~~(d) When only one (1) candidate qualifies for a particular office or position, the office or position and the name of the unopposed candidate shall be printed on the political party's ballot in all primary elections.

~~(d)~~(e) When there are two (2) or more nominees to be selected for the same office, such as ~~Associate Justice of the Supreme Court,~~ state senator, state representative, justice of the peace, alderman, or for any other office, the proper committee shall require the candidates to designate in writing a particular position, i.e., Position Number 1, Position Number 2, Position Number 3, etc., at the time that a party pledge is required to be filed with the secretary of the committee. ~~An independent candidate shall designate his or her position prior to circulation of his or her petition.~~ When a candidate has once filed and designated for a certain position, that candidate shall not be permitted to thereafter change the position.

~~(e) The provisions of subsection (d) of this section with respect to filing for positions shall be equally applicable to candidates seeking election at all general and special elections of this state and to all school elections.~~

(f)(1) If at the preferential primary election for a political party a candidate receives a majority of the votes cast for that office or position, the person shall be declared the party nominee and it shall not be necessary for the candidate's name to appear on the ballot at the general primary election.

(2) If no candidate receives a majority of the votes cast for an office or position at the preferential primary for a political party, the names of the two (2) candidates of the political party who received the highest number of votes for an office or a position shall be placed upon the ballots at the general primary election.

SECTION 45. Arkansas Code § 7-8-102(b), concerning filling Senate vacancies, is amended to read as follows:

(b) If no general election for state and county officers occurs within twelve (12) months after the vacancy, the Governor shall call a special election to be held in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-101 et seq. but in no event more than one hundred twenty (120) days after the vacancy occurs.

SECTION 46. Arkansas Code § 7-9-111(h), concerning special elections on municipal referendum petition measures, is amended to read as follows:

(h) Municipal referendum petition measures shall be submitted to the electors at a regular general election unless the petition expressly calls for a special election. If the date set by the petition does not allow sufficient time to comply with election procedures, then the city or town council shall fix the date for any special election on the referendum measure. The date of any special election shall be set in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. but in no event more than one hundred twenty (120) calendar days after the date of certification of sufficiency by the municipal clerk.

SECTION 47. Arkansas Code Title 7 is amended to add an additional chapter to read as follows:

CHAPTER 11- SPECIAL ELECTIONS

SUBCHAPTER 1-
ELECTIONS TO FILL VACANCIES

7-11-101. Calling elections to fill vacancies.

All special elections and other elections to fill a vacancy in an office shall be called by proclamation, ordinance, resolution, order, or other authorized document of the appropriate constituted authority.

7-11-102. Content of calling document.

The proclamation, ordinance, resolution, order, or other authorized document of the appropriate constituted authority calling a special election or other election to fill a vacancy in an office shall set forth:

(1) The date of the election;

(2) The date of the special primary election, if any;

(3) The date of the special primary runoff election, if any is required;

(4) The deadline for filing as a party candidate with the county clerk or Secretary of State, as the case may be;

(5) The deadline for party conventions to select nominees if applicable;

(6) The deadline for parties to issue certificates of nomination or certified lists of nominees, as the case may be, if applicable;

(7) The deadline for candidates to file certificates of nomination, if applicable, with the county clerk or Secretary of State, as the case may be;

(8) The deadline for filing as an independent candidate and the period in which petitions for independent candidacy may be circulated;

(9) The deadline for filing as a write-in candidate if applicable;

(10) The deadline for drawing for ballot position by the county board of election commissioners; and

(11) The date the election shall be certified by the county board in each county in which the election takes place and, if applicable, by the Secretary of State.

7-11-103. Filling vacancies in state, federal, or district offices.

(a) The proclamation, ordinance, resolution, order, or other authorized document of the appropriate constituted authority calling a special election to fill a state, federal, or district office shall be filed with the Secretary of State, who shall immediately transmit the document to the county board of election commissioners of each county where the special election shall be held.

(b) The county board shall cause the proclamation, ordinance, resolution, order, or other authorized document to be published as soon as practicable in a newspaper of general circulation in the county in which the special election is held.

7-11-104. Filling vacancies in local offices.

(a) The proclamation, ordinance, resolution, order, or other authorized document of the appropriate constituted authority calling a special election to fill a local office shall be filed with the county clerk of the county administering the election, who shall immediately transmit the document to the county board of election commissioners of each county where the special election shall be held.

(b) The county board shall cause the proclamation, ordinance, resolution, order, or other authorized document to be published as soon as practicable in a newspaper of general circulation in the county in which the special election is held.

7-11-105. Special elections to be held on the second Tuesday of a month – Exceptions – Separate ballots.

(a) Except as provided in this chapter, all special elections to fill vacancies in office and associated special primary elections shall be held on the second Tuesday of any month.

(b) A special election scheduled to occur in a month in which the second Tuesday of the month is a legal holiday shall be held on the third Tuesday of the month.

(c) A special election called in June of an even-numbered year shall be held on the fourth Tuesday of the month.

(d)(1) Special elections held in months in which a preferential primary election or general election is scheduled to occur shall be held on the date of the preferential primary election or general election.

(2) If a special election to fill a vacancy in office is held on the date of the preferential primary election, the names of the candidates in the special election shall be included on the ballot of each political party, and the portion of the ballot on which the special election appears shall be labeled with a heading stating "SPECIAL ELECTION FOR _____" with the name of the office set out in the heading.

(3) Separate ballots containing the names of the candidates to be voted on at the special election or nonpartisan judicial elections, if applicable, and any other measures or questions that may be presented for a vote shall be prepared and made available to voters requesting a separate ballot.

(4)(A) A voter shall not be required to vote in a political party's preferential primary in order to be able to vote in the special election.

(B)(i) If the special election is held at the same time as the general election, the names of the candidates in the special election shall be included on the general election ballot, and the portion of the ballot on which the special election appears shall be labeled with a heading stating "SPECIAL ELECTION FOR _____" with the name of the office set out in the heading.

(ii) The county board may include the special election on a separate ballot if the special election is held at the same time as the general election and the commission determines that a separate ballot is necessary to avoid voter confusion.

(e)(1) A special election to fill a vacancy in office shall be held not less than sixty-five (65) days following the date established in the proclamation, ordinance, resolution, order, or other authorized document for drawing for ballot position when the special election is to be held on the date of the preferential primary election or general election.

(2) If a special election to fill a vacancy in office is not held at the same time as a preferential primary election or general election, the special election shall be held not less than fifty (50) days following the date established in the proclamation, ordinance, resolution, order, or other authorized document for drawing for ballot position.

7-11-106. Special primary elections held in conjunction with regularly scheduled primary election -- Separate ballots optional.

(a) When a special primary election is held on the date of the preferential primary election, the candidates to be voted upon at the special primary election shall be included on the ballot of each political party and the portion of the ballot on which the special primary election appears shall be labeled with a heading stating "SPECIAL PRIMARY ELECTION FOR _____" with the name of the party for which nomination is sought and the office set out in the heading.

(b) The county board of election commissioners may include the special primary election on a separate ballot if the special primary election is held at the same time as a preferential primary election and the commission determines that a separate ballot is necessary to avoid voter confusion.

7-11-107. Unopposed candidates.

(a) If there is only one (1) candidate after all deadlines for filing as a candidate have passed in a special election or special primary election to fill a vacancy and if no other office or issue is on the ballot, the county board of election commissioners may provide that:

(1) Polling places shall not be open on election day and the election shall be conducted by absentee ballot and early voting only; or

(2) Only one (1) polling place shall be open and that polling place may be at the courthouse and may be staffed by the county clerk or as many poll workers as the county board deems necessary.

(b) In a county that uses voting machines or an electronic vote tabulating device, the county board may:

(1) Choose to use paper ballots counted by hand for the election; and

(2)(A) Provide that no voting machines shall be used in the election.

(B) If the county board chooses to provide that no voting machines shall be used in the election, any other provision in Arkansas law requiring the use of a voting machine shall not apply to this section.

SUBCHAPTER 2-
SPECIAL ELECTIONS ON MEASURES AND QUESTIONS

7-11-201. Calling special elections on measures or questions.

Except for special school elections, all special elections on measures or questions referred to the voters by governmental entities as authorized by law shall be called by proclamation, ordinance, statute, resolution, order, or other authorized document of the properly constituted authority as required by law.

7-11-202. Calling special elections on state measures or questions.

(a) The document under § 7-11-201 calling the special election on a state measure or question shall be filed with the Secretary of State, who shall immediately transmit the document to the county board of election commissioners in each county where the special election is to be held.

(b) The county board shall publish the document as soon as practicable in a newspaper of general circulation in the county in which the special election is held.

7-11-203. Calling special elections on local measures or questions.

(a) The document under § 7-11-201 calling the special election on a local measure or question shall be filed with the county clerk of the county administering the election, who shall immediately transmit the document to the county board in each county where the special election is to be held.

(b) The county board shall publish the document as soon as practicable in a newspaper of general circulation in the county in which the special election is held.

7-11-204. Content of calling document.

(a) The proclamation, ordinance, statute, resolution, order, or other authorized document of the properly constituted authority calling the special election shall state:

(1) The date of the special election;

(2) The full text of any measure or question for which the election is called;

(3) The ballot title, if any, for the measure or question for which the election is called; and

(4) Any other information required by law.

7-11-205. Dates of special elections on measures and questions -- Exceptions -- Separate ballots.

(a)(1)(A) Except as provided in subdivision (a)(1)(B) of this section, all special elections on measures or questions shall be held on the second Tuesday of any month, except special elections held under this section in a month in which a preferential primary election or general election is scheduled to occur shall be held on the date of the preferential primary election or general election.

(B)(i) Special elections scheduled to occur in a month in which the second Tuesday is a legal holiday shall be held on the third Tuesday of the month.

(ii) A special election called in June of an even-numbered year shall be held on the fourth Tuesday of the month.

(2)(A) If a special election is held on the date of the preferential primary election, the issue or issues to be voted upon at the special election shall be included on the ballot of each political party.

(B) The portion of the ballot containing the special election shall be labeled with a heading stating "SPECIAL ELECTION ON _____" with a brief description of the measure or question to be decided in the election.

(3) Separate ballots containing the issue or issues to be voted on at the special election and candidates for nonpartisan judicial office shall be prepared and made available to voters requesting a separate ballot.

(4) A voter shall not be required to vote in a political party's preferential primary in order to be able to vote in the special election.

(b)(1) A special election shall be held not less than sixty-five (65) days following the date that the proclamation, ordinance, resolution, order, or other authorized document is filed with the county clerk when the special election is to be held on the date of the preferential primary election or general election.

(2) If the special election is not held at the same time as a preferential primary election or general election, the special election shall be held not less than fifty (50) days following the date that the proclamation, ordinance, resolution, order, or other authorized document is filed with the county clerk.

SUBCHAPTER 3-
CERTAIN PROCEDURES FOR SPECIAL ELECTIONS

7-11-301. Law governing special elections.

In cases of circumstances or procedures that may arise in connection with any special election for which there is no provision in law governing the circumstances or procedures, the special election shall be governed by:

(1) The general election laws of this state; or

(2) In the case of special primary elections, the primary election laws of this state.

7-11-302. Special procedures for vacancies filled under Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 29.

(a) Whenever a vacancy in office is to be filled under Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 29, the following shall apply:

(1) The Governor shall issue a proclamation calling an election to fill a vacancy;

(2) If the vacancy occurs less than one hundred eighty (180) days before a general election at which the vacancy is to be filled and the position is one that may be filled by partisan election, the political parties shall choose their nominees at a convention of delegates held in accordance with the party rules for the convention;

(3) If the vacancy occurs more than one hundred eighty (180) days before the general election and is a position that may be filled by partisan election, the Governor shall certify in writing to the state committees of the respective political parties the fact of vacancy and shall request the respective state committees to make a determination and notify him or her in writing within ten (10) days with respect to whether the political parties desire to hold a special primary election or a convention of delegates under party rules to choose nominees;

(4) If the state committee of any political party shall timely notify the Governor that it chooses to hold a special primary election, it is mandatory that any political party desiring to choose a nominee shall choose the nominee at a special primary election, and the Governor's proclamation shall set dates for both the special primary election and for any runoff primary election to be held if no candidate receives a majority of the vote at the special primary election; and

(5) If no state committee of any political party timely notifies the Governor of the desire to hold either a primary election or convention of delegates, the Governor, in issuing his or her proclamation calling for the special election, shall declare that the nominee of any political party shall be chosen at a convention of delegates.

7-11-303. Notice.

In addition to the publication of the calling document, notice of special elections under this chapter shall be published and posted under § 7-5-202 and 7-5-206.

SECTION 48. Arkansas Code § 12-10-318(a)(2), concerning special elections on emergency telephone service charges, is amended to read as follows:

(2) Upon its own initiative, the governing authority of the political subdivision may call such a special election to be held in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

SECTION 49. Arkansas Code § 13-2-501(b)(1), concerning an election for the establishment of a public library, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) In a city of the first class, on petition of five percent (5%) of the voters requesting the establishment of a public library, the city council or governing body of the municipality within thirty (30) days after the filing of the petition shall call an election to be held in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

SECTION 50. Arkansas Code § 14-14-915(b), concerning the time requirements for filing petitions, is amended to read as follows:

(b) Time Requirements for Filing Petitions.

(1) INITIATIVE PETITIONS. All petitions for initiated county measures shall be filed with the county clerk not less than ~~sixty (60) calendar days nor more than~~ ninety (90) calendar days nor more than one hundred twenty (120) calendar days prior to the date established for the next regular election.

(2) REFERENDUM PETITIONS. All petitions for referendum on county measures must be filed with the county clerk within sixty (60) calendar days after passage and publication of the measure sought to be repealed.

(3) CERTIFICATION. All initiative and referendum petitions must be certified sufficient to the county board of election commissioners not less than ~~forty (40)~~ seventy (70) calendar days prior to a regular general election to be included on the ballot. If the adequacy of a petition is determined by the county clerk less than ~~forty (40)~~ seventy (70) days prior to the next regular election, the election on the measure shall be delayed until the following regular election unless a special election is called on a referendum measure as provided by law.

SECTION 51. Arkansas Code § 14-14-917(a)(4), concerning special election associated with initiative and referendum petitions, is amended to read as follows:

(4) Time of Special Election. The county court shall fix the date for the conduct of any special elections on referendum measures. The date shall be not less than established under § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. When the electors exercise their powers to establish the necessity for a special election, the county court shall order an election according to the dates stated in § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

SECTION 52. Arkansas Code § 14-20-108(a)(1)(B)(i)(b), concerning election of the issue of the levy of volunteer fire department dues and as amended by Act 300 of 2009, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) The issue may be placed on the ballot at a special election by order of the quorum court in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

(2) The special election shall be held by August 1.

SECTION 53. Arkansas Code § 14-37-112(a)(1), concerning the conversion of an incorporated town into a city of the second class, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) Any incorporated town in this state may become a city of the second class by the adoption and publication of an ordinance, duly adopted and published as provided by law, converting the incorporated town into a city of the second class. However, after the adoption and publication of the ordinance, the qualified voters of the town shall vote in any general election, or a special election called by the mayor to be held in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq., in favor of the ordinance.

SECTION 54. Arkansas Code § 14-37-112(b)(2)(B), concerning special elections for officers after the conversion of an incorporated town to a city of the second class, is amended to read as follows:

(B) However, the mayor of the incorporated town which has been raised to a city of the second class may call a special election by proclamation, to be held in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-101 et seq., which shall be published by two (2) insertions in a newspaper of general circulation in the county in which the city is located. This special election shall be held for the purpose of electing officers for the city of the second class.

SECTION 55. Arkansas Code § 14-38-112(c)(2)(A), concerning special elections to elect municipal officers of a reactivated city or incorporated town, is amended to read as follows:

(2)(A) If the county court determines that a majority of the qualified electors of the city or incorporated town, as reflected by the voter registration records of the county, has petitioned for the calling of a special election to elect the municipal officials of the city or incorporated town, the county court shall enter an order approving the petitions and shall call a special election to be held in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-101 et seq. for the election of the officials of the city or incorporated town.

SECTION 56. Arkansas Code § 14-38-113(a)(1), concerning special elections on reorganization under a different form of municipal government, is amended to read as follows:

(1) When petitions shall be filed with the mayor containing the signatures of qualified electors of the municipality equal in number to fifteen percent (15%) of the aggregate number of votes cast at the preceding general municipal election of all candidates for mayor in the case of a municipality operating under the aldermanic form of government or the commission form of government, and for all candidates for the office of director for the director position for which the greatest number of votes were cast in the case of a municipality operating under the manager form of government, requesting that an election be called to submit the proposition of organizing the municipality under any other form of municipal government authorized by the laws of this state, a special election shall be called by the mayor by proclamation, to be held in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. The proclamation, shall be published one (1) time at length in a newspaper having a general circulation in the municipality, and notice of the election shall be published in the newspaper one (1) time a week for two (2) weeks, with the first publication to be not less than fifteen (15) days before the date set for the election;

SECTION 57. Arkansas Code § 14-38-113(a)(3)(B)(i), concerning special elections for municipal offices in municipalities reorganizing under a different form of municipal government, is amended to read as follows:

(B)(i) However, if a municipality votes to change its form of government and the date of the election to change its form of municipal government is six (6) months or more prior to the next regular general election for municipal officials, the mayor of the municipality by proclamation shall call a special election, to be held in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-101 et seq. for the purpose of electing municipal officials under the form of government adopted by the municipality. When the officials are elected, the municipality shall proceed to organize and operate under the newly adopted form of government.

SECTION 58. Arkansas Code § 14-40-303(b)(1), concerning special elections on annexation, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) The annexation ordinance shall not become effective until the question of annexation is submitted to the qualified electors of the annexing municipality and of the area to be annexed at the next general election or at a special election. The special election shall be called by ordinance or proclamation of the mayor of the annexing municipality in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

SECTION 59. Arkansas Code § 14-40-303(f), concerning special elections on annexation held by more than one (1) city and as amended by Act 420 of 2009, is amended to read as follows:

(f)(1) In the event that within thirty (30) days of the date that one (1) city calls for an annexation election, another city calls for an annexation election on all or part of the same land proposed to be annexed by the first city, then both annexation elections shall be held, provided that the second city must call for its annexation election to be held on the next available date in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. before or after the holding of the first city's election.

(2)(A) If the annexation election held first is approved by the voters, the results of it shall be stayed until the second annexation election is held.

(B)(i) If only one (1) of the annexation elections is approved by the voters, then the city that called that election shall proceed with the annexation of the land.

(ii)(a) Except as provided in subdivisions (f)(2)(B)(ii)(b) and (c) of this section, if both annexation elections are approved by the voters, then a third election shall be held three (3) weeks after the second annexation election. The provisions of § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. governing the procedures and dates on which special elections may be held shall not apply to the third annexation election provided in this subsection.

(b) If the date of the third election falls upon a legal holiday, the election shall be held four (4) weeks after the second annexation election.

(c) If the date of the election under subdivision (f)(2)(B)(ii)(b) of this section is a legal holiday, the election shall be held five (5) weeks after the second annexation election.

(iii) Notice of the third election shall be published in a newspaper circulated in the area to be annexed during the period following the second election.

(iv) Only the residents of the area proposed to be annexed by both cities shall vote in the third election.

(v) The issue on the ballot in the third election shall be into which of the two (2) cities the residents of the area want to be annexed.

(vi) The area shall be annexed into the city receiving the most votes in the third election.

(vii) In the event of a tie vote in the third election, the area shall be annexed to the city that had the highest percentage vote in favor of the annexation in the first or second election.

(3) If the city that does not get to annex the area voted on by both cities included land in its annexation election other than the land voted on by both cities, then that land shall be annexed into such city if it is still contiguous to such city after the other land is annexed to the other city, but such land shall remain part of the county if it is not so contiguous.

SECTION 60. Arkansas Code § 14-40-1202(a)(1)(A), concerning special elections on the consolidation of municipalities, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1)(A) Upon presentation of the petition to the county court by the authorized persons, the court shall at once order and call a special election, to be held in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. in both of the municipal corporations on the question of the annexation and the name of the proposed consolidated municipality.

SECTION 61. Arkansas Code § 14-40-1207(a)(1), concerning special elections for alderman or all city officials, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1)(A) Except as provided under subdivision (a)(1)(B) of this section, the city or town council shall call a special election of aldermen, to be held at such times and places as the council may direct pursuant to a proclamation issued by the mayor in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(a)~~ 7-11-101 et seq., in the wards of the smaller municipality and for the election of aldermen from any other new wards that may be created by the council out of territory included in the larger city or incorporated town before the annexation, as provided in this subchapter.

(B) If the petition calls for a citywide election for all officials of the new consolidated city or incorporated town, then the city or town council shall call a special election pursuant to a proclamation issued by the mayor in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(a)~~ 7-11-101 et seq. for all city or town officials to be held at the times and places as it may direct throughout each ward of the consolidated city or incorporated town.

SECTION 62. Arkansas Code § 14-42-203(a) concerning special elections of mayors of cities of the first and second class, is amended to read as follows:

(a) Special elections of mayors of cities of the first class and cities of the second class shall be held at such time and place as the council directs in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(a)~~ 7-11-101 et seq.

SECTION 63. Arkansas Code § 14-42-206(b), concerning nominating positions for municipal elections, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) Any person desiring to become an independent candidate for municipal office in cities and towns with the mayor-council form of government shall file not more than ninety (90) nor less than seventy (70) days prior to the general election by 12:00 noon with the county clerk the petition of nomination in substantially the following forms:

(A) For all candidates except aldermen in cities of the first class and cities of the second class:

"PETITION OF NOMINATION
We, the undersigned qualified electors of the city (town) of . . . . ., Arkansas, being in number not less than ten (10) for incorporated towns and cities of the second (2nd) class, and not less than thirty (30) for cities of the first (1st) class, do hereby petition that the name of _____ be placed on the ballot for the office of _____ at the next election of municipal officials in 20 _____.

Printed Name	Signature	Street Address	Date of Birth	Date of Signing

. . . . . ."

(B) For candidates for alderman elected by ward in cities of the first class and cities of the second class, the nominating petitions shall be signed only by qualified electors of the ward in the following manner:

"PETITION OF NOMINATION
We, the undersigned qualified electors of Ward . . . . . of the city of _____, Arkansas, being in number not less than ten (10) for incorporated towns and cities of the second (2nd) class, and not less than thirty (30) for cities of the first (1st) class, do hereby petition that the name of _____ be placed on the ballot for the office of Alderman, Ward _____, position _____, of the next election of municipal officials in 20 _____.

Printed Name	Signature	Street Address	Date of Birth	Date of Signing

. . . . . ."

(C) For at-large candidates for alderman of a ward in cities of the first class and cities of the second class, the nominating petitions shall be signed by any qualified elector of the city in the following manner:

"PETITION OF NOMINATION
We, the undersigned qualified electors of the city of . . . . ., Arkansas, being in number not less than ten (10) for incorporated towns and cities of the second (2nd) class, and not less than thirty (30) for cities of the first (1st) class, do hereby petition that the name of _____ be placed on the ballot for the office of Alderman, Ward _____, position _____, of the next election of municipal officials in 20 _____.

Printed Name	Signature	Street Address	Date of Birth	Date of Signing

. . . . . ."

(2)(A) ~~The county clerk shall determine whether the petition contains a sufficient number of qualified electors~~ An independent candidate for municipal office may qualify by a petition of not fewer than ten (10) electors for incorporated towns and cities of the second class and not fewer than thirty (30) electors for cities of the first class of the ward or city in which the election is to be held.

(B) The county clerk shall determine within ten (10) days of filing whether the petition contains the names of a sufficient number of qualified electors.

(C) The county clerk promptly shall notify the candidate of the result.

(3) Independent candidates for municipal office shall file a political practices pledge and an affidavit of eligibility at the time of filing their petitions.

(4)(A) An independent candidate shall state the position, including the position number, if any, on his or her petition.

(B) When a candidate has identified the position sought on the notice of candidacy, the candidate shall not be allowed to change the position but may withdraw a notice of candidacy and file a new notice of candidacy designated a different position before the deadline for filing.

(5) The sufficiency of a petition filed under this section may be challenged in the same manner as election contests under § 7-5-801 et seq.

(6) A person who has been defeated in a party primary shall not file as an independent candidate in the general election for the office for which he or she was defeated in the party primary.

SECTION 64. Arkansas Code § 14-42-304(b), concerning special elections for amendments to a municipalities' charter, is amended to read as follows:

(b) The amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the municipality at a regular or special election called in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

SECTION 65. Arkansas Code § 14-43-411(b)(1), concerning special elections for certain alderman vacancies and as amended by Act 385 of 2009, is amended to read as follows:

(1) If the unexpired portion of the term of alderman exceeds one (1) year, at the first regular meeting after the occurrence of the vacancy, the city council shall proceed to either elect by a majority vote of the remaining members elected to the council an alderman to serve for the unexpired term or call for a special election to be held in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(a)~~ 7-11-101 et seq. to fill the vacancy; or

SECTION 66. Arkansas Code § 14-44-103(a)(4)(B), concerning elections to approve a four-year term for certain alderman, is amended to read as follows:

(B) The voters shall vote on the ordinance at a general election or at a special election called for that purpose by proclamation of the mayor in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. However, the election to approve the four-year election procedure shall be held no later than February 1 of the year of the general election in which the procedure is proposed to be effective.

SECTION 67. Arkansas Code § 14-44-106 is amended to read as follows:

14-44-106. Vacancy in mayor's office.

Whenever a vacancy occurs in the office of mayor in any city of the second class, at the first regular meeting after the occurrence of the vacancy, the city council shall proceed to either elect by a majority vote of the aldermen a mayor to serve the unexpired term or call for a special election to be held in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(a)~~ 7-11-101 et seq. to fill the vacancy. At this election, a mayor shall be elected to fill out the unexpired term.

SECTION 68. Arkansas Code § 14-47-106(b)(1)(A), concerning elections on the city manager form of government, is amended to read as follows:

(1)(A) When petitions containing the signatures of electors equal in number to fifteen percent (15%) of the aggregate number of ballots cast for all candidates for mayor in the preceding general city election are presented to the mayor, the mayor by proclamation shall submit the question of organizing the city under the manager form of government to the electors of the city at a special election to be held in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

SECTION 69. Arkansas Code § 14-47-107(a)(1), concerning subsequent elections on the aldermanic form of government, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) After the expiration of six (6) years after the date on which the first board of directors takes office in a city organized under this chapter, a petition may be presented to the mayor. It shall be signed by electors equal in number to fifteen percent (15%) of the aggregate number of ballots cast for all candidates for director in that position for which the greatest number of ballots were cast in the preceding general election. Whereupon, the mayor by proclamation shall submit the question of organization of the city under the aldermanic form of government at a special election to be held in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

SECTION 70. Arkansas Code § 14-47-110(a)(1), concerning the election of directors in a city manager form of municipal government, is amended to read as follows:

(1)(A)(i) A special election to elect the initial membership of the board shall be called by the mayor as provided in § 14-47-106.

(ii) The mayor's proclamation shall be in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(a)~~ 7-11-101 et seq.

(B)(i) A special election to fill any vacancy under § 14-47-113 shall be called through a resolution of the board of directors.

(ii) A proclamation announcing the holding of the election shall be signed by the mayor and published in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(a)~~ 7-11-101 et seq.;

SECTION 71. Arkansas Code § 14-48-104(b), concerning the submission of municipal governmental form questions to electors, is amended to read as follows:

(b) If the number of signatures certified by the clerk is equal to or greater than fifteen percent (15%) of the aggregate number of votes cast, as prescribed, the Secretary of State shall call by proclamation in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. a special election to be held not more than ninety (90) days from the date of the clerk's certification.

SECTION 72. Arkansas Code § 14-48-105(b)(2)(A)(i), concerning procedures for changing to another form of government in the city administrator form of municipal government, is amended to read as follows:

(2)(A)(i) Thereupon, the mayor by proclamation in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. shall submit the question of organization of the city under the form of government stated in the petition at a special election to be held at a time specified therein.

SECTION 73. Arkansas Code § 14-48-108(a), concerning the calling of elections for directors and mayors in the city administrator form of municipal government, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) Within ten (10) days after the designation of the four (4) wards, the Secretary of State by proclamation in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(a)~~ 7-11-101 et seq. shall call special primary and general elections to be held in the municipality for the purpose of electing seven (7) directors and a mayor.

(2)(A) The primary election shall be held in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(a)~~ 7-11-101 et seq.

(B) The special general election shall be held in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(a)~~ 7-11-101 et seq.

SECTION 74. Arkansas Code § 14-48-109(a)(1), concerning special elections for the initial membership of the board of directors and mayor in a city administrator form of municipal government, is amended to read as follows:

(1)(A)(i) A special election for the election of the initial membership of the board of directors and mayor shall be called by the Secretary of State as provided in § 14-48-108.

(ii) The proclamation shall be published in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(a)~~ 7-11-101 et seq.

(iii) For the initial election of directors and mayor, any person desiring to become a candidate shall file within twenty (20) days following the date of the proclamation by the Secretary of State with the city clerk or recorder a statement of candidacy in the form and with the supporting signatures as provided in this section. In all other respects, the initial elections shall be governed by the provisions of this chapter for holding municipal elections.

(B)(i) Special elections to fill any vacancy under § 14-48-115 shall be called through a resolution of the board.

(ii) A proclamation of the election shall be signed by the mayor and published in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(a)~~ 7-11-101 et seq. in some newspaper having a bona fide circulation in the municipality;

SECTION 75. Arkansas Code § 14-48-114(b)(3), concerning the removal of mayors or directors in a city administrator form of municipal government, is amended to read as follows:

(3) The county board of election commissioners shall issue a proclamation in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. calling a special election on the question and shall fix a date for holding it not more than ninety (90) days from the date of the certification of the petitions by the clerk.

SECTION 76. Arkansas Code § 14-48-115(b), concerning mayor or director vacancies in the city administrator form of municipal government, is amended to read as follows:

(b) If the vacancy occurs more than six 6) months prior to the next general municipal election, a special election to fill the vacancy shall be called by proclamation issued in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(a)~~ 7-11-101 et seq. by:

(A) The mayor, if the vacancy is in a board position; or

(B) The highest ranking member of the board of directors, if the vacancy is in the mayor's position.

SECTION 77. Arkansas Code § 14-57-704(a)(1), concerning special elections for a city or town vehicle tax, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) Before the vehicle tax levied by the governing body of any city of the first class or city of the second class or incorporated town upon vehicle owners residing in the city or town may be collected, the mayor shall call a special election in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

SECTION 78. Arkansas Code § 14-61-113(1), concerning the petition process for special elections for selecting members of the board of directors in the city manager form of government, is amended to read as follows:

(1) A petition that calls for an election on one (1) particular option for selecting members of the board of directors using the form of the question outlined in § 14-61-115(b) shall be filed with the city clerk and provided to the mayor. The city clerk shall note on the petition the date and time that it was filed. If such a petition contains the signatures of electors equal in number to fifteen percent (15%) of the number of ballots cast for the mayor, or if the mayor is not directly elected, for the director position receiving the highest number of votes in the last general election, then the mayor by proclamation in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. shall submit the question to the electors at a special election, provided:

(A)(i) The city clerk shall verify the number of signatures on the petitions within ten (10) days of the date they are filed.

(ii) If there are insufficient signatures on the petitions, the petitioners shall not receive any extensions for the petition.

(iii) If, however, there are a sufficient number of signatures on the petitions but the city clerk is unable to verify the required number of signatures as those of qualified electors, then the petitioners will be given ten (10) days to provide a sufficient number of verified signatures;

(B) The proclamation calling the special election shall be issued within three (3) working days of the date the city clerk verifies the number of signatures on the petitions;

(C) The special election shall be held not more than sixty (60) days after the proclamation calling the election, provided that if the county board of election commissioners certifies in writing that it cannot prepare the ballots because of other pending elections, then the election can be held not more than ninety (90) days after the proclamation.

SECTION 79. Arkansas Code § 14-61-119(g), concerning elections for the removal of directors in the city manager form of government, is amended to read as follows:

(g) If the board shall find the petition thus submitted to it contains the requisite number of electors signed thereto and is otherwise found to be sufficient, it shall order and fix a date for holding an election in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. This date shall be not more than ninety (90) days from the date of the clerk's certificate to the board that a sufficient petition is filed.

SECTION 80. Arkansas Code § 14-72-303(a), concerning special elections on the issuance of bonds by the county court, is amended to read as follows:

(a) If the county court decides that it would be advantageous to issue bonds under the authority of Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 17 [repealed], this section, and §§ 14-72-301, 14-72-302, and 14-72-304 — 14-72-307, it shall order the submission of the question to the qualified electors of the county at a special election to be held in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

SECTION 81. Arkansas Code § 14-72-606(a)(2), concerning special elections on the issuance of local government revenue bonds, is amended to read as follows:

(2) The question of the issuance of revenue bonds may be submitted at a special election called for that purpose in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq., as provided in the ordinance, and held in the manner provided in this subchapter.

SECTION 82. Arkansas Code § 14-116-303(a), concerning nomination and election of directors for water districts and as amended by Act 370 of 2009, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) If a water district is composed of all or a portion of four (4) or more counties, then nominations for directors shall be upon petitions signed by at least fifty (50) qualified electors residing in the area of the district from which the director is to be elected. This petition shall be filed with the county ~~board of election commissioners no later than July 1~~ clerk not later than 12:00 noon on July 1 before the general election.

(2) If a water district is composed of all or a portion of less than four (4) counties, then nominations for directors shall be upon petitions signed by at least fifty (50) qualified electors residing in the part of the service area of the customers of the district from which the director is to be elected. This petition shall be filed with the county ~~board of election commissioners no later than July 1~~ clerk not later than 12:00 noon on July 1 before the general election.

SECTION 83. Arkansas Code § 14-120-209 is amended to read as follows:

14-120-209. Date of election.

The election shall be held on a date to be fixed by the directors of the drainage and levee improvement district at a special meeting called for that purpose in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. However, the date of the election shall be not less than sixty (60) days nor more than one hundred eighty (180) days next succeeding the date of the first publication of the notice of the filing of the outline of the project with the district as provided in § 14-120-206(c).

SECTION 84. Arkansas Code § 14-122-104 is amended to read as follows:

14-122-104. Filing referendum petitions — Special election.

If petitions signed by not less than fifteen percent (15%) of the qualified electors voting on the office of mayor in the city at the last preceding general election are filed with the city clerk of the city within forty-five (45) days after the enactment of the ordinance creating the municipal drainage improvement district requesting that the ordinance be referred to a vote of the qualified electors of the district, the petitions shall be referred to the people at a special election to be called by the mayor of the municipality in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. to be held not more than ninety (90) days after the proclamation.

SECTION 85. Arkansas Code § 14-142-208(a), concerning the issuance of local government library bonds, is amended to read as follows:

(a) The question of the issuance of such bonds shall be submitted to the electors of the municipality or county at the general election, or at a special election called for that purpose in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq., as provided in the ordinance or order and held in the manner provided in this subchapter; provided, however, that no voter residing within a municipality levying a maintenance tax for libraries or levying a tax pledged for the purpose of retiring library bonds issued by the municipality or pledged to pay for capital improvements to or construction of a public library pursuant to Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 30 and Amendment 72, shall be entitled to vote on the question of the issuance of bonds by the county within which the municipality is located as authorized pursuant to Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 38 and Amendment 72, and this section.

SECTION 86. Arkansas Code § 14-163-207(d)(2)(A), concerning special election on the levy of a special tax for certain purposes, is amended to read as follows:

(2)(A) If the governing body finds that the petition is signed by the requisite owners of real property, it shall adopt an ordinance setting forth its finding and calling a special election to be held in the city in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

SECTION 87. Arkansas Code § 14-164-309(a), concerning the issuance of local government bonds, is amended to read as follows:

(a) The question of the issuance of such bonds shall be submitted to the electors of the county or municipality at the general election or at a special election called for that purpose in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq., as provided in the ordinance and held in the manner provided in this subchapter.

SECTION 88. Arkansas Code § 14-174-103(a)(2)(A), concerning special election on the levy of new economic development taxes, is amended to read as follows:

(2)(A) However, no ordinance levying any tax authorized by this subchapter shall be valid until adopted at a special election in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. by qualified electors of the city or in the county where the tax is to be imposed, as the case may be.

SECTION 89. Arkansas Code § 14-200-107 is amended to read as follows:

14-200-107. Election to authorize purchase by municipality.

Any municipality may determine to acquire the property of a public utility as authorized under the provisions of this act by the vote of the municipal council or city commission, taken after a public hearing, of which at least thirty (30) days' notice has been given, and ratified and confirmed by a majority of the electors voting thereon at any general or special municipal election held in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

SECTION 90. Arkansas Code § 14-201-109(b)(1), concerning special elections on the abolition or continuance of a utility commission, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) If twenty-five percent (25%) of the electors of the city petition the city council to do so, a special election shall be ordered in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. not later than fourteen (14) days from the date on which the petition was filed to be held at least ninety (90) days after the order on the question whether the utility commission shall be abolished or continued.

SECTION 91. Arkansas Code § 14-206-103(a), concerning special elections on the acquisition of a gas or electric public utility by a municipality, is amended to read as follows:

(a) Any municipality may determine to seek approval from the commission to acquire the property of a gas or electric public utility as authorized under the provisions of this chapter by the vote of the municipal council, city commission, or governing body taken after a public hearing, of which at least thirty (30) days' notice has been given by publication in newspapers having a general circulation within the municipality. This vote shall have been ratified and confirmed by a majority of the electors voting thereon at any special election held in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

SECTION 92. Arkansas Code § 14-283-101 is amended to read as follows:

14-283-101. Petition for special election.

(a) When petitions are filed with the county court of any county containing the signatures of ten percent (10%) or more of the qualified electors of all or any defined part of any county, or all or any defined part of any city, as determined by the number of votes cast by the qualified electors of the county, city, or designated portion thereof, for all candidates for Governor at the last preceding general election, requesting the establishment of a mosquito abatement district in the county or a designated portion of the county or in the city or designated portion of the city and requesting that assessed benefits be made on the property located in the district to finance the operation of the district, the county court shall call a special election in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. in the county, city, or designated area of the city to determine whether a mosquito abatement district shall be established for the area.

(b) Petitions filed pursuant to subsection (a) of this section shall specifically define the area proposed to be included in a mosquito abatement district and shall specify the maximum assessed benefits or taxes which may be levied against property within the district for the support of the district. In no event shall the assessed benefits in any district exceed an amount equal to one percent (1%) of the assessed valuation of real property in the district.

(c) The quorum court of the county may on its own motion enact an ordinance directing the county court to call a special election in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. in the county, city, or designated area of the city to determine whether a mosquito abatement district shall be established for the area.

SECTION 93. Arkansas Code § 14-283-102(a), concerning special elections on the establishment and financing of a mosquito abatement district, is amended to read as follows:

(a) The special election called by the county court to submit the question of the establishment and financing of a mosquito abatement district to the electors of the proposed district shall be held in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. within ninety (90) days after the proclamation calling the election.

SECTION 94. Arkansas Code § 14-284-205 is amended to read as follows:

14-284-205. Establishment by election.

(a) When petitions are filed with the county court of any county wherein the fire protection district to be established is located in a single county or if the fire protection district is to be located in more than one (1) county and the petitions are filed with the county courts of all counties wherein the fire protection district is to be established, and the petitions contain the signatures of ten percent (10%) or more of the qualified electors within the proposed fire protection district boundaries, as determined by the number of votes cast by the qualified electors within the proposed fire protection district boundaries for all candidates for Governor at the last preceding general election, requesting the establishment of a fire protection district in the county or a designated portion thereof and requesting that assessments be made on the property or assessments be made on the landowners or assessments be made both on the property and the landowners located in the district to finance the operation of the district, the county court, or county courts if the fire protection district is located in more than one (1) county, shall call a special election in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. within the proposed fire protection district to determine whether a fire protection district shall be established for the area.

(b)(1) The county court or county courts, if the proposed fire protection district is located in more than one (1) county, shall call a special election in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. to submit the question of the establishment and financing of a fire protection district to the electors of a proposed district.

(2) The special election shall be held within ninety (90) days after the filing of the petitions requesting the election.

(3) If the proposed fire protection district is located within more than one (1) county, the county courts shall set the date of the election on the same date and set the places of the election within the proposed fire protection district boundaries.

(4) At the election, the question of establishing and financing the district shall be placed on the ballot in substantially the following form:

"FOR the establishment of a fire protection district in . . . . . (county), ... (designated area), and the levy of assessed benefits on real property in the district to finance the district . . . . . [ ]

AGAINST the establishment of a fire protection district in . . . . . (county), ... (designated area), and the levy of assessed benefits on real property in the district to finance the district . . . . . [ ]"

SECTION 95. Arkansas Code § 14-284-224 is amended to read as follows:

14-284-224. Petition to annex territory to an existing district — Special election.

(a)(1)(A) When petitions are filed with the board of commissioners of a fire protection district created pursuant to this subchapter containing the signatures of at least ten percent (10%) of qualified electors of a portion of the unincorporated area of the county, as determined by the number of votes cast by the qualified electors of that portion of the county for all candidates for Governor at the last preceding general election, requesting the annexation of the territory to an existing fire protection district created under this subchapter and requesting that assessed benefits be made on the property located within the area to be annexed to help finance the operation of the district, the board of commissioners shall conduct a public hearing on the petition.

(B) If the board determines the annexation to be desirable, the board shall notify the quorum court, and the quorum court may at its discretion call a special election within the area of the existing fire protection district and the area proposed to be annexed to determine whether the annexation should occur.

(2) No annexation shall occur except pursuant to an election under subsection (b) of this section or by ordinance under subsection (d) of this section.

(b)(1) The special election called by the quorum court to submit the question of the annexation and financing of the fire protection district to the electors of the district and the area to be annexed shall be held no later than ninety (90) days after the proclamation of a special election in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

(2) At the election, the question of annexing the area to the district and the financing of the district shall be placed on the ballot in substantially the following form:

"FOR the annexation of . . . . . (description of area to be annexed), and the levy of assessed benefits on real property within the area to be annexed to help finance the district . . . . . [ ]

AGAINST the annexation of . . . . . (description of area to be annexed), and the levy of assessed benefits on real property within the area to be annexed to help finance the district . . . . . [ ]"

(c) If a majority of those voting at the election who reside within the area to be annexed and a majority of those voting at the election who reside within the existing district vote in favor of the annexation, the area shall be deemed annexed and shall become a part of the fire protection district and governed accordingly.

(d)(1) As an alternative to an election on the annexation issue, if the board of commissioners of a fire protection district is in favor of the annexation, the board may refer the petitions to the county quorum court that may then accomplish the annexation by enactment of a county ordinance providing for the annexation.

(2)(A)(i) However, the ordinance shall not go into effect until sixty (60) days after its enactment.

(ii) During that time, if petitions calling for a referendum on the ordinance are presented to the quorum court and the petitions are signed by the number prescribed in subsection (a) of this section, the quorum court shall call a special election in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. on the issue of the annexation.

(B) The election shall be conducted as prescribed in subsection (b) of this section.

(C) Unless at least a majority of those voting at the election who reside within the area to be annexed and a majority of those voting at the election who reside within the existing district vote in favor of the annexation, the annexation shall not occur.

(3) If the petitions are filed within sixty (60) days after enacting the ordinance, the ordinance shall not go into effect until and unless the annexation is approved at the election provided for in this section.

(e) An attempt at annexation under this section, whether successful or not, shall in no way reduce the bonding authority of the fire protection district, nor shall the failure of the attempt at annexation have any effect on the existing fire protection district.

(f) No area shall be annexed under this section if it is located within the service area of another fire protection district or a nonprofit fire protection corporation.

SECTION 96. Arkansas Code § 14-286-103(a), concerning special elections on the establishment and financing of a red imported fire ant abatement district, is amended to read as follows:

(a) The special election called by the county court to submit the question of the establishment and financing of a red imported fire ant abatement district to the electors of the proposed district shall be held in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. no later than ninety (90) days after the proclamation of the election.

SECTION 97. Arkansas Code § 14-387-301(b), concerning special elections on the question of restraining horses, mules, asses, cattle, goats, swine, and sheep, or any two (2) or more of these animals, or the male species of them, from running at large, is amended to read as follows:

(b) If petitioners shall file with their petition proper bond to be approved by the court conditioned to pay all the cost and expense of a special election, the court may call an election in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. at any time upon the filing of the petition by giving notice of it as provided by law for general elections, if the petition contains twenty-five percent (25%) of the qualified electors residing within each township mentioned in the petition.

SECTION 98. Arkansas Code § 15-4-3020(b), concerning special elections to issue bonds under the Arkansas General Obligation Economic Development Superprojects Bond and Project Funding Act, is amended to read as follows:

(b) The proclamation shall be issued in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq., and notice of the special election shall be given by publication of the proclamation by one (1) insertion in one (1) newspaper of general circulation published in each county in the state not less than thirty (30) calendar days prior to the date of the election.

SECTION 99. Arkansas Code § 15-43-204(a)(1), concerning special elections to redetermine a doe killing area, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) Whenever fifty (50) or more qualified electors residing within an area wholly or partly located within their particular county, which has been designated by regulation of the Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission as a doe killing area, petition the appropriate county court, praying that an election be held to determine whether or not such an area or portion thereof should remain a doe killing area, the county court shall order a special election in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. to be held not more than ninety (90) days after the date of filing of the petition.

SECTION 100. Arkansas Code § 23-110-306(a), concerning special elections on subsequent referendums on horse racing, is amended to read as follows:

(a) After the elapse of not less than two (2) years next following the date of any election conducted pursuant to § 23-110-304, upon petitions filed with it containing the signatures of qualified electors of the county of not less than fifteen percent (15%) of the total number voting in the election for county clerk of the county at the next preceding general election, together with a sum of money estimated by the county board of election commissioners as sufficient to pay all expenses of the election, the board shall call a special election in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. on the proposition of continuing horse racing in the county.

SECTION 101. Arkansas Code § 23-111-306(a), concerning special elections on subsequent referendums on greyhound racing, is amended to read as follows:

(a) After the elapse of not less than four (4) years next following the date of any election conducted pursuant to § 23-111-304, the county board of election commissioners shall call a special election in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. on the proposition of continuing greyhound racing in the county. The election shall be called upon petitions filed with it containing the signatures of qualified electors of the county of not less than five percent (5%) of the total number voting in the election for county clerk of the county at the next preceding general election, together with a sum of money estimated by the board as sufficient to pay all expenses of the election.

SECTION 102. Arkansas Code § 24-11-402(a), concerning special elections to suspend the applicability of § 24-11-401 et seq., is amended to read as follows:

(a) The provisions of this subchapter shall be suspended and inoperative in any city affected by the provisions of this subchapter until made available by a vote favorable thereto of the majority of qualified electors of the cities participating in any election on the question and held at a special election in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. for the purpose of voting on the question.

SECTION 103. Arkansas Code § 24-11-402(d), concerning special elections on the question of policemen's pension, is amended to read as follows:

(d) In the event that for any reason the question of policemen's pension was not voted upon in the next general city election after June 10, 1937, the question may be submitted at a special election in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. held in the city as provided in this section.

SECTION 104. Arkansas Code § 24-11-404(b), concerning special elections for tax levies for pensions in cities of the first and second class, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) In those cities that do not have a policemen's pension and relief fund but that cover their police officers under the Arkansas Local Police and Fire Retirement System, the tax shall also be allowed when approved by a majority of qualified electors of the cities participating in any election on the question and held at a special election in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. for the purpose of voting on the question.

(2) The election may be held in connection with the first general city election following March 6, 1989, but the failure to submit at a city or other election shall not defeat the right of submission at any subsequent election.

(3) Upon the filing with the county board of election commissioners not later than ninety (90) days before the date of the election requested in a petition signed by twenty (20) or more qualified electors of the city affected and praying that the question of a policemen's pension be submitted, it shall be the duty of the county board of election commissioners to call the election in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

(4) In the event that for any reason the question of the policemen's pension is not voted upon in the next general city election after March 6, 1989, the question may be submitted at a special election held in the city as provided in this subsection.

(5) The question on the ballot shall be as follows:

"FOR Police Officer's Pension . . . . . [ ]
AGAINST Police Officer's Pension . . . . . [ ]".

(6) The tax so levied shall not exceed one (1) mill on the dollar upon the assessed value of the real and personal property of the city or town.

SECTION 105. Arkansas Code § 24-11-812(b)(3), concerning special elections on tax levies by the city council relating to firemen's relief and pension funds, is amended to read as follows:

(3) Upon the filing with the county board of election commissioners not later than ninety (90) days before the date of the election requested in a petition signed by twenty (20) or more qualified electors of the city or town affected, stating the amount of tax to be voted on, not to exceed one (1) mill on the dollar, and praying that the question of a firemen's pension be submitted, it shall be the duty of the county board of election commissioners to call the election in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

SECTION 106. Arkansas Code § 24-12-103(c), concerning special elections on the question of the levying of a tax on paid nonuniformed employees' pensions, is amended to read as follows:

(c) Upon the filing with the county board of election commissioners not later than ninety (90) days before the date of the election requested in a petition signed by twenty (20) or more qualified electors of the city affected and praying that the question of paid nonuniformed employees' pensions and the levying of a tax therefor, not exceeding one and one-half (1½) mills, be submitted, it shall be the duty of the county board of election commissioners to call the election in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

SECTION 107. Arkansas Code § 26-52-605(a), concerning special elections on the question of the imposition of an additional state tax of one percent (1%) to be administered and collected as a local sales tax upon the gross receipts or gross proceeds derived from taxable sales within the border city or town, is amended to read as follows:

(a) The governing body of an Arkansas border city or town, as described in § 26-52-602, by ordinance, may call a special election, or, upon petition of not less than ten percent (10%) of the qualified electors of the Arkansas border city or town, as determined by the number of votes cast in the Arkansas border city or town for all candidates for election to the Office of Governor of Arkansas in the immediately preceding general election, filed with the city clerk of the city or town petitioning that a special election be called, a special election shall be called in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. in the city or town on the question of the imposition of an additional state tax of one percent (1%) to be administered and collected as a local sales tax upon the gross receipts or gross proceeds derived from taxable sales within the border city or town under the provisions of this chapter, and the proceeds derived therefrom shall benefit the State of Arkansas in lieu of the state income tax law applying to the net taxable income derived by individuals who are residents of the border city or town.

SECTION 108. Arkansas Code § 26-73-111(b), concerning special elections on local sales and use taxes for the benefit of a county, city, or town, is amended to read as follows:

(b) The special election shall be in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. and conducted in the manner provided by law for all county or municipal elections unless otherwise specified in this section.

SECTION 109. Arkansas Code § 26-74-210(a)(2)(C), concerning special elections on the levy or repeal of a county sales and use tax, is amended to read as follows:

(C) The special election shall be called in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. for a date not more than ninety (90) days from the date on which the county clerk certifies the sufficiency of the petition to the county board of election commissioners.

SECTION 110. Arkansas Code § 26-74-603(b)(2), concerning elections for a sales and use tax for capital improvements of a community college, is amended to read as follows:

(2) The election shall be called by ordinance and proclamation issued in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

SECTION 111. Arkansas Code § 26-75-208(a)(1), concerning a special election by a city on the issue of a sales and use tax for capital improvements, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) On the date of the filing of a petition described in § 26-75-207(b) or on the date of adoption of an ordinance levying a local sales and use tax for the benefit of the city, or within thirty (30) days following the filing of the petition described in § 26-75-207(b) or adoption of the ordinance, the city by ordinance shall provide for the calling of a special election on the question in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

SECTION 112. Arkansas Code § 26-75-213(a)(4), concerning special elections on the resubmission of a question on the levy or repeal of a city sales and use tax, is amended to read as follows:

(4) The special election shall be called in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. for a date not more than ninety (90) days from the date on which the city clerk certifies the sufficiency of the petition to the governing body of the city.

SECTION 113. Arkansas Code § 26-75-308(a)(1), concerning special elections to approve sales and use taxes for capital improvements for cities, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) On the date of the filing of a petition described in § 26-75-307(b) or on the date of adoption of an ordinance levying a local sales and use tax for the benefit of the city, or within thirty (30) days following the filing of the petition described in § 26-75-307(b) or adoption of the ordinance, the city by ordinance shall provide for the calling and holding of a special election on the question in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

SECTION 114. Arkansas Code § 26-75-404(a)(2), concerning special elections for a tax on the acquisition, construction, or improvement of parks, is amended to read as follows:

(2) If the ordinance provides for submitting the question at a special election, the election shall be called in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. for a date not more than ninety (90) days from the date of the adoption of the ordinance calling the special election.

SECTION 115. Arkansas Code § 26-78-103(b)(1), concerning special elections on county and municipal motor vehicle taxes, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) Notwithstanding other provisions of this chapter, before the tax levied by any county quorum court upon owners residing everywhere in the county or only upon owners residing within the county but outside the corporate boundaries of all municipalities in the county may be collected, the county court shall call a special election in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq. upon the first levy of the tax by the county quorum court, to be held not more than ninety (90) days from the date of the adoption of the levy of the tax by the quorum court, at which the qualified electors of the area to be affected by the tax shall vote on the question of the levy of the tax.

SECTION 116. Arkansas Code § 27-64-206(a), concerning special elections under the Arkansas Highway Financing Act of 1999, is amended to read as follows:

(a) No bonds shall be issued under this subchapter unless the issuance of bonds has been approved by a majority of the qualified electors of the state voting on the question at a statewide special election called by proclamation of the Governor in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq."

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 894 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 876 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 876

Amend Senate Bill No. 876 as engrossed, S3/24/09:

Page 5, line 16, delete "(b)" and substitute "(b)(1)"

AND

Page 5, delete line 18, and substitute the following:
"according to this section.

(2) All cities and counties receiving funds under this section shall also submit to the board no later than April 1 of each year, a copy of all documents reflecting the 911 funds received for the previous calendar year including without limitation wireless, wireline, general revenues, sales taxes, and other sources used by the city or county for 911 services."

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID WYATT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 876 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 1005 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 1005

Amend Senate Bill No. 1005 as originally introduced:

Delete everything following the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 15-4-301 is amended to read as follows:

15-4-301. ~~Definitions~~ Title.

~~As used in this subchapter:~~

~~(1) "Division" means the Division of Minority Business Enterprise of the Department of Economic Development; and~~

~~(2) "Minority business enterprise" means a business enterprise that is owned or controlled solely by one (1) or more socially or economically disadvantaged persons. The disadvantage may arise from cultural, racial, chronic economic circumstances or background, or other similar cause.~~

This subchapter shall be known and may be cited as the "Minority Business Economic Development Act".

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 15-4-302 is amended to read as follows:

15-4-302. ~~Creation~~ Purpose.

~~The Division of Minority Business Enterprise of the Department of Economic Development:~~

~~(1) Is established and confirmed within the Department of Economic Development under the jurisdiction of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission;~~

~~(2) Shall be operated as a division within the department; and~~

~~(3) Shall perform the functions and duties as provided in this subchapter.~~

(a) The General Assembly finds that it is the policy of the State of Arkansas to support equal opportunity as well as economic development in every sector.

(b) The General Assembly recognizes that it is the purpose of this subchapter to support to the fullest all possible participation of firms owned and controlled by minority persons in state-funded and state-directed public construction programs and in the purchase of goods and services for the state.

(c) All state agencies shall attempt to ensure that ten percent (10%) of the total amount expended in state-funded and state-directed public construction programs and in the purchase of goods and services for the state each fiscal year is paid to minority businesses.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 15-4-303 is amended to read as follows:

15-4-303. ~~Advisory council~~ Definitions.

~~(a) The Division of Minority Business Enterprise of the Department of Economic Development shall be represented by a statewide Minority Business Advisory Council and shall report to that council.~~

~~(b)(1) The council shall consist of seven (7) members.~~

~~(2) The council shall:~~

~~(A) Monitor progress, make recommendations, and develop strategic plans for performance improvement; and~~

~~(B) Report to the Governor, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate.~~

~~(c)(1) The Governor shall appoint three (3) members of the council with the advice and consent of the Senate.~~

~~(2) The President Pro Tempore of the Senate shall appoint two (2) members of the council.~~

~~(3) The Speaker of the House of Representatives shall appoint two (2) members of the council.~~

~~(4) Appointments shall be representative of the minority business community, resource organizations, entrepreneurs, corporations, and other minority business advocates.~~

~~(d) Except as otherwise provided by law, members of the council shall serve without compensation.~~

~~(e) The term of office of the council shall be at the pleasure of the appointing officer.~~

As used in this subchapter:

(1)(A) "Exempt" means goods and services classified as exempt for the purpose of administering this subchapter.

(B) The classification shall be determined by the Office of State Procurement of the Department of Finance and Administration and the Division of Minority Business Enterprise of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission and submitted to the Arkansas Economic Development Council for its review and consideration for the purposes of this subchapter;

(2) "Minority" means a lawful permanent resident of this state who is:

(A) African American;

(B) Hispanic American;

(C) American Indian;

(D) Asian American; or

(E) Pacific Islander American;

(3) "Minority business enterprise" means a business that is at least fifty-one percent (51%) owned by one (1) or more minority persons as defined in this section;

(4) "Minority business officer" means the individual within each state agency with the responsibility for carrying out the intended purposes of this subchapter;

(5)(A) "Nonexempt" means goods and services classified as nonexempt for the purpose of administering this subchapter,

(B) The classification shall be determined by the office and the division and submitted to the council for its review and consideration for the purposes of this subchapter;

(6) "Procurement" means buying, purchasing, renting, leasing, or otherwise acquiring any goods or services;

(7) "State agency" means a department, an office, a board, a commission, or an institution of this state, including a state-supported institution of higher education; and

(8) "State contract" means a state agreement regardless of what it may be called, for the purchase of commodities and services and for the disposal of surplus commodities and services not otherwise exempt.

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 15-4-304 is amended to read as follows:

15-4-304. ~~Administrator~~ Creation.

~~The head of the Division of Minority Business Enterprise of the Department of Economic Development is the Administrator of the Division of Minority Business Enterprise of the Department of Economic Development and shall be appointed by the Governor.~~

The Division of Minority Business Enterprise of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission:

(1) Is established and confirmed within the Arkansas Economic Development Commission under the jurisdiction of the Arkansas Economic Development Council;

(2) Shall be operated as a division within the department; and

(3) Shall perform the functions and duties as provided in this subchapter.

SECTION 5. Arkansas Code § 15-4-305 is amended to read as follows:

15-4-305. ~~Duties~~ Administrator.

~~The Division of Minority Business Enterprise of the Department of Economic Development shall:~~

~~(1) Provide technical, managerial, and counseling services and assistance to minority business enterprises;~~

~~(2) With the participation of other state departments and agencies as appropriate:~~

~~(A) Develop comprehensive plans and specific program goals for a minority business enterprise program;~~

~~(B) Establish regular performance monitoring and reporting systems to assure that goals are being achieved; and~~

~~(C) Evaluate the impact of federal and state support in achieving the objectives established by the Department of Economic Development;~~

~~(3) Implement state policy in support of minority business enterprise development and may coordinate the plans, programs, and operations of state government that affect or may contribute to the establishment, preservation, and strengthening of minority business enterprises;~~

~~(4) Coordinate, make application for, and administer federal funding grants from the United States Office of Minority Business Enterprise and other federal agencies where applicable;~~

~~(5) Promote the mobilization of activities and resources of state agencies and local governments, business and trade associations, universities, foundations, professional organizations, and volunteer and other groups toward the growth of minority business enterprises, and facilitate the coordination of the efforts of these groups with those of other state departments and agencies;~~

~~(6) Establish a center for the development, collection, and dissemination of information that will be helpful to persons and organizations throughout the state in undertaking or promoting the establishment and successful operation of minority business enterprises;~~

~~(7) Conduct coordinated reviews of all proposed state training and technical assistance activities in direct support of the minority business enterprise program to ensure consistency with program goals and to preclude duplication of effort of other state agencies with overlapping jurisdictions;~~

~~(8) Recommend appropriate legislative or executive actions to enhance minority business opportunities in this state;~~

~~(9) Assist minority businesses in obtaining governmental or commercial financing for business expansion, establishment of new businesses, or industrial development projects;~~

~~(10) Provide services to promote the organization of local development corporations for rural development and assist minority businessmen in agrarian endeavors;~~

~~(11) Assist minority businesses to promote reciprocal foreign trade and investment;~~

~~(12) Assist minority businessmen in business contract procurement from governmental and private commercial sources; and~~

~~(13) Provide a program effort to ensure participation of veterans in Arkansas, minority business enterprise activities.~~

The head of the Division of Minority Business Enterprise of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission is the Administrator of the Division of Minority Business Enterprise of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission and shall be appointed by the Governor.

SECTION 6. Arkansas Code Title 14, Chapter 4, Subchapter 3 is amended to add additional sections to read as follows:

15-4-306. Duties.

The Division of Minority Business Enterprise of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission shall:

(1) Provide technical, managerial, and counseling services and assistance to minority business enterprises;

(2) With the participation of other state departments and agencies as appropriate:

(A) Develop comprehensive plans and specific program goals for a minority business enterprise program;

(B) Establish regular performance monitoring and reporting systems to assure that goals are being achieved; and

(C) Evaluate the impact of federal and state support in achieving the objectives established by the Arkansas Economic Development Commission;

(3) Implement state policy in support of minority business enterprise development and coordinate the plans, programs, and operations of state government that affect or may contribute to the establishment, preservation, and strengthening of minority business enterprises;

(4) Coordinate, make application for, and administer federal funding grants from the Minority Business Development Agency of the United States Department of Commerce and other federal agencies where applicable;

(5) Promote the mobilization of activities and resources of state agencies and local governments, business and trade associations, universities, foundations, professional organizations, and volunteer and other groups toward the growth of minority business enterprises, and facilitate the coordination of the efforts of these groups with those of other state departments and agencies;

(6) Establish a center for the development, collection, and dissemination of information that will be helpful to persons and organizations throughout the state in undertaking or promoting the establishment and successful operation of minority business enterprises;

(7) Conduct coordinated reviews of all proposed state training and technical assistance activities in direct support of the minority business enterprise program to ensure consistency with program goals and to preclude duplication of effort of other state agencies with overlapping jurisdictions;

(8) Recommend appropriate legislative or executive actions to enhance minority business opportunities in this state;

(9) Assist minority businesses in obtaining governmental or commercial financing for business expansion, establishment of new businesses, or industrial development projects;

(10) Provide services to promote the organization of local development corporations for rural development and assist minority businessmen in agrarian endeavors;

(11) Assist minority businesses to promote reciprocal foreign trade and investment;

(12) Assist minority businessmen in business contract procurement from governmental and private commercial sources; and

(13) Provide a program effort to ensure participation of veterans in Arkansas minority business enterprise activities.

15-4-307 Minority Business Advisory Council.

(a) The Division of Minority Business Enterprise of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission shall be represented by a statewide Minority Business Advisory Council and shall report to that council.

(b)(1) The council shall consist of seven (7) members.

(2) The council shall:

(A) Monitor progress, make recommendations, and develop strategic plans for performance improvement; and

(B) Report to the Governor, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate.

(c)(1) The Governor shall appoint three (3) members of the council with the advice and consent of the Senate.

(2) The President Pro Tempore of the Senate shall appoint two (2) members of the council.

(3) The Speaker of the House of Representatives shall appoint two (2) members of the council.

(4) Appointments shall reflect and be representative of the minority business community, resource organizations, entrepreneurs, corporations, and other minority business advocates.

(d) Except as otherwise provided by law, members of the council shall serve without compensation.

(e) The term of office of the council shall be at the pleasure of the appointing officer.

(f) There is established a formal relationship between the council and the Administrator of the Division of Minority Business Enterprise of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission.

(g)(1) The administrator and the small disadvantaged business officer shall be the liaison to the council and shall be responsible for submitting to the council any reports and documents under the provisions of this section.

(2) Their duties in relation to this section shall be considered official duty in the conduct of state business.

(h) The council's duties and responsibilities shall be to:

(1) Review reports and interpret each agency's achievement of its goals;

(2) Advise the Governor when an agency has not reached its goals;

(3) Make annual reports to the Governor;

(4) Recommend to the state agency, the division, and the Office of State Procurement of the Department of Finance and Administration corrective actions to strengthen minority business opportunities in the state; and

(5) Conduct public hearings when necessary to obtain public input and support for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this subchapter.

(i) Each state agency, through its minority business officer, shall submit to the division, the council, and the office outline the agency’s plan to reach its goals for the coming fiscal year and shall:

(1) Be submitted to the division by June 30 of each year;

(2) Contain the name of the state agency submitting the plan;

(3) Contain a policy statement signed by the agency head expressing a commitment to use minority businesses in all aspects of contracting to the maximum extent feasible;

(4) Identify the name of the minority business officer in the agency who is responsible for developing and administering the compliance plan;

(5) Establish a time table for the agency to reach its goals under the plan and the manner in which the agency intends to reach its goals; and

(6) Contain any other procedures the division deems necessary to comply with the goals and the compliance plan.

15-4-308. Administration.

(a) The Division of Minority Business Enterprise of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission and the Office of State Procurement of the Department of Finance and Administration shall serve as the principal coordinators of the initiative to ensure the successful implementation of this subchapter.

(b) The division and the office shall provide assistance to minority businesses seeking contract opportunities with various state agencies.

(c) The division and the office shall maintain a directory of all minority business officers for each state agency.

(d) The division and the office shall provide management and technical assistance to any state agency that experiences difficulty in complying with the provisions of this subchapter.

(e) The division and the office shall maintain a current directory of minority businesses and shall make the directory available to each state agency and minority business officer.

(f) The division shall serve as a central clearinghouse for information on state contracts, including a record of all pending state contracts upon which minority businesses may participate.

15-4-309. Exempt contracts.

Upon the approval of the Minority Business Advisory Council, the Division of Minority Business Enterprise of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission and the Office of State Procurement of the Department of Finance and Administration shall determine the classifications of contracts to be exempted from the goals established by this subchapter whenever there exists an insufficient number of minority businesses to ensure adequate competition.

15-4-310. Minority business officer.

(a) Each state agency shall designate an individual as its minority business officer.

(b) The minority business officer shall be the person within the agency with whom the Division of Minority Business Enterprise of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission and the Minority Business Advisory Council shall work in its efforts to accomplish the goals of this subchapter.

(c) Upon the appointment of the minority business officer in each state agency, the agency shall notify the division and the Office of State Procurement of the Department of Finance and Administration.

SECTION 7. Arkansas Code § 15-4-311 is amended to read as follows:

15-4-311. ~~Title~~ Annual minority purchasing plan.

~~This section and §§ 15-4-312 — 15-4-320 shall be known and may be cited as the "Minority Business Economic Development Act".~~

(a) Prior to June 30 each year, each state agency shall submit to the Division of Minority Business Enterprise of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission and the Office of State Procurement of the Department of Finance and Administration a minority purchasing plan that shall outline the agency's plan to reach its goals for the coming fiscal year.

(b) The minority purchasing plan shall include without limitation:

(1) The name of the state agency;

(2) A policy statement signed by the agency head expressing a commitment to use minority business in all aspects of contracting to the maximum extent feasible;

(3) The name of the minority business officer in the agency who is responsible for developing and administering the compliance plan;

(4) The time table for the agency to reach its goals under the plan and the manner in which the agency intends to reach its goals; and

(5) Any other procedures the agency deems necessary to comply with the goals and the compliance plan.

SECTION 8. Arkansas Code § 15-4-312 is amended to read as follows:

15-4-312. ~~Purpose~~ State agencies to submit reports.

~~The General Assembly finds it is the policy of the State of Arkansas to support equal opportunity as well as economic development in every sector. The General Assembly recognizes as the purpose of this section and §§ 15-4-311 and 15-4-313 — 15-4-319, to support to the fullest all possible participation of firms owned and controlled by minority persons in state-funded and directed public construction programs and in the purchase of goods and services for the state. The annual procurement goal of ten percent (10%) for state agencies with minority businesses each year is established.~~

The Minority Business Advisory Council shall require each state agency to produce within fifteen (15) days of the close of each three-month period a report summing up total procurement for all contracts, except exempt contracts of the agency, and the dollar value and the percentage of the contracts of the agency awarded to minority businesses.

SECTION 9. Arkansas Code § 15-4-313 is amended to read as follows:

15-4-313. ~~Definitions~~ Accelerated payments.

~~As used in this section and §§ 15-4-311, 15-4-312, and 15-4-314 — 15-4-319:~~

~~(1) "Advisory Council" or "council" means the Minority Business Advisory Council;~~

~~(2) "Director" means the Administrator of the Division of Minority Business Enterprise of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission;~~

~~(3) "Division" means the Division of Minority Business Enterprise of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission;~~

~~(4)(A) "Exempt" and "nonexempt" mean goods and services classified as either exempt or nonexempt for the purpose of administering this section and §§ 15-4-311, 15-4-312, and 15-4-314 — 15-4-319.~~

~~(B) The classification shall be determined by the Office of State Procurement and the division and submitted to the council for its review and consideration for the purposes of this section and §§ 15-4-311, 15-4-312, and 15-4-314 — 15-4-319;~~

~~(5) "Minority" means a lawful permanent resident of this state who is:~~

~~(A) An African American;~~

~~(B) An Hispanic American;~~

~~(C) An American Indian; or~~

~~(D) An Asian a Pacific Islander;~~

~~(6) "Minority business enterprise" means a business that is at least fifty-one percent (51%) owned by one (1) or more minority persons as defined in this section;~~

~~(7) "Procurement" means buying, purchasing, renting, leasing, or otherwise acquiring any goods or services;~~

~~(8) "State agency" means all departments, offices, boards, commissions, and institutions of the state, including the state-supported institutions of higher education; and~~

~~(9) "State contract" means all types of state agreements, regardless of what they may be called, for the purchase of commodities and services and for the disposal of surplus commodities and services not otherwise exempt.~~

To ensure that minority businesses are not financially hindered due to delays in payment by state agencies entering into contracts with minority businesses under this subchapter, state agencies shall accelerate payment to minority vendors to preclude accounts receivable problems of minority businesses caused by the State of Arkansas.

SECTION 10. Arkansas Code § 15-4-314 is amended to read as follows:

15-4-314. ~~Minority Business Advisory Council~~ Minority business enterprises certification process.

~~(a) There is established a formal relationship between the Minority Business Advisory Council and the minority business officer.~~

~~(b)(1) The minority business officer and the small disadvantaged business officer shall be the liaison to the council and shall be responsible for submitting to the council any reports and documents under the provisions of this section and §§ 15-4-311 — 15-4-313 and 15-4-315 — 15-4-319.~~

~~(2) Their duties in relation to this section and §§ 15-4-311 — 15-4-313 and 15-4-315 — 15-4-319 shall be considered official duty in the conduct of state business.~~

~~(c) The council's duties and responsibilities shall be to:~~

~~(1) Review reports and interpret each agency's achievement of its goals;~~

~~(2) Advise the Governor when an agency has not reached its goals;~~

~~(3) Make annual reports to the Governor;~~

~~(4) Recommend to the state agency, the Division of Minority Business Enterprise of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission, and the Office of State Procurement corrective actions to strengthen minority business opportunities in the state; and~~

~~(5) Conduct public hearings when necessary to obtain public input and support for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this section and §§ 15-4-311 — 15-4-313 and 15-4-315 — 15-4-319.~~

(a) The Division of Minority Business Enterprise of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission shall promulgate rules to create a certification process for minority business enterprises.

(b) The certification process shall include without limitation:

(1) Criteria for certification that shall include without limitation:

(A) A determination that the business is structured as a minority business enterprise;

(B) Verification of minority ownership and control of the business; and

(C) Annual updates indicating continuing minority ownership and control;

(2) A formal application process;

(3) An education program to assist minority business enterprises in achieving certification; and

(4) An outreach to ensure the broadest possible participation of minority business enterprises and persons proposing new minority business enterprises.

(c) The Office of State Procurement of the Department of Finance and Administration shall cooperate with the division to the fullest extent possible in sharing information concerning certification and registration of minority business enterprises carrying out the purposes of this section.

SECTION 11. Arkansas Code §§ 15-4-315 - 15-4-320 are repealed.

~~15-4-315. Administration.~~

~~(a) The Division of Minority Business Enterprise of the Department of Economic Development and the Office of State Procurement of the Department of Finance and Administration shall serve as the principal coordinators of the initiative to ensure the successful implementation of this section and §§ 15-4-311 — 15-4-314 and 15-4-316 — 15-4-319.~~

~~(b) The division and the office shall provide assistance to minority businesses seeking contract opportunities with various state agencies.~~

~~(c) The division and the office shall maintain a directory of all minority business officers for each state agency.~~

~~(d) The division and the office shall provide management and technical assistance to any state agency who is experiencing difficulties in complying with the provisions of this section and §§ 15-4-311 — 15-4-314 and 15-4-316 — 15-4-319.~~

~~(e) The division and the office shall maintain a current directory of minority businesses and shall make the directory available to each state agency and minority business officer.~~

~~(f) The division shall serve as a central clearinghouse for information on state contracts, including a record of all pending state contracts upon which minority businesses may participate.~~

~~15-4-316. Exempt contracts.~~

~~Upon the approval of the Minority Business Advisory Council, the Division of Minority Business Enterprise of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission, and the Office of State Procurement shall determine the classifications of contracts to be exempted from the goals established by this section and §§ 15-4-311 — 15-4-315 and 15-4-317 — 15-4-319 whenever there exists an insufficient number of minority businesses to ensure adequate competition.~~

~~15-4-317. Minority business officer.~~

~~(a) Each state agency shall designate an individual as its minority business officer.~~

~~(b) The minority business officer shall be the person within the agency with whom the Division of Minority Business Enterprise of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission and the Minority Business Advisory Council shall work in its efforts to accomplish the goals of this section and §§ 15-4-311 — 15-4-316, 15-4-318, and 15-4-319.~~

~~(c) Upon the appointment of the minority business officer in each state agency, the agency shall notify the division and the Office of State Procurement.~~

~~15-4-318. State agencies to submit reports.~~

~~The Minority Business Advisory Council shall require each state agency to produce within fifteen (15) days of the close of each six-month period a report summing up total procurement for all contracts, except exempt contracts of the agency, and the dollar value and the percentage of the contracts of the agency awarded to small businesses and small disadvantaged businesses.~~

~~15-4-319. Accelerated payments.~~

~~To ensure that minority businesses are not financially hindered due to delays in payment by state agencies entering into contracts with minority businesses under the provisions of this section and §§ 15-4-311 — 15-4-318, state agencies shall accelerate payment to minority vendors to preclude accounts receivable problems of minority businesses caused by the State of Arkansas.~~

~~15-4-320. Minority business enterprises certification process.~~

~~(a) The Division of Minority Business Enterprise of the Department of Economic Development shall promulgate rules to create a certification process for minority business enterprises.~~

~~(b) The certification process shall include, but not be limited to:~~

~~(1) Criteria for certification that shall include, but not be limited to:~~

~~(A) A determination that the business is structured as a minority business enterprise;~~

~~(B) Verification of minority ownership and control of the business; and~~

~~(C) Annual updates indicating continuing minority ownership and control;~~

~~(2) A formal application process;~~

~~(3) An education program to assist minority business enterprises in achieving certification; and~~

~~(4) An outreach to ensure the broadest possible participation of minority business enterprises and persons proposing new minority business enterprises.~~

~~(c) The Office of State Procurement of the Department of Finance and Administration shall cooperate with the division to the fullest extent possible in sharing information concerning certification and registration of minority business enterprises carrying out the purposes of this section.~~"

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRACY STEELE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1005 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 665, BY SENATOR BRYLES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 665 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 820, BY SENATOR WHITAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 844, BY SENATOR BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 894, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Whitaker, Senate Bill No. 820 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 844 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 894 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 876, BY SENATOR D. WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 913, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 929, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 931, BY SENATOR MADISON ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 876 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 913 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 929 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 931 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 998, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 999, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 998 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 999 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 1005, BY SENATOR STEELE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 1005 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 365 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Altes.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 345, BY SENATOR HENDREN,
SENATE BILL NO. 499, BY SENATOR HENDREN,
SENATE BILL NO. 500, BY SENATOR HENDREN,
SENATE BILL NO. 791, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 799, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

SENATE BILL NO. 850, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 852, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 880, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 885, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 889, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 896, BY SENATOR ALTES,
SENATE BILL NO. 898, BY SENATOR MILLER,
SENATE BILL NO. 903, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 904, BY SENATOR J. KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 926, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 955, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they so pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 980, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 770, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1595, BY REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1942, BY REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2050, BY REPRESENTATIVE MAXWELL,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2081, BY REPRESENTATIVE DUNN,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 429, BY SENATOR STEELE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 342, BY SENATOR H. WILKINS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 3.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 839, BY SENATOR SALMON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1 & No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 870, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1703, BY REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1920, BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1950, BY REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2212, BY REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 182, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHNNY KEY
VICE CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1488, BY REPRESENTATIVE CARTER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2039, BY REPRESENTATIVE WELLS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1256, BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1848, BY REPRESENTATIVE NICKELS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Resolution No. 21 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 21
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE FAYETTEVILLE HIGH SCHOOL PURPLE BULLDOGS AS CLASS 7-A BOYS' STATE BASKETBALL CHAMPIONS.

Senate Resolution No. 21 was read the first time, read the second time, rules suspended, read third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Madison, was Senate Resolution No. 22 called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 22
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

SENATE RESOLUTION CONGRATULATING THE FAYETTEVILLE HIGH SCHOOL PURPLE BULLDOGS AS CLASS 7-A GIRLS' STATE BASKETBALL CHAMPIONS.

Senate Resolution No. 22 was read the first time, read the second time, rules suspended, read third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Whitaker, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10

As Engrossed: S3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO AMEND THE JOINT RULES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO ESTABLISH DEADLINES FOR THE INTRODUCTION OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS DURING A FISCAL SESSION; AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE PREFILING OF BILLS AND RESOLUTIONS BEFORE A FISCAL SESSION.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10. was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1021 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1021

As Engrossed: H3/13/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES W. LEWELLEN, BLOUNT, WILLIAMS & RAINEY

BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE AND COMMEND ALPHA KAPPA ALPHA SORORITY, INC. FOR ONE HUNDRED ONE (101) YEARS

OF SERVICE TO AFRICAN-AMERICAN COLLEGE WOMEN AND THE COMMUNITY.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1021 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1021 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Sabrina Lewellen accepting recognition for Alpha Kappa Alpha.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1015
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BREEDLOVE
BY: SENATOR WILKINSON

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING ASHLEY HOYT ON HER SELECTION AS ONE OF THE TOP VOLUNTEERS IN ARKANSAS FOR 2009 IN THE FOURTEENTH ANNUAL PRUDENTIAL SPIRIT OF COMMUNITY AWARD.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1015 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the calendar.

On motion of Senator Wilkinson, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of House Concurrent Resolution No. 1015 recognizing Ashley Hoyt.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Wilkinson, the rules were suspended in considering House Concurrent Resolution No. 1015 at this time.

On motion of Senator Wilkinson, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1015 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1015
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BREEDLOVE
BY: SENATOR WILKINSON

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING ASHLEY HOYT ON HER SELECTION AS ONE OF THE TOP VOLUNTEERS IN ARKANSAS FOR 2009 IN THE FOURTEENTH ANNUAL PRUDENTIAL SPIRIT OF COMMUNITY AWARD.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1015 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1015 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

Senate Bill No. 138 was returned from the House as requested.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 13 returned from the House as concurred in and ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 38 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 38

Amend Senate Bill No. 38 as engrossed, S3/10/09:
Add Representative Harrelson as a cosponsor of the bill.

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE STEVE HARRELSON

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 38, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator TEAGUE, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 38 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 38
As Engrossed: S2/12/09 S2/23/09 S3/10/09 H3/18/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MINIMUM AGE FOR OPERATION OF A PERSONAL WATERCRAFT; TO APPLY THE ALCOHOL AND DRUG TESTING REQUIREMENTS USED FOR MOTOR VEHICLES TO OPERATION OF BOATS AND PERSONAL WATERCRAFT; TO REQUIRE PARENTAL CONSENT FOR RECEIPT OF A BOATER EDUCATION CERTIFICATE; TO AMEND THE EXAMINATION REQUIREMENTS FOR A BOATER EDUCATION CERTIFICATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 38 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 38 ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 871 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 871

Amend Senate Bill No. 871 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 26 through 30 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. DO NOT CODIFY. (a) There is hereby created the Arkansas Electronic Records Study Commission to be composed of the following:

(1) One (1) member appointed by the Governor;

(2) One (1) member appointed by the Attorney General, who may or may not be a staff member of the Attorney General;

(3) One (1) legislative member appointed by the chair of the House Revenue and Tax Committee;

(4) One (1) legislative member appointed by the chair of the Senate Revenue and Tax Committee;

(5) One (1) member from the staff of the Office of Information Services, as designated by the Director of the Office of Information Services;

(6) Two (2) members designated by the Arkansas Press Association;

(7) Two (2) members designated by the Arkansas Municipal League;

(8) Two (2) members designated by the Arkansas Association of Counties;

(9) One (1) member designated by the Arkansas Broadcasters Association;

(10) One (1) member designated by the Administrative Office of the Courts;

(11) One (1) member of the University of Arkansas at Little Rock William H. Bowen School of Law; and

(12) One (1) member of the Arkansas State Chamber of Commerce.

(b) The two (2) legislative members appointed by the chairs of the Revenue and Tax committees shall serve as co-chairs of the commission.

(c)(1) The commission shall serve in an advisory capacity and shall be responsible for studying bulk commercial requests of electronic or computerized records under the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq.

(2) The commission shall develop recommendations for amendments to the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq. for consideration by the Eighty-Eighth General Assembly.

(d) The commission shall be provided with support staff as necessary by the Bureau of Legislative Research.

(e) The commission shall submit a final report of its findings and recommendations to the Eighty-Eighth General Assembly on or before July 1, 2011.

(f) The commission shall be in existence from the effective date of this act until July 1, 2011."

(SIGNED) SENATOR LARRY TEAGUE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 871 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, House Bill No. 1939 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1939

Amend House Bill No. 1939 as engrossed, H3/12/09:

Add the following Representatives as cosponsors of the bill:
Breedlove, J. Brown, Carroll, Cole, Cooper, L. Cowling, R. Green, M. Martin, Moore, Nickels, Ragland, J. Roebuck

AND

Add the following Senators as cosponsors of the bill: Faris, Whitaker

AND

Page 15, line 3, delete "one hundred fifty thousand dollars ($150,000)" and substitute "five hundred thousand dollars ($500,000)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHANE BROADWAY

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1939 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 299 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 299

As Engrossed: S3/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS H. WILKINS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, STEELE

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ALLEN, T. BAKER, BLOUNT, CARROLL, DAVIS, RAINEY, WILLIAMS & WORD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REESTABLISH A TASK FORCE ON RACIAL PROFILING; TO REQUIRE ALL LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS WHO STOP A VEHICLE FOR THE VIOLATION OF NOT WEARING A SEATBELT AS A PRIMARY OFFENSE TO RECORD INFORMATION ABOUT THE DRIVER OR PASSENGERS SO AS TO NOT VIOLATE THE PROHIBITION AGAINST RACIAL PROFILING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 299 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 299 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 867 at this time.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 867 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 867

Amend Senate Bill No. 867 as engrossed, S3/23/09:
Add Senator D. Johnson as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Delete SECTION 1 of the bill

AND

Delete SECTION 2 of the bill

AND

Page 4, delete line 30 and substitute the following:
"(e) All statements of financial interest required to be filed with the Secretary of State on or after January 1,"

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 867 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 1646 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1646

Amend House Bill No. 1646 as engrossed, H3/12/09:

Page 1, delete lines 33 through 35 and substitute the following language:
"~~residence, may vote~~ designate in a contested school election one (1) or more polling sites in each county:

(1) In which the school district has territory;

(2) In which school district territory contains a city of the second (2nd) class or larger; and

(3) That has registered electors."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1646 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, House Bill No. 1414 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1414

As Engrossed: H3/3/09 S3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE AND GARNER

BY: *SENATOR H. WILKINS*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE DOMESTIC ABUSE ACT OF 1991; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1414 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1414 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, House Bill No. 1553 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 608 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 608

As Engrossed: S3/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PROCEDURES FOR IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS FOR COLLECTION OF ASSESSMENTS BY COUNTY COLLECTORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 608 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 608 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, House Bill No. 1586 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1586

As Engrossed: H3/2/09 S3/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN

BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO PROVIDE CRIMINAL LIABILITY FOR A SOCIAL HOST WHO KNOWINGLY SERVES ALCOHOL TO PERSONS UNDER THE AGE OF TWENTY-ONE; WHO KNOWINGLY ALLOWS MINORS TO CONSUME ALCOHOL ON HIS OR HER PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1586 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1586 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1833 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1833

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE POWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE FOURTH DEGREE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1833 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1833 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, House Bill No. 2257 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2257
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE HEALTH SERVICES AGENCY ACT TO ADJUST THE EXPENDITURE LIMIT FOR ALTERATIONS OR RENOVATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2257 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2257 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 2009 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2009
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. SMITH, WOODS, BAIRD, BARNETT, BLOUNT, M. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CLEMMER, COOK, R. GREEN, HARRELSON, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, D. HUTCHINSON, INGRAM, KING, LINDSEY, MOORE, PYLE, RAINEY, J. ROEBUCK, SAUNDERS, SLINKARD & SUMMERS
BY: SENATORS BLEDSOE AND MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A STATE HISTORIC TRAILS SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2009 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2009 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1715 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1715
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE AND GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXPAND THE LIST OF MANDATED REPORTERS OF SUSPECTED ABUSE OR NEGLECT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1715 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1715 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, House Bill No. 1899 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1899

As Engrossed: S3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES SLINKARD, INGRAM & LINDSEY

BY: SENATORS B. PRITCHARD AND MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT CONCERNING REIMBURSEMENT FOR COUNTY PERSONNEL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1899 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1899 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Trusty, House Bill No. 1924 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1924

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MAXWELL, J. BURRIS, DUNN, J. ROGERS, WEBB, *CARROLL, J. EDWARDS, D. HUTCHINSON, KERR, KIDD, S. MALONE & MCLEAN*

BY: SENATORS TRUSTY, GLOVER & T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADD A FEE ON THE BUYER AT A SALVAGE AUCTION; TO PROVIDE THAT THE FEE GOES TO THE INSPECTION AND OVERSIGHT OF AUTO AUCTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1924 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: Altes, B. Pritchard.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1924 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Smith, House Bill No. 1607 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1607
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO § 4-115-101 ET SEQ., CONCERNING THE REGULATION OF CREDIT CARD PROCESSING SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1607 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1607 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Smith, House Bill No. 1694 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1694

As Engrossed: H3/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HYDE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE REGISTRATION AND REGULATION OF APPRAISAL MANAGEMENT COMPANIES; TO MAKE CONFORMING AMENDMENTS TO THE ARKANSAS APPRAISER LICENSING AND CERTIFICATION ACT, § 17-14-101 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1694 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1694 returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1673 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1673

As Engrossed: S3/24/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE TEMPORARY CARDBOARD VEHICLE BUYER'S TAGS TO BE LEGIBLE AND VISIBLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1673 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1673 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Taylor, House Bill No. 1934 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1934
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HYDE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 5-60-201 TO PROHIBIT THE SALE OR DISTRIBUTION OF HUMAN OR SYNTHETIC URINE USED TO DEFRAUD A DRUG OR ALCOHOL SCREENING TEST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1934 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1934 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1800 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1800

As Engrossed: S3/24/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE PAYMENT OF COURT FINES AND COSTS WITH A CREDIT CARD THROUGH A THIRD-PARTY ENTITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1800 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1800 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Taylor, House Bill No. 1853 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1853
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE PAYMENT AND COLLECTION OF FINES, COSTS AND RESTITUTION; TO REPEAL ARKANSAS CODE § 21-6-401(d) AS MAY BE ENACTED BY HOUSE BILL 1353 OF 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1853 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE: Altes.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1853 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1625 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1625

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE CONSOLIDATED INCENTIVE ACT OF 2003 TO REQUIRE ELIGIBLE BUSINESSES TO CLAIM PAYMENTS TO WHICH THEY ARE ENTITLED UNDER THE PAYROLL REBATE INCENTIVE PROGRAM ON AN ANNUAL BASIS; TO PROVIDE FOR A REDUCTION OF THE AVAILABLE REBATE IF NOT CLAIMED WITHIN TWELVE (12) MONTHS; TO PROVIDE FOR FORFEITURE OF THE AVAILABLE REBATE IF NOT CLAIMED WITHIN TWENTY-FOUR (24) MONTHS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1625 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1625 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 1474 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1474
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. SMITH, NIX, WOODS & D. CREEKMORE
BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT AND H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT UNFAIR DISCRIMINATION IN THE INSURANCE OF VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC ABUSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1474 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Teague, R. Thompson, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 26

NEGATIVE: Hendren, B. Pritchard.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, Laverty, Steele, J. Taylor, Trusty, Whitaker.

Total 7

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 28

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1474 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

Senator Faris moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 138 passed on March 19, 2009 be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

On motion of Senator Faris, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 138 at this time.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 138 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 138

Amend Senate Bill No. 138 as engrossed, S3/19/09

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. DO NOT CODIFY. Legislative history, findings, and intent.

(a) It is found and determined by the General Assembly that the Department of Arkansas State Police has had ongoing financial difficulty for over twelve (12) years. The State Police Retirement System has sustained investment losses of approximately one hundred million dollars ($100,000,000) within the last two (2) years, and so needs a larger investment pool to help reduce risk and enhance returns. The Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System has the size and expertise to effectively reduce the volatility of returns, enhance relative returns, and best protect the State Police Retirement System.

(b) This act represents a negotiated alternative to a proposal that would have eliminated the State Police Retirement System and would have made it a division of the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System.

(c) This act maintains the autonomy over State Police Retirement System benefits but ensures funds are invested in a larger, more diversified pool of assets.

(d) It is contemplated that at such time as the State Police Retirement System attains a funding level in which assets are eighty percent (80%) or more of actuarially accrued liabilities, the Board of Trustees of the State Police Retirement System may consider certain enhancements to the Tier II Deferred Retirement Option Plan.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code Title 24, Chapter 4, Subchapter 7 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

24-4-752. State Police Trust Fund.

(a) All assets of the State Police Retirement System are transferred to the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System to hold in trust for the State Police Retirement System.

(b) There is created under the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System a division that shall be known as the "State Police Trust Fund".

(c)(1) The State Police Trust Fund shall not be treated as segregated funds, but shall be commingled with the assets of the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System strictly for investment purposes.

(2) The assets shall be managed solely for the benefit of the retirees and beneficiaries of the State Police Retirement System and shall not be divested from the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System unless it can clearly be demonstrated it would be actuarially and fiscally prudent to do so.

(d)(1) As employer, the Department of Arkansas State Police shall make contributions to the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System – State Police Trust Fund based on a percentage of each active state police officer's salary at the rate established to fund the State Police Retirement System's benefit program before the effective date of this act.

(2) All other sources of revenue commonly accruing to the State Police Retirement System shall be payable to the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System – State Police Trust Fund.

(e) The Arkansas State Police Retirement System Board of Trustees, Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System Board of Trustees and administrative staff shall be immune from any suit or action based in whole or in part on the transfer of assets contemplated by this act.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 24-6-204 is amended to read as follows:

24-6-204. Board of trustees.

(a)(1) The Board of Trustees of the State Police Retirement System is created.

(2)(A) The board shall consist of ~~twelve (12)~~ seven (7) trustees, as follows:

(i) One (1) active member enrolled in the Tier I benefits program;

(ii) One (1) active vested member enrolled in the Tier II benefits program;

(iii) One (1) State Police Commissioner who shall be appointed by the Governor;

(iv) The Chief Fiscal Officer of the State or his designee; and

(v)(a) Three (3) citizens at large who shall be appointed by the Governor.

(b) The citizens at large shall have no interest, direct or indirect, in the Arkansas State Police.

~~(i) The Chair of the Arkansas State Police Commission, who shall serve as trustee by virtue of his or her position;~~

~~(ii) The Director of the Department of Arkansas State Police, who shall serve as trustee by virtue of his or her position;~~

~~(iii) The Director of the Department of Finance and Administration or the director's designee from that department;~~

~~(iv) Five (5) members of the State Police Retirement System to be elected by the members of the system with at least two (2) member trustees holding the rank of trooper, trooper first class, or corporal, at least one (1) member trustee holding a rank higher than the rank of corporal, and at least one (1) member trustee whose retirement eligibility is covered under § 24-6-401 et seq.;~~

~~(v) One (1) retired member of the system to be elected by the members of the Retired Members Association;~~

~~(vi)The highest ranking administrative officer of the system in charge of employee benefits or that officer's designee, who shall serve as a nonvoting member by virtue of his or her position; and~~

~~(vii) The Vice Chair of the Arkansas State Police Commission and the Secretary of the Arkansas State Police Commission, who shall serve as nonvoting members by virtue of their positions.~~

(B) The elections of member trustees shall be held under rules as the board shall from time to time adopt to govern the elections.

(C) The regular term of office of a member trustee shall be ~~three (3)~~ seven (7) years.

(D) The elections of the board's officer members shall be held under rules as the board shall from time to time adopt to govern elections.

(E) At the board's first regular meeting following the effective date of this act, the members who are on the board shall draw lots to determine the length of terms.

(F) The terms shall be staggered in the following manner:

(i) One (1) member's term shall expire July 1, 2010;

(ii) One (1) member's term shall expire July 1, 2011;

(iii) One (1) member's term shall expire July 1, 2012;

(iv) One (1) member's term shall expire July 1, 2013;

(v) One member's term shall expire July 1, 2014;

(vi) One (1) member's term shall expire July 1, 2015; and

(vii) One (1) member's term shall expire July 1, 2016.

(b)(1) In the event any trustee provided for in ~~subdivisions (a)(2)(A)((iv) and (v)~~ subsection (a) of this section:

(A) Ceases to be a state police officer; or

(B) Fails to attend scheduled meetings of the board for three (3) consecutive meetings unless, in each case, he or she is excused by the remaining trustees attending the meetings, the board by resolution shall declare his or her office of trustee vacated as of the date of adoption of the resolution.

(2) If a vacancy occurs in the office of trustee, the vacancy shall be filled for the unexpired term in the same manner as the office was previously filled.

(c)(1) The administration, management, and control of the system shall be vested in the board.

(2)(A) The executive director and administrative staff of the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System shall be the executive secretary and the administrative staff of the State Police Retirement System.

(B) All administrative records of the State Police Retirement System shall be maintained within the administrative offices of the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System.

(3)(A) The executive secretary shall be the disbursing agent of all appropriations made by the General Assembly out of the State Police Retirement Fund.

(B) The executive secretary shall furnish and file with the Auditor of State a bond with a corporate guaranty or indemnity surety thereon in the penal sum of two thousand dollars ($2,000), the premium on which shall be paid from appropriations made available to the Department of Arkansas State Police.

~~(d) The Chair of the Arkansas State Police Commission shall be the chair of the board.~~

~~(e) The Treasurer of State shall serve as treasurer of the system and shall be the legal custodian of its funds.~~

~~(f)~~(d) The Attorney General shall serve as legal advisor to the board.

~~(g)(1)~~(e)(1) The board shall hold meetings regularly, at least one (1) in each quarter year, and shall designate the time and place of the meetings.

(2) Special meetings may be held in accordance with rules as the board shall adopt.

(3) ~~Five (5) voting trustees~~ Four (4) board members, including one (1) officer member shall constitute a quorum at any meeting of the board, and at least ~~five (5)~~ four (4) concurring votes shall be necessary for a decision by the board at any of its meetings.

(4) The board shall adopt its own rules or procedures and shall keep a record of its proceedings, which shall be open to public inspection.

~~(h)~~(f) In addition to other duties that are imposed upon the board by this subchapter, the board shall:

(1) Make all rules and regulations from time to time as it shall deem necessary in the transaction of its business and in administering the system;

(2) Provide for the administrative direction and control of the executive secretary in the performance of his or her duties as executive secretary of the ~~system~~ State Police Retirement System;

(3) Provide for an actuarial valuation of the assets and liabilities of the ~~system~~ State Police Retirement System or the retirement reserve account at least one (1) time in each four-year period from and after December 31, 1958;

(4) Adopt mortality and other tables of experience and rates of regular interest that are required for the proper operation of the ~~system~~ State Police Retirement System;

~~(5) Exercise discretionary power and authority in the investments and disbursements of the funds of the system, subject to the provisions of this subchapter;~~

~~(6)~~(5) Perform the duties of trustee without additional compensation. However, trustees may receive expense reimbursement in accordance with § 25-16-901 et seq.; and

~~(7)~~(6)(A) Do all things necessary for the proper administration of the ~~system~~ State Police Retirement System and for carrying out and making effective the provisions of this subchapter.

(B) However, no recommendations for benefit enhancements shall be made that would cause the actuarially accrued unfunded liabilities of the State Police Retirement System to exceed thirty (30) years.

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code Title 24, Chapter 6 is amended to add an additional subchapter to read as follows:

24-6-501. Arkansas State Police Officers' Tier Two Deferred Retirement Option Plan -- Creation.

The Arkansas State Police Officers' Tier Two Deferred Retirement Option Plan is created in conformance with this subchapter.

24-6-502. Election to participate in Arkansas State Police Officers' Tier Two Deferred Retirement Option Plan.

In lieu of terminating employment and accepting a service retirement pension, a state police officer may elect to participate in the Arkansas State Police Officers' Tier Two Deferred Retirement Option Plan and defer the receipt of benefits in accordance with this subchapter if:

(1) The state police officer:

(A) Is a member of the State Police Retirement System's Tier Two Benefit Plan under § 24-6-401 et seq.;

(B) Has at least thirty (30) years of actual service as a member of the State Police Retirement System's Tier Two Benefit Plan under § 24-6-401 et seq.; and

(C) Is eligible to receive a service retirement pension; and

(2) The Board of Trustees of the State Police Retirement System approves the participation in the Arkansas State Police Officers' Tier Two Deferred Retirement Option Plan.

24-6-503. Limitation on credited service.

For purposes of this subchapter, "actual service" includes:

(1) The service credit a member earns after April 3, 1997, as a member of the State Police Retirement System's Tier Two Benefit Plan under § 24-6-401 et seq.; and

(2) The member's service credit from any reciprocal retirement system under § 24-2-401.

24-6-504. Employer contributions.

When an employee who is a member of the State Police Retirement

System's Tier Two Benefit Plan begins participation in the Arkansas State Police Officers' Tier Two Deferred Retirement Option Plan:

(1) The employer contributions shall continue to be paid;

(2) State contributions for the employee shall be credited to the system; and

(3) Seventy-two percent (72%) of the monthly retirement benefits that would have been payable had the employee elected to cease employment and receive a service retirement shall be paid into the Arkansas State Police Officers' Tier Two Deferred Retirement Option Plan account.

24-6-505. Benefits -- Rate of return.

A participant in the Arkansas State Police Officers' Tier Two Deferred Retirement Option Plan:

(1) Shall not have a change in his or her monthly retirement benefit unless the plan receives a benefit increase; and

(2)(A) Shall earn interest at a rate set by the Board of Trustees of the State Police Retirement System that shall not be greater than five percent (5%) nor less than one percent (1%) per annum as determined by the board from time to time as promulgated by rule.

(B) The interest shall be credited to the individual plan account balance of the participant on an annual basis.

24-6-506. Method of collection.

A participant in the Arkansas State Police Officers' Tier Two Deferred Retirement Option Plan shall receive, at the option of the participant:

(1) A lump-sum payment from the plan account equal to the payments to the plan account;

(2) A true annuity based upon the plan account of the participant; or

(3) Any other method of payment if approved by the Board of Trustees of the State Police Retirement System.

24-6-507. Duration.

(a) The duration of participation in the Arkansas State Police Officers' Tier Two Deferred Retirement Option Plan for an active state police officer shall not exceed seven (7) years.

(b) At the conclusion of a state police officer's participation in the plan, the state police officer shall:

(1) Terminate employment with the Department of Arkansas State Police; and

(2) Start receiving his or her accrued monthly retirement benefit from the State Police Retirement System.

24-6-508. Death of participant.

If a participant in the State Police Officers' Tier Two Deferred Retirement Option Plan dies during the period of participation in the plan, a lump-sum payment equal to the plan account balance of the participant shall be paid to the participant's designated beneficiary.

SECTION 5. TEMPORARY LANGUAGE. DO NOT CODIFY. Interim committee and advisory board.

(a) A joint interim committee of the Joint Committee on Public Retirement and Social Security Programs and the Senate Committee on State Agencies and Governmental Affairs and the House Committee on State Agencies and Governmental Affairs shall conduct a comprehensive study of the intermediate and long-term funding issues of the State Police Retirement System and shall report to the state by October 1, 2010, the study results and such recommendations as may be developed to address these recurring problems.

(b)(1) The Governor shall convene an advisory board of individuals to provide detailed input to the interim committee so that a sustainable solution might

be reached.

(2) The advisory board shall consist of three (3) members as follows:

(A) The Executive Director of the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System, or his or her designee;

(B) The Executive Director of the Arkansas Teacher Retirement System, or his or her designee; and

(C) A member of the State Police Commission who shall be appointed by the Governor.

(3) The advisory board shall remain in existence until the earlier of the presentation of results to the joint interim committee, or its dismissal by the Governor.

SECTION 6. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that the Department of Arkansas State Police has had ongoing financial difficulty for over twelve (12) years; that the State Police Retirement System has sustained investment losses of approximately one hundred million dollars ($100,000,000) within the last two (2) years; that a larger investment pool is needed to help reduce risk and enhance returns; that the Arkansas Public Employees' Retirement System has the size and expertise to effectively reduce the volatility of returns, enhance relative returns, and best protect the State Police Retirement System; and that this act is immediately necessary to protect the members and beneficiaries of the State Police Retirement System. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on July 1, 2009."

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 138 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 257 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 257

JBC03/24/09(1)

Amend Senate Bill No. 257 as originally introduced:

Insert an additional SECTION immediately following SECTION 2 to read as follows: "SECTION 3. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. COURT REPORTERS. Official court reporters shall prepare transcripts, which are to be included within a record on appeal, pursuant to the time requirements that are outlined in the Arkansas Supreme Court Rules. In the event an official court reporter fails to complete a transcript within the prescribed time, he or she shall immediately inform the judge, for whom he or she is employed, and the Arkansas Board of Certified Court Reporter Examiners. Failure of a court reporter to report to his or her judge and to the Arkansas Board of Certified Court Reporter Examiners shall result in the immediate suspension of the court reporter's license, pending a hearing before the Arkansas Board of Certified Court Reporter Examiners."

AND

Appropriately renumber the remaining SECTION numbers of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 257 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 416 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 416

JBC03/24/09(1)

Amend Senate Bill No. 416 as engrossed, S3/12/09:

Following Section 13, insert three additional SECTIONS to read as follows:

" SECTION 14. REGULAR SALARIES - KNOWLEDGE BASED ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM. There is hereby established for the University of Arkansas - Knowledge Based Economic Development Program for the 2009-2010 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code §§21-5-201 et seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however, that any position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code §21-5-101), or its successor.

Item No.	Title	Maximum No. of Employees	Maximum Annual Salary Rate Fiscal Year 2009-2010
(01)	Sr. Project/Program Director	1	$91,762
(02)	Assoc. for Administration	1	$66,016
	MAX. NO. OF EMPLOYEES	2	

SECTION 15. APPROPRIATION – LOCATED AT WINTHROP ROCKEFELLER INSTITUTE. There is hereby appropriated, to the University of Arkansas, to be payable from the University of Arkansas Fund, for personal services and operating expenses for the Leadership Development Program, Knowledge Based Economic Development Program and Research Based Innovation Program of the University of Arkansas located at Winthrop Rockefeller Institute for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010
(01)	REGULAR SALARIES	$ 111,000
(02)	PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	27,750
(03)	MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	50,000
	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0
	(C) PROF. FEES	0
	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
	(E) DATA PROC.	0
(04)	LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM	273,875

(05)	KNOWLEDGE BASED ECOMONIC DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM	280,775
(06)	RESEARCH BASED INNOVATION PROGRAM	185,600
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	$ 929,000

SECTION 16. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. WINTHROP ROCKEFELLER INSTITUTE FUNDING. The University of Arkansas shall allocate and budget and commit for expenditure $929,000 to fund the appropriation authorized from general revenue for the Winthrop Rockefeller Institute as appropriated in Section 15 herein.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010."

And appropriately renumber the subsequent sections.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 416 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 417 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET , and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 417

JBC03/24/09(1)

Amend Senate Bill No. 417 as engrossed, S3/23/09:

Delete Section 38 in its entirety and substitute:

" SECTION 38. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. CLINICAL EXPANSION AND RESEARCH POOL. (a) In order to address personnel needs emerging from expanding medical research and

patient care issues and the necessity of recruiting and retaining qualified medical, research, and related support personnel, the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences or its successor is authorized for the 2009-2010 fiscal year a pool of one thousand five hundred (1,500) "Clinical Expansion and Research Pool" positions. These positions are to be used by the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences in the event that the personal services needs resulting from unanticipated clinical or research programs that are initiated during the 2009-2010 fiscal year require additional positions, either in title, in classification, or in number, that are not authorized or contemplated by the General Assembly in Section 1 of this Act.

These "Clinical Expansion and Research Pool" positions may also be used to properly classify positions when the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences does not have a vacant position available with the appropriate title, grade, or salary level. The salary rates for these positions shall not exceed the highest maximum annual salary rate or the highest grade level position authorized by the General Assembly in Section 1 of this Act, as governed by the uniform Classification and Compensation Act of 1969, §21-5-201 et seq., or its successor.

(b) The University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences is authorized to access the "Clinical Expansion and Research Pool" positions authorized in this Section at any time during the fiscal year when it is determined by the Chancellor of the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences, subject to the review and approval by the Board of Trustees, that the need for additional positions exists. The Chancellor of the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences shall provide a quarterly report detailing the justification of allocation of positions from this "Clinical Expansion and Research Pool" to the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, to the Department of Higher Education, and to the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee for review. The report shall also include an accounting of the names, titles and salaries of personnel who have been employed in positions established from this pool and the source and duration of funds associated with the positions.

(c) If the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences requests continuation of any "Clinical Expansion and Research Pool" position(s) as established herein during the next fiscal year, the position(s) must be requested as a new position(s) in the agency's budget request.

(d) Determining the number of personnel to be employed by a state agency is the prerogative of the General Assembly and is usually accomplished by delineating the maximum number of personnel by identifying job titles and the maximum grade or salary attached to those titles. The General Assembly has determined that the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences could be operated more efficiently if some flexibility is given to that institution. That flexibility is being accomplished by providing a position pool in Subsection (a) of this Section and since the General Assembly has granted the agency broad powers under the growth pool concept, it is both necessary and appropriate that the General Assembly maintain oversight of the utilization of the position pool by requiring review of the Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee in the utilization of the position pool. Therefore, the requirement of review by the Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee is not a severable part of this section. If the requirement of review by the Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee is ruled unconstitutional by a court of competent jurisdiction, this entire section is void.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010."

AND

Delete Section 41 in its entirety and substitute:

SECTION 41. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2009 is essential to the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2009 could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2009."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 417 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 390 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 390

JBC 03/24/09(1)

Amend Senate Bill No. 390 as originally introduced:

Add the following new sections immediately following SECTION 1 to read as follows:

"SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Education - Arkansas School for the Deaf, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, the following:

(A) For maintenance, renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade and repair projects for all state-owned real property and facilities, which means the physical plant and related areas owned or operated by the Arkansas School for the Deaf including without limitation academic and administrative buildings, dormitories, grounds, lifts and elevators, walkways, utilities infrastructure, and other specialized equipment for students with disabilities related to the facilities listed in this section, the sum of .....$5,000,000.

SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - FEDERAL FUNDS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Education - Arkansas School for the Deaf, to be payable from the federal funds as designated by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, the following:

(A) For maintenance, renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade and repair projects for all state-owned real property and facilities, which means the physical plant and related areas owned or operated by the Arkansas School for the Deaf including without limitation academic and administrative buildings, dormitories, grounds, lifts and elevators, walkways, utilities infrastructure, and other specialized equipment for students with disabilities related to the facilities listed in this section, the sum of .....$5,000,000.

SECTION 4. APPROPRIATION – EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES PARTNERSHIP FUND ACCOUNT. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Education - Arkansas School for the Deaf, to be payable from the Educational Facilities Partnership Fund Account, the following:

(A) For maintenance, renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade and repair projects for all state-owned real property and facilities, which means the physical plant and related areas owned or operated by the Arkansas School for the Deaf including without limitation academic and administrative buildings, dormitories, grounds, lifts and elevators, walkways, utilities infrastructure, and other specialized equipment for students with disabilities related to the facilities listed in this section, the sum of .....$5,000,000.

SECTION 5. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. FACILITIES FUNDING. The Arkansas School for the Deaf is eligible for funding under the Arkansas Public School Academic Facilities Funding Act, §6-20-2501 et seq., the Arkansas Public School Academic Facilities Financing Act of 2007, §6-20-2601 et seq., and other sources of funding allowed by law.

The Arkansas School for the Deaf shall have a separate review and approval process under §6-43-207 and §6-43-303 to receive facilities funding in lieu of the review and approval process for a public school or a public school district under the Arkansas Public School Academic Facilities Funding Act, §6-20-2501 et seq., and the Arkansas Public School Academic Facilities Financing Act of 2007, §6-20-2601 et seq."

And
Appropriately renumber subsequent sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 390 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 391 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 391

JBC 03/24/09(1)

Amend Senate Bill No. 391 as originally introduced:

Add the following new sections immediately following SECTION 1 to read as follows:

"SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Education - Arkansas School for the Blind, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, the following:

(A) For maintenance, renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade and repair projects for all state-owned real property and facilities, which means the physical plant and related areas owned or operated by the Arkansas School for the Blind including without limitation academic and administrative buildings, dormitories, grounds, lifts and elevators, walkways, utilities infrastructure, and other specialized equipment for students with disabilities related to the facilities listed in this section, the sum of .....$5,000,000.

SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - FEDERAL FUNDS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Education - Arkansas School for the Blind, to be payable from the federal funds as designated by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, the following:

(A) For maintenance, renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade and repair projects for all state-owned real property and facilities, which means the physical plant and related areas owned or operated by the Arkansas School for the Blind including without limitation academic and administrative buildings, dormitories, grounds, lifts and elevators, walkways, utilities infrastructure, and other specialized equipment for students with disabilities related to the facilities listed in this section, the sum of .....$5,000,000.

SECTION 4. APPROPRIATION – EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES PARTNERSHIP FUND ACCOUNT. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Education - Arkansas School for the Blind, to be payable from the Educational Facilities Partnership Fund Account, the following:

(A) For maintenance, renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade and repair projects for all state-owned real property and facilities, which means the physical plant and related areas owned or operated by the Arkansas School for the Blind including without limitation academic and administrative buildings, dormitories, grounds, lifts and elevators, walkways, utilities infrastructure, and other specialized equipment for students with disabilities related to the facilities listed in this section, the sum of .....$5,000,000.

SECTION 5. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. FACILITIES FUNDING. The Arkansas School for the Blind is eligible for funding under the Arkansas Public School Academic Facilities Funding Act, §6-20-2501 et seq., the Arkansas Public School Academic Facilities Financing

Act of 2007, §6-20-2601 et seq., and other sources of funding allowed by law.

The Arkansas School for the Blind shall have a separate review and approval process under §6-43-207 and §6-43-303 to receive facilities funding in lieu of the review and approval process for a public school or a public school district under the Arkansas Public School Academic Facilities Funding Act, §6-20-2501 et seq., and the Arkansas Public School Academic Facilities Financing Act of 2007, §6-20-2601 et seq."

And

Appropriately renumber subsequent sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 391 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 745 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 745

JBC 03/24/09(1)

Amend Senate Bill No. 745 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 25, delete "$0" and substitute "$30,000,000"

AND

Insert an new SECTION immediately following SECTION 2 to read as follows:
" SECTION 3. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. FUNDING TRANSFER. The Chief Fiscal Officer of the State may transfer from time to time on his or her books and those of the State Treasurer and the Auditor of the State the sum not to exceed thirty million dollars ($30,000,000) from Federal Funds as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the

State to the Technology Acceleration Fund to provide funds for the appropriation herein."

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent SECTIONS of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 745 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 526 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 526 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 526

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES FOR THE DIVISION OF LEGISLATIVE AUDIT OF THE LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 526 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 526, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 526 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 567 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 567 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 567

As Engrossed: S3/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR COUNTY REIMBURSEMENT FOR JURORS FOR THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1264 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 567 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 567, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 567 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 746 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 746 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 746

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS BUILDING AUTHORITY - SUSTAINABLE BUILDING DESIGN PROGRAM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 746 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 746, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 746 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

March 24, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on March 24, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 067, - ACT 548,
Senate Bill No. 076, - ACT 549,
Senate Bill No. 198, - ACT 550,
Senate Bill No. 260, - ACT 551,
Senate Bill No. 318, - ACT 552,
Senate Bill No. 356, - ACT 553,
Senate Bill No. 362, - ACT 554,
Senate Bill No. 369, - ACT 555,
Senate Bill No. 393, - ACT 556,
Senate Bill No. 404, - ACT 557,
Senate Bill No. 448, - ACT 558,
Senate Bill No. 454, - ACT 559,
Senate Bill No. 467, - ACT 560,
Senate Bill No. 468, - ACT 561,
Senate Bill No. 582, - ACT 562,
Senate Bill No. 658, - ACT 563,
Senate Bill No. 676, - ACT 564,
Senate Bill No. 701, - ACT 565,
Senate Bill No. 764, - ACT 566,
Senate Bill No. 771, - ACT 567,
Senate Bill No. 797, - ACT 568,
Senate Bill No. 800, - ACT 569,
Senate Bill No. 824, - ACT 570,
Senate Bill No. 843, - ACT 571,
Senate Bill No. 866, - ACT 572,
Senate Bill No. 966, - ACT 573,
Senate Bill No. 1002, - ACT 574,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL

LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

March 25, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on March 25, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 082, - ACT 597,
Senate Bill No. 153, - ACT 598,
Senate Bill No. 193, - ACT 599
Senate Bill No. 244, - ACT 600
Senate Bill No. 389, - ACT 601,
Senate Bill No. 400, - ACT 602,
Senate Bill No. 419, - ACT 603,
Senate Bill No. 525, - ACT 604,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 867, BY SENATOR FARIS ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 867 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 871, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1646, BY REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 1646 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1939, BY REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No. 3 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 353 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 493 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 494 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 780 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 810 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 836 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 841 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 878 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 961 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 23
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

SENATE RESOLUTION TO HONOR THE WORK OF FAY JONES, THE IMPACT HE HAD ON THE ARCHITECTURAL COMMUNITY, AND THE RENAMING OF THE SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT FAYETTEVILLE AS THE FAY JONES SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE ON APRIL 4, 2009.

Senate Resolution No. 23 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1603
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE INVESTIGATION AND CERTIFICATION OF DEATH IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1603 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1852

As Engrossed: H3/10/09 H3/12/09 H3/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES BREEDLOVE, HAWKINS, ALLEN, BETTS, T. BRADFORD, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, CHEATHAM, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, DALE, DAVIS, ENGLISH, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, HALL, HARRELSON, HOUSE, HOYT, KERR, LOVELL, OVERBEY, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REYNOLDS, RICE, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, G. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WORD, *CARROLL, CASH, DAVENPORT, GASKILL, LINDSEY, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, NIX, PATTERSON, J. ROEBUCK, WAGNER, WOODS, ADCOCK & DUNN*

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH AN ACADEMIC FACILITIES REVIEW BOARD; TO PROVIDE PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS WITH AN ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITY FOR A HEARING ON THE DETERMINATION REGARDING STATE FINANCIAL PARTICIPATION FOR ACADEMIC FACILITIES PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1852 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1860

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO LIMIT THE VALIDITY PERIOD FOR DRIVER'S LICENSES AND IDENTIFICATION CARDS ISSUED TO APPLICANTS WHO ARE NOT CITIZENS OF THE UNITED STATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1860 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1894

As Engrossed: H3/19/09 H3/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES BLOUNT, ALLEN, T. BAKER, DAVIS, HOYT, INGRAM, W. LEWELLEN, RAINEY, SAUNDERS, SHELBY & WORD

BY: SENATORS STEELE, *CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT & H. WILKINS*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION TO EXPAND THE SKILLS TRAINING PROGRAM AND EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR INMATES IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1894 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1966
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CHEATHAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE A CREDIT OR REBATE ON THE LOCAL SALES AND USE TAX PAID ABOVE TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS ($2,500) ON THE PURCHASE OF A TRAILER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1966 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1997
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HALL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH PROVISIONS OF LAW REGARDING THE DISTRIBUTION OF DRUG SAMPLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1997 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2147
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOVELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SET OUT THE PROCEDURE FOR EQUALIZATION BOARDS TO FOLLOW WHEN CHANGING PROPERTY VALUES IN A YEAR WHEN A COUNTY IS NOT COMPLETING REAPPRAISAL; TO CONSULT WITH THE ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DEPARTMENT TO UTILIZE DATA COMPILED UNDER THE ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DEPARTMENT'S SALES RATIO STUDY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2147 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1305
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEM FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 794 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1305 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1364

As Engrossed: H3/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. BURRIS, *COOPER, DALE, GEORGE, R. GREEN, LEA, LOVELL, LOWERY, M. MARTIN, OVERBEY, POWERS, PYLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY & WELLS*

BY: SENATORS G. BAKER AND FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR GRANTS AND AID TO LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 229 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1364 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1654

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, SUBSTITUTE EXPENSES, AND EXPENSE ALLOWANCE OF THE TRIAL COURT ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANTS OF THE CIRCUIT COURTS WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 481 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1654 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1685
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR ADDITIONAL PILOT STATE DISTRICT COURT JUDGESHIPS FOR THE AUDITOR OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1685 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1919
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW TO MEET THE REQUIREMENTS AND DEADLINES OF THE AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT OF 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1919 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 93 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 412 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 413 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 414 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 415 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 420 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 421 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 422 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 423 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 424 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 425 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 138, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 138 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 257, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 416, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

SENATE BILL NO. 417, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 257 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 416 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 417 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 390, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 391, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

SENATE BILL NO. 745, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 54, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 192, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 767, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 875, BY SENATOR HORN,
SENATE BILL NO. 38, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copy with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 2:20 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 54
SENATE BILL NO. 192
SENATE BILL NO. 767
SENATE BILL NO. 875
SENATE BILL NO. 38

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 25th day of March, 2009 at 2:20 p.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Pamela Hayes
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 853, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 854, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 855, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 856, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 857, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 858, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1680, BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

March 25, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on March 25, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 026, - ACT 605,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1764, BY REPRESENTATIVE HUTCHINSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1808, BY REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1932, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1990, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1996, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1273, BY REPRESENTATIVE BLOUNT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1017,
BY REPRESENTATIVE DICKINSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 25, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 2007, BY REPRESENTATIVE HYDE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2014, BY REPRESENTATIVE M. BURRIS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 299
SENATE BILL NO. 526
SENATE BILL NO. 567
SENATE BILL NO. 608
SENATE BILL NO. 746

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1474
HOUSE BILL NO. 1607
HOUSE BILL NO. 1625
HOUSE BILL NO. 1694
HOUSE BILL NO. 1715
HOUSE BILL NO. 1833
HOUSE BILL NO. 1853
HOUSE BILL NO. 1924
HOUSE BILL NO. 1934
HOUSE BILL NO. 2009
HOUSE BILL NO. 2257

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1414 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1586 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1673 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1800 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1899 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1015
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1021

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 3
SENATE BILL NO. 93
SENATE BILL NO. 353
SENATE BILL NO. 412
SENATE BILL NO. 413
SENATE BILL NO. 414
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SENATE BILL NO. 493
SENATE BILL NO. 494
SENATE BILL NO. 780
SENATE BILL NO. 810
SENATE BILL NO. 836
SENATE BILL NO. 841
SENATE BILL NO. 878
SENATE BILL NO. 961

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS CONCURRED IN AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE AS REQUESTED

SENATE BILL NO. 138

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1305

HOUSE BILL NO. 1364

HOUSE BILL NO. 1603

HOUSE BILL NO. 1654

HOUSE BILL NO. 1685

HOUSE BILL NO. 1852

HOUSE BILL NO. 1860

HOUSE BILL NO. 1894

HOUSE BILL NO. 1919

HOUSE BILL NO. 1966

HOUSE BILL NO. 1997

HOUSE BILL NO. 2147

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED

TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1015

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 11:00 a.m., Thursday, March 26, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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SEVENTH-FOURTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS

SENATE CHAMBER

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

March 26, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 11:25 o'clock a.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Laverty.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 949 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 949

Amend Senate Bill No. 949 as engrossed, S3/16/09:

Page 1, delete lines 24 through 26, and substitute the following:
"based upon its' recommended forty-eight-hour didactic training program conducted by criteria-approved instructors with testing coordinated and administered by a Diplomate of the American Chiropractic Board of Radiology who is an on-campus faculty instructor of a chiropractic college accredited by the Council on Chiropractic Education which is sanctioned by the United States Department of Education, or the"

AND

Immediately following SECTION 2, add an additional section to read as follows:

"SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 17-106-109(b), concerning temporary licenses, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) At its discretion, the committee may issue a temporary license to any person whose licensure or relicensure may be pending and when issuance may be justified by special circumstances.

(2) A temporary license shall be issued only if the committee finds that it will not violate the purpose of this chapter or endanger the public health and safety.

(3) A temporary license shall not remain in force longer than one hundred eighty (180) days.

(4)(A) Unless an individual demonstrates to the committee a hardship or a continual progression in fulfilling the educational and certification requirements of a modality recognized by the State Board of Health, no more than two (2) temporary licenses shall be issued to any individual within a specific category.

(B) The continual progression in fulfilling the educational and certification requirements of the American Chiropractic Registry of Radiologic Technologists shall be a minimum of twenty-four (24) hours of didactic educational training per calendar year recommended by that program."

(SIGNED) SENATOR WYATT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 949 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 736 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 736

Amend Senate Bill No. 736 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 12 and substitute:
"TO PROVIDE AN ADJUSTMENT TO THE CALCULATION OF AVERAGE DAILY MEMBERSHIP OF AN ISOLATED SCHOOL FOR THE PURPOSE OF MEETING THE ENROLLMENT THRESHHOLD FOR ADMINISTRATIVE REORGANIZATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute:

SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-20-604(c), concerning special needs funding for isolated schools, is amended to read as follows:

(c)(1) A school district meeting the requirements of subsection (b) of this section shall receive an additional amount equal to twenty percent (20%) of the foundation funding received by the school district under § 6-20-2305(a)(2) for the operation of the isolated school areas if the school district has:

~~(1)~~ (A) School facilities open for kindergarten through grade twelve (K-12) in two (2) or more isolated schools meeting the requirements of subsection (b) of this section;

~~(2)~~ (B) A three-quarter average daily membership of five hundred (500) or less in the preceding school year; and

~~(3)~~ (C) A density ratio of one and three-tenths (1.3) students or less per square mile.

(2) The average daily membership calculation under the Public Education Reorganization Act, § 6-13-1601 et seq., for an isolated school district that receives additional funding under this subsection (c) shall be adjusted by an enrollment factor equal to the percentage of additional foundation funding the isolated school district receives under this subsection (c). This adjustment is to ensure that the average daily membership for an isolated school district is fairly and equitably calculated to further the General Assembly's intent to preserve the efficient operations of Arkansas public schools.

(SIGNED) SENATOR LAVERTY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 736 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 842 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 842

Amend Senate Bill No. 842 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 9 and 10 and substitute the following language:
"AN ACT TO ALLOW HOME-SCHOOLED STUDENTS TO PARTICIPATE IN INTERSCHOLASTIC ACTIVITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Page 1, delete line 13 and substitute the following language:
"TO ALLOW HOME-SCHOOLED STUDENTS TO PARTICIPATE IN INTERSCHOLASTIC ACTIVITIES."

AND

Page 1, delete all language after the enacting clause and substitute the following language:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 15, Subchapter 5 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

6-15-509. Participation of home-schooled students in interscholastic activities.

(a) The General Assembly recognizes that all students should have equal access to interscholastic activities as a complement to the academic curriculum.

(b) As used in this section:

(1) "Athletic activities" means a varsity sport and any activity related to a competitive sports contest, game, event, or exhibition that involves an individual student or teams of students whether the activity occurs among schools within the resident school district or between schools outside of the resident school district;

(2) "Interscholastic activity" means any interschool activity that is outside the regular curriculum of a public school district, including without limitation an athletic activity, a fine arts program, and a special interest club or group that is subject to regulations of the Arkansas Activities Association; and

(3) "Resident school district" means the public school district in which the home-schooled student resides.

(c) A resident school district shall permit a home-schooled student to participate in any interscholastic activity, provided that the home-schooled student:

(1) Advises the resident school in writing of the student's intent to participate in the interscholastic activity;

(2) Meets the eligibility criteria for participation in the interscholastic activity that apply to students enrolled in the resident school district, including standards of behavior and codes of conduct;

(3) Meets the tryout criteria for participation in the interscholastic activity that apply to students enrolled in the resident school district;

(4) Demonstrates educational progress by submitting a norm-referenced standardized test score, taken within nine (9) months of advising the resident school of the student's intent to participate in an interscholastic activity, on which the student's composite score is at or above the 35th percentile;

(5) Complies with all policies, rules, and regulations of the Arkansas Activities Association and the governing organization of the interscholastic activity; and

(6) Pays any participation or activity fee equal to the fee charged to students enrolled in the resident school district who participate in the interscholastic activity.

(d)(1) When the interscholastic activity requires completion of a physical examination or medical test as a condition of participation and the resident school district offers the physical examination or medical test to students enrolled in the resident school district, the resident school district shall permit a home-schooled student to take the physical examination or medical test.

(2) The resident school district shall publish the dates and times of the physical examination or medical test on its publicly accessible website.

(e) Insurance coverage provided by a public school district for participants in interscholastic activities shall cover a participating home-schooled student.

(f)(1) A public school team or group shall not be impeded from competing against any other public or nonpublic school team or group because the team or group utilized a home-schooled student as provided under this section.

(2) A public school district is prohibited from membership in an organization which regulates or governs interscholastic activities and discriminates against an eligible student in a public or nonpublic school, including a home-schooled student.

(g) The resident school district may adopt a policy to implement the requirements of this section, provided that the policy applies only to participation in interscholastic activities and does not conflict with this section."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 842 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 990 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 990

Amend Senate Bill No. 990 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete all the language after the enacting clause and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 26-52-319(b)-(f), concerning the sales tax on natural gas and electricity used by manufacturers, is amended to read as follows:

(b) As used in this section, "manufacturer" means a:

(1) ~~manufacturer~~ Manufacturer classified within sectors 31 through 33 of the North American Industry Classification System, as in effect on January 1, 2007~~.~~; and

(2) Generator of electric power classified within sector 22 of the North American Industry Classification System that uses natural gas on or after the effective date of this subdivision to operate a generating facility that uses emission reduction technology that emits nitrogen oxides (NOx) less than three and five-tenths parts per million (3.5 ppm) on average annually for all operating hours.

(c) In lieu of the tax rate under subsection (a) of this section, the excise tax rate levied on the gross receipts or gross proceeds derived from the sale of natural gas and electricity to a manufacturer as defined under subdivision (b)(2) of this section is as follows:

(1) Beginning July 1, 2010, five and one-fourth percent (5.25%);

(2) Beginning July 1, 2011, four and one-fourth percent (4.25%); and

(3) Beginning July 1, 2012, the rate under subsection (a) of this section.

~~(c)~~(d) Natural gas and electricity subject to the reduced tax rate levied in this section shall be separately metered from natural gas and electricity used for any other purpose by the manufacturer or otherwise established in accordance with the rules issued under subsection ~~(e)~~(f) of this section.

~~(d)~~(e) ~~Prior to~~ Before the sale of natural gas or electricity at the reduced excise tax rate levied in this section, the director may require any seller of natural gas or electricity to obtain a certificate from the consumer, in the form prescribed by the director, certifying that the manufacturer is eligible to purchase natural gas and electricity at the reduced excise tax rate.

~~(e)~~(f) The director shall ~~have and be invested with full power and authority to~~ promulgate rules for the proper administration of this section.

~~(f)~~(g) The gross receipts or gross proceeds derived from the sale of natural gas and electricity to a manufacturer shall continue to be subject to:

(1) The excise tax levied under the Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 75, § 2; and

(2) All municipal and county gross receipts taxes.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 26-53-148(b)-(f), concerning the compensating use tax on natural gas and electricity used by manufacturers, is amended to read as follows:

(b) As used in this section, "manufacturer" means a:

(1) ~~manufacturer~~ Manufacturer classified within sectors 31

through 33 of the North American Industry Classification System, as in effect on January 1, 2007~~.~~; and

(2) Generator of electric power classified within sector 22 of the North American Industry Classification System that uses natural gas on or after the effective date of this subsection to operate a generating facility that uses emission reduction technology that emits nitrogen oxides (NOx) less than three and five-tenths parts per million (3.5 ppm) on average annually for all operating hours.

(c) In lieu of the tax rate under subsection (a) of this section, the excise tax rate levied on the gross receipts or gross proceeds derived from the sale of natural gas and electricity to a manufacturer as defined under subdivision (b)(2) of this section is as follows:

(1) Beginning July 1, 2010, five and one-fourth percent (5.25%);

(2) Beginning July 1, 2011, four and one-fourth percent (4.25%); and

(3) Beginning July 1, 2012, the rate provided in subsection (a) of this section.

~~(c)~~(d) Natural gas and electricity subject to the reduced tax rate levied in this section shall be separately metered from natural gas and electricity used for any other purpose by the manufacturer or otherwise established in accordance with the rules issued under subsection ~~(e)~~(f) of this section.

~~(d)~~(e) ~~Prior to~~ Before purchasing any natural gas or electricity at the reduced excise tax rate levied in this section, the director may require any seller of natural gas or electricity to obtain a certificate from the consumer, in the form prescribed by the director, certifying that the manufacturer is eligible to purchase natural gas and electricity at the reduced excise tax rate.

~~(e)~~(f) The director shall ~~have and be invested with full power and authority to~~ promulgate rules for the proper administration of this section.

~~(f)~~(g) The purchase of natural gas and electricity by a manufacturer shall continue to be subject to:

(1) The excise tax levied under the Arkansas Constitution, Amendment 75, § 2; and

(2) All municipal and county compensating use taxes.

SECTION 3. Emergency Clause. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that the sales and use taxes that Arkansas imposes on natural gas used in high-efficiency electric generating facilities far exceed the taxes imposed by most surrounding states; that electric power generation has historically been treated as manufacturing for sales and use tax purposes in Arkansas; that the state has an interest in encouraging the use of clean and efficient generating technologies pending the development of alternative energy technologies; that the price of natural gas has been subject to substantial increases in the marketplace resulting in a dramatic increase in the cost of electricity that has been compounded by sales and compensating use tax on natural gas used as fuel, and this trend is likely to continue; and that including high-efficiency power generation in the definition of manufacturing for purposes of the reduced sales and use tax on natural gas will stabilize the tax burden, preserve the funding source, and encourage the use of natural gas in high-efficiency power generating facilities in Arkansas. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on July 1, 2009."

(SIGNED) SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 990 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 536 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 536

Amend Senate Bill No. 536 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 10 through 12 and substitute the following:
"AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE RATE OF TAX FOR ALCOPOPS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 16 through 19 and substitute the following:
"TO ESTABLISH THE RATE OF TAX FOR ALCOPOPS."

AND

Delete Section 1 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 3-3-202(c), concerning the penalty for knowingly furnishing or selling to a minor, is amended to read as follows:

(c)(1) It is unlawful for a person to knowingly sell or otherwise furnish for money or other valuable consideration an alcopop as defined under § 3-7-102 to a person under twenty-one (21) years of age.

(2)(A) A violation of this subsection (c) is a violation under § 5-1-108 and the person shall be subject to a fine of not more than one thousand dollars ($1,000).

(B) A second violation of this subsection (c) within eighteen (18) months of a first violation is a violation under § 5-1-108 and the person shall be subject to a fine of not more than two thousand dollars ($2,000) and a mandatory permit suspension for seven (7) days.

(C) A third violation of this subsection (c) within eighteen (18) months of a first violation shall result in the mandatory permit suspension for twenty-one (21) days.

(d)(1) A warning notice that includes the provisions of subsections (a), ~~and~~ (b), and (c) of this section shall be posted in public view in each place of business where alcoholic beverages are sold.

(2) The warning notice shall be posted in a manner prescribed by the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board."

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR PRITCHARD

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 536 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 157 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 157

Amend Senate Bill No. 157 as originally introduced:

Add Representative English as a sponsor of the bill.

AND

Page 3, line 17, delete "Military" and substitute "The first twelve thousand dollars ($12,000) of military"

(SIGNED) SENATOR PRITCHARD

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 157 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 838 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 838

Amend Senate Bill No. 838 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete all language after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-15-2602 is amended to read as follows:

6-15-2602. Legislative intent.

It is the intent of the General Assembly to provide a pilot program affording public school districts and public charter schools the opportunity to develop teacher ~~compensation~~ incentive bonus plans tailored to the public school district's or public charter school's needs to accomplish the following:

(1) Provide incentives that will encourage teachers to improve their knowledge and instructional skills in order to improve student learning;

(2) Recruit and retain highly qualified teachers;

(3) Encourage highly qualified teachers to undertake challenging assignments;

(4) Support teachers' roles in improving students' educational achievements; and

(5) Inform policymakers regarding the potential of a restructured teacher professional pay system to improve student achievement across the state.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 6-15-2603 is amended to read as follows:

6-15-2603. Definitions.

As used in this subchapter:

(1)(A) "Knowledge and skill base portion of bonus compensation" means that portion of a teacher's bonus compensation under a Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan that considers, but is not limited to, ~~input~~ factors such as ~~years of experience and degree levels~~ teacher evaluations, as set forth in a Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan.

(B) This portion shall represent ~~forty~~ up to twenty percent ~~(40%)~~ (20%) ~~to sixty percent (60%)~~ of the teacher's ~~total~~ bonus compensation.

(2) "Local board" means a board of directors exercising the control and management of a public school district.

(3)(A) "Performance portion of bonus compensation" means that portion of a teacher's bonus compensation under a Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan that considers, without limitation, output factors such as ~~teacher evaluations and~~ student performance in the teacher's class or in the teacher's school, as set forth in a Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan.

(B) This portion shall represent ~~forty percent (40%) to sixty percent (60%)~~ no less than eight percent (80%) of the teacher ~~total~~ bonus compensation.

(4) "Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan" means an alternative plan for teacher compensation developed by a public school, public school district, or public charter school and selected by the State Board of Education to participate in the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement Program pursuant to this subchapter.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 6-15-2605(d) concerning the application procedure is repealed.

~~(d) The application procedure shall provide for a phase-in process, beginning with a planning phase for a twelve-month minimum period, to allow applicants access to resources that would allow sufficient research of best practices and to garner community and staff support in submitting a Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan.~~

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 6-15-2606(a)(4) and (5) concerning determination of bonus compensation is amended to read as follows:

(4) Describe how the ~~forty percent (40%) to sixty percent (60%)~~ eighty percent (80%) or greater performance portion of ~~compensation~~ the bonus will be determined;

(5) Describe how the ~~forty percent (40%) to sixty percent (60%)~~ twenty percent (20%) or less knowledge and skill base portion of ~~compensation~~ the bonus will be determined;

SECTION 5. Arkansas Code § 6-15-2606(b) and (c) concerning achievement plans is amended to read as follows:

(b) Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plans approved for participation in the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement Program may include provisions regarding the bonus compensation for administrators and other staff members.

(c) ~~Compensation increases~~ Increases for the performance portion of bonus compensation, ~~forty percent (40%) to sixty percent (60%)~~ ~~of the teacher's total compensation,~~ eighty percent (80%) or greater under the Rewarding Excellence in Achievement plan shall include:

(1)(A) Achievement gains of students in each teacher's class on student scores under the statewide assessment program described in § 6-15-433.

(B) Locally selected and Department of Education-approved standardized assessment outcomes for students in each teacher's class may also be included;

(2) Achievement gains of students on a school-wide basis under the statewide assessment program described in § 6-15-433. Locally selected and Department of Education-approved standardized assessment outcomes may also be included; and

(3) ~~The remaining percentage of the performance~~ Increases for the knowledge and skills portion of bonus compensation ~~of the teacher's total compensation~~ shall be based on an objective teacher evaluation program that includes:

(A) An individual objective teacher evaluation conducted by the school principal that is aligned with the comprehensive school improvement plan and professional development plan described in § 6-15-2607; and

(B) ~~Peer~~ If applicable, peer objective evaluations using multiple criteria conducted by locally selected and periodically trained evaluators that understand teaching and learning and that include provisions for integrated ongoing site-based professional development activities to improve instructional skills and learning that are aligned with student needs under § 6-15-2009."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BRYLES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 838 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 178 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 178

Amend Senate Bill No. 178 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following
:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 24-11-215, concerning the allocation of the insurance premium tax, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(e)(1) An additional allocation to cover a cost-of-living increase for plans that are consolidated with the Arkansas Local Police and Fire Retirement System shall be made beginning with the allocations made on or after January 1, 2009.

(2) The additional allocation under subdivision (e)(1) of this section shall be the amount, if any, by which the amount to amortize the added liability created by the addition of a three percent (3%) compound cost-of-living increase at the time the plan consolidates with the Arkansas Local Police and Fire Retirement System exceeds the amount otherwise allocated in § 24-11-214.

(3) The additional allocation under subdivision (e)(1) of this section applies to both current and future consolidations."

(SIGNED) SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 178 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 1553 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 1553

Amend House Bill No. 1553 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 33, delete "North" and substitute "South"

(SIGNED) SENATOR WILKINS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1553 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

Senate BILL NO. 157, BY SENATOR PRITCHARD,

Senate BILL NO. 990, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS

CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 157 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 990 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

Senate BILL NO. 178, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 178 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

Senate BILL NO. 536, BY SENATOR PRITCHARD,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 536 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 736, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 838, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 842, BY SENATOR BAKER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 736 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 838 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 842 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

Senate BILL NO. 949, BY SENATOR WYATT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 949 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

House BILL NO. 1553, BY REPRESENTATIVE T. BRADFORD ET AL,
BY SENATOR H. WILKINS ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wilkins, House Bill No. 1553 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 789, BY SENATOR BRYLES,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 2201, BY REPRESENTATIVE LEA,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 846, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 1005, BY SENATOR STEELE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 2076, BY REPRESENTATIVE WEBB,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2256, BY REPRESENTATIVE MAXWELL,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL 1984, BY REPRESENTATIVE DUNN,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 876, BY SENATOR D. WYATT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 932, BY SENATOR P. MALONE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1881, BY REPRESENTATIVE WELLS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL 440, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL 790, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL 820, BY SENATOR WHITAKER,
SENATE BILL 867, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL 868, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL 921, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL 938, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 19, BY SENATOR STEELE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1160, BY REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1646, BY REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1955, BY REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Crumbly, Senate Bill No. 980 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 980

Amend Senate Bill No. 980 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 6 and substitute:

"(b) In order to further the state's policy of encouraging efficiency and the expansion of available course offerings that might be achieved through the voluntary consolidation or annexation of school districts, qualifying teachers in the resulting school district in an approved voluntary consolidation under §6-13-1404(a)(2) or § 6-13-1603(a) or in a receiving district in an approved voluntary annexation under §6-13-1403(a)(2)-(4) or § 6-13-1603(a) shall continue to receive the funding provided under this section if all school districts in the voluntary consolidation or annexation were high-priority districts in the immediately preceding school year, even if the average daily membership of the resulting or receiving school district is one thousand (1,000) or above."

AND

Page 2, line 7, delete "April 1" and substitute "April 15"

AND

Page 2, line 35, delete "is" and substitute "may be"

AND

Page 4, delete line 14 and substitute:
"requirements of this teacher recruitment and retention program.
(e)(1) The bonus amounts provided under this section are the maximum amounts to be paid to qualifying teachers in high-priority districts, and are subject to the appropriation and availability of funding for the payment of the bonuses.
(2) If the funds appropriated and available for the payment of the bonuses under this section are insufficient to pay the maximum bonus amounts to each qualifying teacher, the Department of Education shall distribute the available funding to qualified teachers on a pro rata basis."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 28 through 34 and substitute:
"on July 1, 2009."

(SIGNED) SENATOR CRUMBLY

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 980 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 922 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 922 was recommended for study in the Interim Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

. On motion of Senator Broadway, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1014 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1014
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION URGING THE SECRETARY OF THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES TO SUPPORT A VOLUNTARY, MARKET-DRIVEN APPROACH TO THE NATIONAL ANIMAL IDENTIFICATION SYSTEM.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1014 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1014 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Key, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1017 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1017
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. DICKINSON

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO ENCOURAGE SCHOOLS TO RAISE AWARENESS OF THE SACRIFICES THAT VETERANS HAVE MADE FOR OUR COUNTRY BY HAVING A SCHOOL ASSEMBLY TO COMMEMORATE VETERANS DAY AROUND THE TIME OF THE VETERANS DAY HOLIDAY.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1017 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1017 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 342 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 342

Amend Senate Bill No. 342 as engrossed, S3/19/09:

Page 1, delete lines 34 and 35 and substitute the following:
"information, hours of operation~~, and status as tuition subsidy, meal subsidy, state-funded pre-kindergarten, and quality-rated facilities~~."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 14 and substitute the following:

"~~(2) Identify designated emergency shelters, including without limitation local shelters and mass evacuation shelters, in proximity to all licensed child care facilities and all known license-exempt facilities, identify three (3) designated shelters in closest proximity to each child care facility, and notify each child care facility annually of the locations of those shelters;~~

~~(3) Coordinate efforts to notify the state emergency management agency of the estimated number of children in child care facilities who could be evacuated to each shelter;~~

~~(4) Require all licensed child care facilities to notify parents annually of the shelters designated by the Division of Child Care and Early Childhood Education of the Department of Human Services as being in closest proximity to those facilities;~~

~~(5)~~(2) Include early childhood emergency preparedness courses and"

AND

Page 2, line 19, delete "(6)" and substitute "~~(6)~~(3)"

AND

Page 2, line 22, delete "(7)(A)" and substitute "(4)(A)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR H. WILKINS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 342 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 870 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 870

Amend Senate Bill No. 870 as originally introduced:

Delete Section 1 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 8-6-220 is amended to read as follows:

8-6-220. Yard waste.

(a)(1)(A) Except as provided in subdivision (a)(2) of this section, it ~~It is established by this section that it~~ is illegal for ~~any~~ yard waste to be placed in a solid waste management facility solely for the purpose of disposal, except for fugitive amounts of yard waste.

(B) A permitted solid waste landfill may collect landfill gas from the fugitive amounts of yard waste for conversion to energy.

(2)(A) If authorized by the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality through a permit modification process including a public notice and comment period, yard waste may be accepted by a permitted solid waste landfill that operates a landfill gas to energy system for the recovery and use of landfill gas as a renewable energy fuel source.

(B) The department shall consider, at a minimum, the following before authorizing yard waste to be accepted by a solid waste landfill for disposal:

(i) The number and types of permitted compost facilities accepting yard waste within the service areas of the solid waste landfill;

(ii) The environmental impact of the proposed change in disposing of yard waste at a solid waste landfill instead of a permitted compost facility;

(iii) The financial impact to each permitted compost facility located within the service area of the solid waste landfill;

(iv) Whether the regional solid waste management board hosting the solid waste landfill and hosting a permitted compost facility within the landfill's service area supports the request;

(v) The amount of yard waste the solid waste landfill intends to accept and the basis for estimating the volume of yard waste to be disposed in the landfill;

(vi) The financial impact to residents and industry within the service area of the solid waste landfill;

(vii) The location of the solid waste landfill;

(viii) The location within the solid waste landfill for the placement of yard waste;

(ix) The plans to offset the effects of disposing of yard waste on the volume reduction for municipal waste disposal;

(x) A description and timeline for the landfill gas collected from the yard waste to become a renewable energy fuel source;

(xi) The design and efficiency of the landfill gas collection system;

(xii) A list of purchase power agreements that guarantee the collection and use of the landfill gas collected from the yard waste for energy conversion; and

(xiii) Other information as may be required by the department.

(C) Landfill gas recovered through the landfill gas to energy system shall be utilized for the generation of electricity or used as a substitute for conventional fuels.

(b)(1) In addition to composting requirements for regional solid waste management districts set forth in § 8-6-719, each district shall furnish yard waste reduction or usage and/or opportunities to ensure that its residents are provided with the availability to choose, based upon need by population ~~and/or~~ or area, ways and means of usage, reduction, reuse, ~~and/or~~ or composting of yard waste.

(2) Such choices of yard waste reduction ~~and/or~~ or usage shall be submitted to the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality for approval and shall become an integral part of the district's solid waste management plan.

(c) ~~For purposes of~~ As used in this section:

(1) “Fugitive amounts of yard waste” means small quantities that escape the approved methods of usage, reduction, reuse, or composting of yard waste; ~~and~~

(2) “Landfill gas to energy system” means the process of collecting, storing, and converting landfill gas to electricity for a direct fuel use or other use as a substitute for conventional fuels, including without limitation flaring for system testing, system maintenance, or proving capacity for an intended energy use; and

~~(2)~~(3) “Yard waste” means grass clippings, leaves, and shrubbery trimmings."

(SIGNED) SENATOR TEAGUE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 870 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 770 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 770

Amend Senate Bill No. 770 as originally introduced:

Delete Section 1

AND

Delete Section 3

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR TEAGUE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 770 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 839 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment Nos. 1 and 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 839

Amend Senate Bill No. 839 as originally introduced:
Page 2, delete lines 5 through 9 and substitute:

"(6)(A) "Restraints" means any physical restraint or mechanical device used to control the movement of a prisoner's or detainee's body or limbs, including without limitation flex cuffs, soft restraints, hard metal handcuffs, a black box, Chubb cuffs, leg irons, belly chains, a security tether or chain, or a convex shield.

(B) "Restraints" does not mean a door to a room."

AND

Page 2, line 13, delete ", including"

AND

Page 3, line 15, delete "without the prisoner's or"

AND

Page 3, line 16, delete "detainee's prior written consent"

AND

Page 3, line 22, delete "custody" and insert "custody under § 12-29-702"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 12 through 16 and substitute:

"(6)(A) "Restraints" means any physical restraint or mechanical device used to control the movement of a prisoner's or detainee's body or limbs, including without limitation flex cuffs, soft restraints, hard metal handcuffs, a black box, Chubb cuffs, leg irons, belly chains, a security tether or chain, or a convex shield.

(B) "Restraints" does not mean a door to a room."

(SIGNED) SENATOR SALMON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 839

Amend Senate Bill No. 839 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 5 through 9 and substitute:

"(6)(A) "Restraints" means any physical restraint or mechanical device used to control the movement of a prisoner's or detainee's body or limbs, including without limitation flex cuffs, soft restraints, hard metal handcuffs, a black box, Chubb cuffs, leg irons, belly chains, a security tether or chain, or a convex shield.

(B) "Restraints" does not mean a door to a room."

AND

Page 2, line 13, delete ", including"

AND

Page 3, line 15, delete "without the prisoner's or"

AND

Page 3, line 16, delete "detainee's prior written consent"

AND

Page 3, line 22, delete "custody" and insert "custody under § 12-29-702"

(SIGNED) SENATOR SALMON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 839 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1848 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1848

Amend House Bill No. 1848 as originally introduced:
Page 1, line 25, delete "5-10-105" and substitute "5-10-103"

(SIGNED) SENATOR D. JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1848 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Bill No. 1256 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1256

Amend House Bill No. 1256 as engrossed, H3/16/09:
Page 2, line 29, delete "limit; and" and substitute:
"limit;
(2) "Public highway" means a public road, county road, city street, or any paved or unpaved roadway that is owned or maintained by a public entity or municipality; and"
AND

Page 2, line 30, delete "(2)" and substitute "(3)"

AND

Page 2, line 31, delete "vehicles" and substitute "vehicles traveling with excessive or at dangerous speeds"

AND
Page 3, line 1, delete "racing" and substitute "racing on a public highway"

AND

Page 3, delete line 2 and substitute "(A) Commits a violation of § 27-50-302(a)(2)-(9) and operates a motor vehicle in a race or drag race on a"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 4 and 5 and substitute:
"(B) Participates in, promotes, solicits, or collects moneys at any location for any race or drag race on a public highway; or"

AND

Page 3, line 8, delete "Racing" and substitute "Racing on a public highway"

AND

Page 3, delete line 15 and substitute "assistance, facilitation, urging, or a request that"

(SIGNED) SENATOR LUKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1256 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1680 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1680

Amend House Bill No. 1680 as originally introduced:
Page 1, delete lines 26 through 29 and substitute the following:

"(d) An employee may be eligible for catastrophic leave when:

(1)(A) The employee has been employed by the state for more than two (2) years or was previously employed by a public school district or state-supported institution of higher learning for more than two (2) years.

(B) A person who was employed by a public school district or state-supported institution of higher learning for less than two (2) years also is eligible for catastrophic leave if:

(i) The person's combined years of employment with the state and with a public school district or state-supported institution of higher learning totals more than two (2) years; and

(ii) The lapse in the person's employment between the state and a public school district or state-supported institution of higher learning is less than six (6) months;"

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1680 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 1273 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1273

Amend House Bill No. 1273 as engrossed, H2/27/09:

Page 2, line 20, delete "national school lunch"

AND

Page 2, line 21, delete "student categorical funding under § 6-20-2305,"

AND

Page 2, line 22, delete "technology," and substitute ”technology"

(SIGNED) SENATOR ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1273 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Horn, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 808 at this time.

On motion of Senator Horn, Senate Bill No. 808 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 808

Amend Senate Bill No. 808 as originally introduced:

Delete the title in its entirety and substitute the following:
“AN ACT TO ENCOURAGE INVESTMENT IN TELECOMMUNICATIONS FACILITIES IN RURAL AREAS AND TO ASSIST LOW INCOME TELECOMMUNICATIONS CUSTOMERS; TO PROVIDE AN EMERGENCY EFFECTIVE DATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.”

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:
"TO ENCOURAGE INVESTMENT IN TELECOMMUNICATIONS FACILITIES IN RURAL AREAS, TO ASSIST LOW INCOME TELECOMMUNICATIONS CUSTOMERS, AND TO PROVIDE AN EMERGENCY EFFECTIVE DATE."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 23-17-404(b)(2)(A), concerning the preservation and promotion of universal service through the Arkansas High Cost Fund, is amended to read as follows:

(2)(A)(i) ~~This AHCF charge for all telecommunications providers shall be proportionate to each provider's Arkansas intrastate retail telecommunications service revenues~~ Every telecommunications provider, and to the extent not prohibited by federal law, every provider of interconnected VOIP service, as defined by 47 C.F.R. 9.3, as it existed on October 1, 2005, shall be assessed the AHCF charge on an equitable and nondiscriminatory basis.

(ii)(a) The AHCF charge shall be proportionate to each telecommunications provider's Arkansas intrastate telecommunications service revenue.

(b) However, interconnected VOIP providers shall identify intrastate revenue subject to the AHCF charge using the inverse of the current FCC safe harbor, for example 35.1% as of March 19, 2009, of all collected revenues, or after approval by the Arkansas Public Service Commission, using either direct assignment or a company-specific traffic study;

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 23-17-404(e)(2), concerning the preservation and promotion of universal service through the Arkansas High Cost Fund, is amended to read as follows:

(2)(A) The commission shall provide a report to the Legislative Council by October 31 of the year prior to a regular session of the General Assembly detailing any recommended changes to the universal service list of requirements that are to be supported by the AHCF. This list may be approved by the General Assembly, and if approved, the AHCF support to ETCs may be adjusted, due to the approved changes, to reflect an increase or decrease in the size of the AHCF by increasing or decreasing the overall financial cap on the AHCF to recover the cost of additions or revisions to the universal service list concurrent with any such revisions to the list of universal services identified in § 23-17-403.

(B) In considering revisions to the universal service list, the commission shall consider the need for the addition or removal of a service to the list in order to maintain end-user rates for universal services that are reasonably comparable between urban and rural areas or to reflect changes in the type and quality of telecommunications services considered essential by the public as evidenced, for example, by those telecommunication services that are purchased and used by a majority of single-line urban customers.

(C) A rate case proceeding or earning investigation or analysis shall not be required or conducted in connection with the recovery of the cost of additions or revisions or in connection with the administration of the AHCF~~;~~.

(D)(i) Beginning July 1, 2009, the AHCF shall consist of the following three (3) separate programs:

(a) The AHCF High Cost Program which is under the upper limit or "CAP" requirements of § 23-17-404;

(b) The State Lifeline Program which is separate from the AHCF High Cost Program and is not under the CAP requirements; and

(c) The AICCLP Funding Program which is separate from the AHCF High Cost Program and the State Lifeline Program and is not under the CAP requirements.

(ii)(a) The State Lifeline Program shall be administered by the AICCLP administrator and is designed to:

(1) Advance the goals of universal service and ensure that low-income residential customers within the State of Arkansas are provided financial assistance in maintaining basic local exchange

telecommunications service; and

(2) Operate in conjunction with the Federal Lifeline Program to provide to qualifying residential subscribers for basic local exchange service:

(A) Full waiver of the End-User Common Line Charge; and

(B)(i) A monthly credit to the subscriber's monthly bill; or

(ii) A reduced monthly rate.

(b)(1) The State Lifeline Program shall offer a reimbursement to eligible ETCs of up to three dollars and fifty cents ($3.50) per month to customers eligible for the Federal Low Income Discount Program.

(2)(A) The customer shall be a participant in the Federal Low Income Discount Program to receive the State Lifeline Program discount or reduced rate.

(B) The discount or reduced rate shall be applied to the customer's monthly bill.

(3) Only ETCs are eligible to provide the State Lifeline Program.

(4) The monthly credit to a qualifying residential subscriber shall not be more than the total amount of the subscriber's End-User Common Line Charge plus the monthly local service charge.

(c)(1) The AICCLP administrator will administer the State Lifeline Program similar to the Federal Low Income Discount Program is administered.

(2) Eligible ETCs shall petition the AICCLP monthly based on the number of Federal Low Income Discount Program recipients.

(3) The AHCF administrator shall transfer to the AICCLP administrator sufficient funds monthly to reimburse the State Lifeline Program.

(4) The AICCLP administrator shall verify that the ETC is eligible for the reimbursement and will then distribute funds to each eligible ETC.

(5) An ETC shall provide its results of the Federal Lifeline Program annual random sample process each year to the AICCLP administrator to verify continuity between the two (2) programs.

SECTION 3. The introductory language of Arkansas Code § 23-17-404(e)(4)(B)(iv)(a), concerning funding for the Extension of Telecommunications Facilities Fund and the Arkansas Calling Plan Fund, is amended to read as follows:

(iv)(a) Through December 31, 2003, the Extension of Telecommunications Facilities Fund and the Arkansas Calling Plan Fund will be funded by the AICCLP assessing one-half (1/2) of the fund to be paid by incumbent local exchange carriers (ILECs) and one-half (1/2) of the fund to be paid by all other telecommunications providers reporting intrastate retail billed minutes of use to the AICCLP. Beginning January 1, 2004, through June 30, 2009, the Extension of Telecommunications Facilities Fund and the Arkansas Calling Plan Fund will be paid by the AICCLP members, exiting ILECs, and underlying carriers as follows:

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 23-17-404(e)(4)(B)(v)(b)(2), concerning the administration of telecommunication services and funding, is amended to read as follows:

(2)(A) The administrator of the AICCLP as it existed prior to January 1, 2004, may supervise any audit that is requested and may further take any action deemed reasonable or necessary to finalize the winding-

up process of the AICCLP as it existed prior to January 1, 2004.

(B)(i) Beginning July 1, 2009, the Extension of Telecommunications Facilities Fund and the Arkansas Calling Plan Fund shall be funded through the AHCF under this subdivision (e)(4)(B)(v)(b)(2)(B).

(ii) The AHCF administrator shall calculate the necessary funding for the Extension of Telecommunications Facilities Fund and the Arkansas Calling Plan Fund to the minimum extent of funding necessary not to exceed the maximum specified in this section, to fund any extensions of facilities or calling plans approved by the Commission in accordance with applicable law and this section.

(iii)(a) The funds calculated under subdivision (e)(4)(B)(v)(b)(2)(B)(ii) of this section shall be transferred to the AICCLP administrator monthly in sufficient quantities to fund the monthly commitment levels of the AICCLP administrator's funding obligations.

(b) The AICCLP administrator shall assist the AHCF administrator in developing estimates for the AHCF administrator to use in calculating the necessary funding amounts to be transferred.

SECTION 5. Arkansas Code § 23-17-404(e)(4)(E)(ii), concerning funds available for distribution from the AHCF High Cost Program, is amended to read as follows:

(ii)(a)(1) The funds available for distribution to ETCs from the AHCF High Cost Program shall not exceed and are capped at twenty-two million dollars ($22,000,000) per year, the total capped fund, until June 30, 2009.

(2)(A) Cost of administrating the AHCF shall first be deducted from the total capped fund prior to allocation of funding to the ETCs.

(B) Transition funds used from the surplus during the five-year transition period are supplemental and are not subject to any cap.

(C) The annual period to be used by the AHCF administrator to adjust support levels and upon which to apply any cap shall be on the calendar year.

(D) In addition to the total fund cap, the funds available from the AHCF shall also be capped based upon size groups using access lines for loop-based ETCs and customers for customer-based ETCs.

(E) Size grouping is used to ensure that funds are targeted to areas most needing high-cost assistance.

(F) For the purpose of calculating the size grouping caps, total customer access base shall be used for loop-based ETCs and total customers for customer-based ETCs.

(b)(1) For all ETCs with a total customer access base or total customer base of five hundred thousand (500,000) or more access lines or customers, the size group cap shall be thirteen and one-half percent (13.5%) of the total capped fund until June 30, 2009.

(2) Beginning July 1, 2009, the total capped amount shall increase by one million three hundred thousand dollars ($1,300,000) for all ETCs with a total customer access base of five hundred thousand (500,000) or more access lines or customers.

(3)(A) Beginning July 1, 2010, the size group cap shall be increased by four percent (4%) per year for a period of three (3) years.

(B) The CAP shall be increased by four percent (4%) annually to reflect each year's annual adjustment to the increased

funding level of all ETCs with a total customer access base of five hundred thousand (500,000) or more access lines or customers.

(4) Beginning July 1, 2013, the fund CAP shall be increased each year by the annual increase in the Gross Domestic Product Price Index or by three percent (3%) over the previous year's size group's CAP balance, whichever is greater.

(c)(1) For all ETCs with a total customer access base or total customer base of one hundred fifty thousand (150,000) or more access lines or customers and fewer than five hundred thousand (500,000) access lines or customers, the size group cap shall be thirteen and one-half percent (13.5%) of the total capped fund as of June 30, 2009, and shall remain the same through June 30, 2010.

(2)(A) Beginning July 1, 2010, the size group cap for all ETCs with a total customer access base of total customer base of one hundred fifty thousand (150,000) or more access lines or customers and fewer than five hundred thousand (500,000) access lines or customers shall be increased by four percent (4%) per year for a period of three (3) years.

(B) The CAP shall be increased by four percent (4%) annually to reflect each year's annual adjustment to the increased funding level of all ETCs with a total customer access base or total customer base of one hundred fifty thousand (150,000) or more access lines or customers and fewer than five hundred thousand (500,000) access lines or customers.

(3) Beginning July 1, 2013, the fund CAP shall be increased each year by the annual increase in the Gross Domestic Product Price Index or by three percent (3%) over the previous year's size group's CAP balance, whichever is greater.

(d)(1) For all ETCs with a total customer access base or total customer base of fifteen thousand (15,000) or more access lines or customers and fewer than one hundred fifty thousand (150,000) access lines or customers, the size group cap shall be two percent (2%) of the total capped fund until June 30, 2009.

(2) Beginning July 1, 2009, the total capped amount shall increase by five hundred sixty thousand dollars ($560,000) for all ETCs with a total customer access base or total customer base of fifteen thousand (15,000) or more access lines or customers and fewer that one hundred fifty thousand (150,000) access lines or customers.

(3)(A) Beginning July 1, 2010, the size group cap shall be increased by four percent (4%) per year for a period of three (3) years.

(B) The CAP shall be increased by four percent (4%) annually to reflect each year's annual adjustment to the increased funding level of all ETCs with a total customer access base or total customer base of fifteen thousand (15,000) or more access lines or customers and fewer that one hundred fifty thousand (150,000) access lines or customers.

(4) Beginning July 1, 2013, the fund CAP shall be increased each year by the annual increase in the Gross Domestic Product Price Index or by three percent (3%) over the previous year's size group's CAP balance, whichever is greater.

(e)(1) For all ETCs with a total customer access base or total customer base of fewer than fifteen thousand (15,000) access lines or customers, the size group cap shall be seventy-one percent (71%) of the total capped fund until June 30, 2009.

(2) Beginning on July 1, 2009, the amount of the size group's fund cap shall be the total amount allocated to this size group, as last calculated on or before June 30, 2009, plus one million three hundred thousand

dollars ($1,300,000).

(3)(A) Beginning July 1, 2010, the size group cap shall be increased by four percent (4%) per year for a period of three (3) years.

(B) The CAP shall be increased by four percent (4%) annually to reflect each year's annual adjustment to the increased funding level of all ETCs with a total customer access base or total customer base of fewer than fifteen thousand (15,000) access lines or customers.

(4) Beginning July 1, 2013, the fund CAP shall be increased each year by the annual increase in the Gross Domestic Product Price Index or by three percent (3%) over the previous year's size group's CAP balance, whichever is greater.

(f) If the Gross Domestic Product Price Index is no longer in use, the price index used to replace the Gross Domestic Product Price Index shall be used to calculate the annual increases required by subdivisions (e)(4)(E)(ii)(b) — (e)(4)(E)(ii)(e) of this section.

(g) If a company's total access base or total customer base increases beyond the company's size group, the company shall continue to be treated as a member of its existing size group for a period of two (2) years from the date of the increase if notice of the increase is provided to the AHCF administrator within thirty (30) days of the increase.

SECTION 6. Arkansas Code § 23-17-416 is amended to read as follows:

23-17-416. Arkansas intrastate carrier common line.

(a)(1) Except as provided in § 23-17-404(e)(4)(D)(i)(b), beginning January 1, 2004, intrastate carrier common line charges billed to ILECs and underlying carriers shall be determined at the rate of one and sixty-five hundredths cents (1.65¢) per intrastate access minute.

(2) The carrier common line charge is not a tax and is not affected by state laws governing taxation.

(b)(1) Through June 30, 2009, the AICCLP operates as follows:

(A) Each underlying carrier's monthly payment to the AICCLP shall include the sum of the underlying carrier's share of the AICCLP's net revenue requirement for the remaining incumbent local exchange carriers, the underlying carrier's portion of the Arkansas Calling Plan Fund and Extension of Telecommunications Facilities Fund expense, and the AICCLP administrative expenses.

~~(2)~~(B) Each underlying carrier's monthly payment to the AICCLP shall be based upon the underlying carrier's proportionate share of Arkansas intrastate telecommunications services revenues and special intrastate ILEC revenues to the total Arkansas intrastate telecommunications services revenue and special intrastate ILEC revenues of all underlying carriers.

(2)(A) Beginning July 1, 2009, the AHCF administrator shall fund monthly to the AICCLP administrator the net carrier common line revenue requirement of the remaining AICCLP members, the total Arkansas Calling Plan Fund expense, and the total Extension of Telecommunications Facilities Fund expense.

(B) The calculated funds shall be transferred to the AICCLP administrator monthly in sufficient quantities to fund the monthly commitment levels of the AICCLP administrator's funding obligations, including administration fees.

(C) The AICCLP administrator shall notify the AHCF administrator of the funding requirement.

(D) If the net revenue requirement of the members of the AICCLP is reduced by federal or state law or federal or state regulation, the monthly net revenue requirement based on the average of the past three (3) months prior to the event's taking place will be received from the AHCF and shall not be under any cap requirements.

(3)(A)(i) An exiting ILEC that experiences a fixed carrier common line revenue shortfall for its carrier common line net revenue requirements may recover the shortfall through increases in local rates based on the total customer access base of the exiting company.

(ii) AICCLP members shall recover their carrier common line net revenue requirement by AICCLP rate adjustment and through the AICCLP.

(iii) If the fixed carrier common line revenue shortfall is distributed throughout the total customer access base, then each independent ILEC within the total customer access base shall receive from the distribution its share of the shortfall.

(B) An exiting ILEC that seeks to recover its carrier common line revenue shortfall is not required to recover equally from each class of customers.

(C)(i) An exiting ILEC may recover its fixed carrier common line revenue shortfall from any intrastate rate other than access charges.

(ii) Any AICCLP member may recover its AICCLP rate adjustment from any intrastate rate other than access charges.

(D) An exiting ILEC that reduces its carrier common line charge of one and sixty-five hundredths cents (1.65¢) may recover the shortfall through increases in local rates.

(4) This section shall not limit a carrier's ability to adjust its rates under § 23-17-406, § 23-17-407, or § 23-17-408.

(5) This section shall not limit a carrier's ability to increase its local rates under § 23-17-412.

(6) Any AICCLP rate adjustment charge shall not limit an AICCLP member's ability to adjust rates under § 23-17-412.

(7)(A) ~~No~~ A toll reseller shall not be required to pay to an ILEC or to the AICCLP any portion of an underlying carrier's common line net revenue obligation unless the ILEC is the toll reseller's underlying carrier.

(B) Unless agreed to otherwise between the toll reseller and the ILEC, if an ILEC is a toll reseller's underlying carrier, then the toll reseller shall report the special intrastate ILEC revenue to the administrator and shall pay all amounts due the AICCLP for the revenue.

(c)(1) The Arkansas Public Service Commission shall adopt all rules relating to the membership, operation, management, and administration of the AICCLP as it will be constituted after December 31, 2003.

(2) The commission may adopt rules under subdivision (c)(1) of this section after it appoints the members of the Arkansas Intrastate Carrier Common Line Pool Advisory Procedural Board and selects an AICCLP administrator.

(d) The commission may terminate a carrier's certificate of convenience and necessity if the carrier fails to comply with AICCLP procedures or fails to make a payment due under this section.

(e)(1) The commission shall choose an AICCLP administrator on or before June 1, 2003.

(2) The administrator shall manage the collection and distribution of the carrier common line net revenue requirements in accordance with the rules and procedures established by the commission and consistent with this section.

(3) The administrator shall enforce and implement all rules and directives governing the funding, collection, and eligibility for the AICCLP membership.

(4)(A) ~~The~~ Through June 30, 2009, the administrator shall determine the total monthly amount due to the AICCLP from AICCLP members, exiting ILECs, and underlying carriers, based upon the sum of the monthly carrier common line net revenue requirement of AICCLP members, funding requirements for the Arkansas Calling Plan Fund and the Extension of Telecommunications Facilities Fund, and the AICCLP administrative fees.

(B) Beginning July 1, 2009, the AICCLP administrator shall

determine the total monthly amount due to the AICCLP from the AHCF, based upon the sum of the monthly carrier common line net revenue requirement of AICCLP members, funding requirements for the Arkansas Calling Plan Fund and the Extension of Telecommunications Facilities Fund, and the AICCLP administrative fees.

(5) The administrator shall provide monthly and annual reports to the commission concerning the operation of the AICCLP.

(6) Any information considered proprietary by the administrator shall be treated as confidential unless the commission determines that the administrator erred in the determination.

(7) The AICCLP administrator and the Arkansas Universal Service Fund administrator may share confidential information to determine the amounts due or the accuracy of information submitted by ILECs and underlying carriers.

(8)(A) Any ILEC that was designated as a non-tier one ILEC under Acts 1997, No. 77, as of December 31, 1997, and had fewer than fifty thousand (50,000) access lines as of December 31, 1997, shall be eligible to be a member of the AICCLP beginning January 1, 2004.

(B)(i) Based on its total customer access base, the maximum that a non-tier one company under subdivision (e)(8)(A) of this section may draw shall be one million three hundred thousand dollars ($1,300,000) annually.

(ii) If a non-tier one company under subdivision (e)(8)(A) of this section is entitled to receive more than one million three hundred thousand dollars ($1,300,000) annually, then the administrator shall assess a prorated charge to each ILEC associated with the total customer access base that is based upon the ILEC's proportionate share of the total net revenue requirement of all ILECs within the total customer base.

(f)(1) Beginning January 1, 2004, no ILEC that had a total customer access base of more than fifty thousand (50,000) access lines as of December 31, 1997, shall be a member of AICCLP.

(2) An ILEC that had a total customer access base of fifty thousand (50,000) or fewer access lines as of December 31, 1997, may terminate its membership in the AICCLP after sixty (60) days' notice to the commission and the administrator and may not thereafter again become a member of the AICCLP.

(g)(1) If an ILEC terminates its membership in the AICCLP after January 1, 2004, its total customer access base must exit the pool as a single unit.

(2) If an ILEC terminates its membership in the AICCLP after January 1, 2004, its fixed carrier common line revenue shortfall shall be calculated using relevant data from the data development period identified in subdivision (h)(4)(B)(ii) of this section.

(h)(1) The administrator shall determine the amounts to be paid to AICCLP members on a monthly basis and shall determine any fixed or varying amounts due the pool from AICCLP members, exiting ILECs, ~~and~~ underlying carriers, and the AHCF.

(2) The administrator shall provide notice to AICCLP members and the AHCF administrator, other ILECs, and underlying carriers concerning calculations related to each entity and shall bill all carriers for any amounts due the pool.

(3) The administrator shall use the appropriate data development period to determine the calculations for AICCLP members' carrier common line net revenue requirement.

(4)(A) For each ILEC exiting the pool on December 31, 2003, the administrator shall use the appropriate data to determine the payment that the exiting ILECs shall pay the pool to fund their portion of the Arkansas Calling Plan Fund and Extension of Telecommunications Facilities Fund.

(B)(i) Except for AICCLP members exiting the pool after January 1, 2004, the data development period for all ILECs shall be the ILECs' billing months of June, July, and August 2003.

(ii) If an AICCLP member exits the AICCLP after January 1, 2004, its data development period to determine the ILEC's fixed carrier common line revenue shortfall shall be the three-month period immediately preceding its exit.

(iii) No later than the twenty-second day or the next business day thereafter of July 2003, if the twenty-second day falls on a weekend or holiday, and no later than the twenty-second day or the next business day of each month thereafter, if the twenty-second day falls on a weekend or holiday, each underlying carrier and AICCLP member shall report to the administrator its previous month's data necessary for AICCLP calculations.

(j)(1) On December 31, 2003, and the last business day of each month thereafter, the administrator shall cause notice to be sent to each underlying carrier, AICCLP member, ~~and~~ exiting ILEC, and the AHCF administrator of the amount due, based on the previous month's data as submitted to the administrator.

(2)(A) Each underlying carrier, AICCLP member, and exiting ILEC shall remit payment due under subdivision (j)(1) of this section to the administrator by no later than the last business day of the following month.

(B) The AHCF administrator shall remit the payment due to the AICCLP administrator by the tenth day of the following month.

(3) The administrator shall make all reasonable efforts to ensure that AICCLP members receive payment of their monthly net carrier common line revenue requirement by February 10, 2004, and by the tenth day of each month thereafter.

SECTION 7. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that rural and economically depressed areas of the state are in need of investment in telecommunications and computer services; that enhanced telecommunications service and the deployment of broadband facilities, technology, and infrastructure to provide broadband service is needed as quickly as the state's resources permit; and that this act contains requirements that need to take effect July 1, 2009, to promote measures designed to stimulate investment and increase the availability of telecommunications and broadband technology to rural and economically depressed areas of the state. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on July 1, 2009."

(SIGNED) SENATOR HORN

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 808 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Malone, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 402 at this time.

On motion of Senator Malone, Senate Bill No. 402 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 402

Amend Senate Bill No. 402 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting cause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 17-102-104 is amended to read as follows:

17-102-104. False advertising.

(a) ~~No~~ A person defined in § ~~17-102-104(4)~~ 17-102-102(4) ~~may~~ shall not solicit for patronage or advertise for patronage by any means whatever which is misleading, fraudulent, deceptive, or dishonest.

(b) It constitutes false advertising under this section for an acupuncturist as defined in § 17-102-102(2) to refer to himself or herself other than as a licensed acupuncturist, certified acupuncturist, acupuncture practitioner, or Oriental acupuncture practitioner.

(c) A person licensed or certified under this chapter shall not identify himself or herself as a doctor or physician.

(d) A violation of this section is grounds for disciplinary action under § 17-102-309(a)(4).

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 17-102-201(a), concerning the creation of the Arkansas State Board of Acupuncture and Related Techniques, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(5)(A) On a biennial basis beginning in October 2010, the board shall file a written report with the House and Senate Interim Committees on Public Health, Welfare and Labor.

(B) The report shall contain a certified copy of the minutes of all board meetings as required by § 17-102-205 for the calendar years 2009 through October 2010 and thereafter covering the period of time since the last report.

(C) The report shall contain a comprehensive assessment of the board's functionality including without limitation staff and office site adequacy and any other information as may be requested by the committees sufficient for the committees to make a recommendation to the Governor regarding whether the board should be continued or whether the board should be disbanded and abolished in accordance with a proclamation issued by the Governor.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 17-102-206(b), concerning the duties and power of the Arkansas State Board of Acupuncture and Related Techniques, is amended to read as follows:

(b) The board is authorized to:

(1) Make suitable bylaws for carrying out its duties under the provisions of this chapter;

(2) Sue and be sued;

(3) Have an official seal which shall bear the words “Arkansas State Board of Acupuncture and Related Techniques”;

(4) Provide a secretary's certificate. The certificate of the Secretary of the Arkansas State Board of Acupuncture and Related Techniques under seal shall be accepted in the courts of the state as the best evidence as to the minutes of the board and shall likewise be accepted in the courts of the state as the best evidence as to the licensure or nonlicensure of any person under the requirements of this chapter;

(5)(A) Adopt, publish, and, from time to time, revise such rules and regulations not inconsistent with the law as may be necessary to enable it to carry into effect the provisions of this chapter.

(B) All rules of the Arkansas State Board of Acupuncture and Related Techniques, including Title I, Title II, Title III, Title IV, Title V, and Title VI are repealed.

(C) All proposed rules after the effective date of this act shall be approved in writing by the Arkansas State Medical Board under Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, § 25-15-201 et seq., but before submission to the Administrative Rules and Regulations Committee of the Arkansas Legislative Council;

(6) Keep a record of all its proceedings, receipts, and disbursements;

(7) Adopt standards for applicants wishing to take the licensing examination and conduct examinations or contract with persons or entities to conduct examinations of applicants;

(8) Grant, deny, renew, suspend, or revoke licenses to practice acupuncture and related techniques for any cause stated in this chapter. Except as otherwise provided by this chapter, the board shall have exclusive jurisdiction to determine who shall be permitted to practice acupuncture and related techniques in the State of Arkansas; and

(9) Conduct disciplinary proceedings ~~as provided in~~ under this chapter.

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code Title 17, Chapter 102, Subchapter 3 is amended to add additional section to read as follows:

17-102-312. Legend drugs.

An acupuncturist as defined in 17-102-102(2) shall not prescribe, dispense, or administer a legend drug as defined under § 20-64-503.

17-102-313. Injections.

An acupuncturist as defined in §17-102-102(2) shall not administer an injection of a substance."

(SIGNED) SENATOR MALONE

Senate Bill No. 402 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 845 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Baker, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 845 was recommended for study in the Interim Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 974 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 974 was recommended for study in the Interim Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Miller, Senate Bill No. 898 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 898
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS MILLER, LAVERTY & BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVES ABERNATHY, CHEATHAM, COOK, COOPER, EVERETT, HOYT, PERRY & STEWART

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE RELATING TO FUNDING FOR ISOLATED SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 898 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B.

Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 898, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 898 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 896 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 896

As Engrossed: S3/11/09 S3/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND TITLE 6 RELATED TO PUBLIC SCHOOL FINANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 896 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B.

Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 896, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 896 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 429 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 429

As Engrossed: S3/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR STEELE

BY: *REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 429 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Glover, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Steele, Teague, R. Thompson, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 19

NEGATIVE: Altes, Bledsoe, Hendren, J. Key, B. Pritchard, Trusty, Whitaker.

Total 7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: G. Baker, Faris, Horn, B. Johnson, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, J. Taylor.

Total 9

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....26

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 429, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Glover, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Steele, Teague, R. Thompson, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 19

NEGATIVE: Altes, Bledsoe, Hendren, J. Key, B. Pritchard, Trusty, Whitaker.

Total 7

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: G. Baker, Faris, Horn, B. Johnson, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, J. Taylor.

Total 9

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 26

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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Senator Steele moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which the emergency clause on Senate Bill 429 failed be expunged.

The record pertaining to the vote by which the emergency clause on Senate Bill 429 failed was expunged on March 26, 2009.

Senator Steele moved that the vote by which the emergency clause on Senate Bill No. 429 failed be reconsidered.

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 429, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, B. Pritchard, Salmon, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 30

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Altes, G. Baker, J. Key, Miller, T. Smith.

Total 5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....30

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 429 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 889 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 889
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO PROVIDE A DETAILED REPORT OF NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH STUDENT CATEGORICAL FUND EXPENDITURES AND RESULTS FROM PROGRAMS FUNDED BY NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH STUDENT CATEGORICAL FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 889 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 889 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 345 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 345

As Engrossed: S2/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A SUPERINTENDENT'S EMPLOYMENT CONTRACT WITH A SCHOOL DISTRICT TO BE TERMINATED FOR CAUSE AND WITHOUT THE SCHOOL DISTRICT HAVING ANY FURTHER FINANCIAL OBLIGATION TO THE SUPERINTENDENT UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 345 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 345 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 499 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 499

As Engrossed: S3/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE REPORTING OF MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATORS WHO PASS A SCHOOL BUS ILLEGALLY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 499 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 499 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 500 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 500

As Engrossed: S3/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE SCHOOL BUS SAFETY EQUIPMENT GRANT PILOT PROGRAM TO ASSIST SCHOOL DISTRICTS IN EQUIPPING SCHOOL BUSES WITH VIDEO RECORDING DEVICES OR OTHER ELECTRONIC WARNING DEVICES TO REDUCE THE INCIDENTS OF DRIVERS WHO ILLEGALLY *PASS A SCHOOL BUS; TO CLARIFY THE USE OF A NOTICE OR WARNING DEVICE ON A SCHOOL BUS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

Senate Bill No. 500 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 500 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 885 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 885

As Engrossed: S3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE AN INTERIM STUDY OF THE AFFORDABILITY OF *HIGHER EDUCATION FOR UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS* IN THIS STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 885 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 885 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 880 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 880
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE DEFINITIONS REGARDING PRIVATE RESIDENT AND CORRESPONDENCE SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 880 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 880 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 871 at this time.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 871 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 871

Amend Senate Bill No. 871 as engrossed, S3/25/09:
Page 1, line 36, delete "Services" and substitute "Systems"

(SIGNED) SENATOR TEAGUE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 871 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 903 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 903

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

As Engrossed: S3/19/09 S3/24/09

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: TO ENACT THE INTERNATIONAL STUDENT EXCHANGE VISITOR PLACEMENT ORGANIZATION REGISTRATION ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 903 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 903 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, Senate Bill No. 955 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 955

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO STRENGTHEN VOCATIONAL AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION IN PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 955 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 955 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bookout, Senate Bill No. 926 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 926
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BOOKOUT, CAPPS, HORN, D. JOHNSON & R. THOMPSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES R. GREEN, CASH, INGRAM, KIDD & B. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE AWARD PROCEDURE FOR PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS BY INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 926 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 926 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 904 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 904
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE REVIEW OF LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE FINDINGS BY THE PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE STANDARDS BOARD FOR TEACHERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 904 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 904 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 792 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Pritchard.

On motion of Senator Faris, House Bill No. 1892 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1892

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW SCHOOLS OF COSMETOLOGY TO EXTEND THE HOURS OF INSTRUCTION DURING A SCHOOL DAY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1892 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1892 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Altes, House Bill No. 2050 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2050
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MAXWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A SETOFF AGAINST AN ARKANSAS INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX REFUND FOR A TAX DEBT OWED BY AN ARKANSAS TAXPAYER TO THE INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE; TO PROVIDE A PROCEDURE FOR A NONDEBTOR TAXPAYER TO CHALLENGE THE SETOFF OF A JOINT INCOME TAX REFUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2050 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2050 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 2039 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2039
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REGARDING SALES LIMITS FOR EPHEDRINE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2039 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2039 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, House Bill No. 1893 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1893
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT THE APPLICATION PROCESS FOR APPROVAL OF COSMETOLOGICAL SCHOOLS IN PUBLIC EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS IS THE SAME APPLICATION PROCESS THAT IS REQUIRED FOR APPROVAL OF ALL OTHER COSMETOLOGICAL SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1893 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1893 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Steele, House Bill No. 2032 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2032
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS EARTHQUAKE PROGRAM BY INCREASING DISASTER PREPAREDNESS AND DISASTER EVACUATION, SHELTERS, STOCKPILES, AND REBUILDING PLANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2032 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2032 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1920 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1920
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PLACE REASONABLE RESTRICTIONS ON YOUTHFUL CONSUMERS WHO UTILIZE TANNING FACILITIES; TO REQUIRE RECORD KEEPING AT TANNING FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1920 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE: J. Key.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1920 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1354 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1354
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODERNIZE THE ROLE OF THE COUNTY HEALTH OFFICERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1354 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1354 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1703 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1703
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE PATIENT PROTECTION AND ANY WILLING PROVIDER LAWS; TO REQUIRE THE STATE EMPLOYEE AND PUBLIC SCHOOL PERSONNEL SELF-FUNDED HEALTH BENEFIT PLANS TO COMPLY WITH ARKANSAS'S PATIENT PROTECTION AND ANY WILLING PROVIDER LAWS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1703 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE: B. Pritchard.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1703 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Taylor, House Bill No. 1879 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1879
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PIERCE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE PREPARATION OF A SPECIAL ABSENTEE BALLOT FOR QUALIFIED ELECTORS WHO ARE TEMPORARILY RESIDING OUTSIDE THE TERRITORIAL LIMITS OF THE UNITED STATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1879 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1879 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Malone, House Bill No. 1985 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1985
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CLEMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY LIABILITY FOR FAILURE TO RECEIVE WRITTEN APPROVAL FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES BEFORE DISPOSING OF FUNDS THAT SHOULD BE HELD FOR REIMBURSEMENT OF MEDICAID COSTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1985 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1985 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Malone, House Bill No. 1633 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1633
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF FOSTER PARENTS AND PREADOPTIVE PARENTS REGARDING CONSENT TO MEDICAL TREATMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1633 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1633 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 2212 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2212

As Engrossed: H3/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY WHEN EMPLOYEES OF NURSING FACILITIES ARE NOT REQUIRED TO INITIATE CARDIOPULMONARY RESUSCITATION FOR UNWITNESSED DEATHS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2212 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2212 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 2081 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2081

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL CERTAIN TAX CREDITS FOR BIOTECHNOLOGY AND ADVANCED FUELS; TO REPEAL THE ARKANSAS EMERGING TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 1999; TO AMEND THE CONSOLIDATED INCENTIVE ACT OF 2003; TO ADDRESS ELIGIBLE BUSINESSES; TO ESTABLISH A TIME FRAME FOR MEETING ELIGIBILITY; TO LIMIT THE ABILITY TO COMBINE INCENTIVES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2081 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2081 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1939 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1939

As Engrossed: H3/12/09 S3/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES SAUNDERS, WEBB, BARNETT, M. BURRIS, LOWERY, REEP, J. ROGERS, *BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, CARROLL, COLE, COOPER, L. COWLING, R. GREEN, M. MARTIN, MOORE, NICKELS, RAGLAND & J. ROEBUCK*

BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON, T. SMITH, *FARIS & WHITAKER*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE SUNSETTED MOTION PICTURE INCENTIVE ACT OF 1997; TO ESTABLISH THE DIGITAL PRODUCT AND MOTION PICTURE INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1939 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1939, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast..... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1939 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1488 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1488
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CARTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES OF PARTIES IN AN ASSET FORFEITURE ACTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1488 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1488 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1950 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1950

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY

BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE COMMUNITY MATCH INCOME INCENTIVE PROGRAM THROUGH THE ARKANSAS RURAL MEDICAL PRACTICE STUDENT LOAN AND SCHOLARSHIP BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1950 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1950 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 253 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Glover, and without objection, the Senate was requested to return Senate Bill No. 988 for further consideration.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

ARKANSAS SENATE

State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate
Senate Fiscal Officer
State Capitol, Room 320
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

March 26, 2009

The Honorable Jo Renshaw
Chief Clerk
State Capitol
Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Ms. Renshaw:

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate, of Senate Bill 988.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

On motion of Senator Glover, and without objection, the Senate was requested to return Senate Bill No. 989 for further consideration.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

ARKANSAS SENATE

State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate
Senate Fiscal Officer
State Capitol, Room 320
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

March 26, 2009

The Honorable Jo Renshaw
Chief Clerk
State Capitol
Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Ms. Renshaw:

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate, of Senate Bill 989.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 2052 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2052
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE SUFFICIENT DEPOSITS INTO A CEMETERY COMPANY'S PERMANENT MAINTENANCE FUND; TO DEFINE A LAWN CRYPT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2052 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2052 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 2055 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2055
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DISMANG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE CEMETERY ACT FOR PERPETUALLY MAINTAINED CEMETERIES, § 20-17-1001 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2055 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2055 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 871, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 871 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 871, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN
SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
SENATOR STEVE BRYLES
SENATOR RANDY LAVERTY
SENATOR BOBBY GLOVER

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 290 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 290

JBC 03/25/09(1)

Amend Senate Bill No. 290 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 21 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(19)	E060C	ED ASSOCIATE DIR CHILD NUTRITION	1	GRADE C129
(20)	G012C	ADE ASSISTANT TO COMMISSIONER	1	GRADE C129"

And

Page 2, line 24, (in Maximum No. of Employees Column) delete "12" and substitute "13"

And

Page 2, line 31, (in Maximum No. of Employees Column) delete "27" and substitute "28"

And

Page 3, line 2, (in Maximum No. of Employees Column) delete "8" and substitute "9"

And

Page 3, line 24, (in Maximum No. of Employees Column) delete "39" and substitute "43"

And

Page 3, delete line 25 in its entirety

And

Page 3, line 26, (in Maximum No. of Employees Column) delete "350" and substitute "354"

And

Appropriately renumber the items in SECTION 1

And

Page 6, line 12, delete "$ 595,191" and substitute "$ 706,261"

And

Page 6, line 13, delete "205,598" and substitute "238,656"

And

Page 6, line 15, delete "647,600" and substitute "672,100"

And

Page 6, delete line 21 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(05) REFUNDS/REIMBURSEMENTS	399,600
(06) AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT OF 2009	1,250,000"

And

Page 6, line 22, delete "$ 167,264,989" and substitute "$ 168,683,617"

And

Page 6, line 32, delete "$ 13,000,000" and substitute "$ 20,000,000"

And

Page 7, delete line 26 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(06) REFUNDS/REIMBURSEMENTS	1,110,000
(07) AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT OF 2009	314,600,000"

And

Page 7, line 27, delete "$ 523,777,555" and substitute "$ 838,377,555"

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 290 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 390 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 391 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1735 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1305 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1305 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1305
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEM FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION SYSTEMS WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN

ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 794 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1305 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1305, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1305 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1654 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1654 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1654
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, SUBSTITUTE EXPENSES, AND EXPENSE ALLOWANCE OF THE TRIAL COURT ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANTS OF THE CIRCUIT COURTS WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 481 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1654 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1654, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1654 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 745 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 745 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 745

As Engrossed: S3/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR INVESTMENT INCENTIVES TO ENHANCE THE ECONOMY OF THE STATE THROUGH TECHNOLOGY DEVELOPMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 745 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 745, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 745 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1364 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1364 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1364

As Engrossed: H3/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES M. BURRIS, *COOPER, DALE, GEORGE, R. GREEN, LEA, LOVELL, LOWERY, M. MARTIN, OVERBEY, POWERS, PYLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY & WELLS*

BY: SENATORS G. BAKER AND FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR GRANTS AND AID TO LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 229 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1364 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1364, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1364 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1685 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1685 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1685
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR ADDITIONAL PILOT STATE DISTRICT COURT JUDGESHIPS FOR THE AUDITOR OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1685 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1685, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1685 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1919 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1919 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1919
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW TO MEET THE REQUIREMENTS AND DEADLINES OF THE AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT OF 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1919 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1919, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1919 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13,
BY SENATOR WHITAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 3, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 353, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 493, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 494, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 780, BY SENATORS PRITCHARD AND ALTES ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 810, BY SENATOR HORN,
SENATE BILL NO. 836, BY SENATOR PRITCHARD,
SENATE BILL NO. 841, BY SENATOR BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 878, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 961, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,
SENATE BILL NO. 93, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 412, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 413, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 414, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 415, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 420, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 421, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 422, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 423, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 424, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 425, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:55 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 13
SENATE BILL NO. 3
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SENATE BILL NO. 420
SENATE BILL NO. 421
SENATE BILL NO. 422
SENATE BILL NO. 423
SENATE BILL NO. 424
SENATE BILL NO. 425

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 26th day of March, 2009 at 9:55 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Sarah Agee
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 342, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 770, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 839, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 980, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 808, BY SENATOR HORN,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Horn, Senate Bill No. 808 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1273, BY REPRESENTATIVE BLOUNT ET AL,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1680, BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1848, BY REPRESENTATIVE NICKELS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 366, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 458, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 475, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 550, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 552, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 553, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 554, BY SENATOR WHITAKER,

SENATE BILL NO. 555, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 591, BY SENATOR WHITAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 592, BY SENATOR WHITAKER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 613, BY SENATOR BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 614, BY SENATOR BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 615, BY SENATOR BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 616, BY SENATOR BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 621, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 622, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 623, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 624, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 625, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 642, BY SENATOR WHITAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 643, BY SENATOR WHITAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 670, BY SENATOR BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 671, BY SENATOR BAKER,

SENATE BILL NO. 684, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,
SENATE BILL NO. 699, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 700, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 704, BY SENATOR MALONE,
SENATE BILL NO. 706, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 707, BY SENATOR SALMON ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 710, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 729, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 731, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 733, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT AND,
BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON
SENATE BILL NO. 752, BY SENATOR MALONE,
SENATE BILL NO. 758, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 759, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 488, BY SENATOR KEY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 24
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES TO EXPAND THE AVAILABILITY OF SERVICES TO RELATIVE CAREGIVERS OF TRANSITIONAL EMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE CHILD-ONLY CASES.

Senate Resolution No. 24 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 25
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

SENATE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND HONORING DR. JOSETTA WILKINS FOR A LIFETIME OF SERVICE TO ARKANSAS AND HER DEDICATED PASSION TO SAVE THE LIVES OF WOMEN WITH BREAST CANCER.

Senate Resolution No. 25 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 402, BY SENATOR P. MALONE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Malone, Senate Bill No. 402 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 870, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1256, BY REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 26, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 290, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 290 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Senate Bill No. 988 was returned from the House as requested.

Senate Bill No. 989 was returned from the House as requested.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12 returned from the House as concurred in and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 804 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Received from the House

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1013
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE TYLER
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING MR. JIM DAVIDSON OF CONWAY, ARKANSAS, ON FOUNDING AND CHAIRING THE BOOKCASE FOR EVERY CHILD PROJECT AND FOR THE INVALUABLE ASSISTANCE OF EACH MEMBER OF THE CONWAY BOOKCASE PROJECT COMMITTEE.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1013 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1649
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE KIDD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE PRIVATE PROPERTY PROTECTION ACT TO ENHANCE THE PENALTIES FOR THEFT OF CERTAIN PROPERTY IN AN AREA DECLARED TO BE UNDER A STATE OF EMERGENCY BY THE GOVERNOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1649 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1799
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REGARDING DWI IGNITION INTERLOCK DEVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1799 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1830
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE B. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE FLEEING STATUTE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1830 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1943
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE B. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PENALTIES FOR AGGRAVATED ASSAULT AND MISDEMEANOR ASSAULT IF COMMITTED AGAINST CERTAIN PERSONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1943 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1975
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING BONDS OF REDEVELOPMENT DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1975 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2082
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE PERSONS CONVICTED OF DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED TO ATTEND A VICTIM IMPACT PANEL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2082 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2086
As Engrossed: H3/25/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE B. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO AMEND THE CRIME OF FINANICAL IDENTITY FRAUD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 2086 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2113
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENACT THE LIFE SETTLEMENTS ACT BASED UPON THE MODEL LEGISLATION OF THE NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF INSURANCE LEGISLATORS; TO REPEAL THE VIATICAL SETTLEMENTS ACT, ARKANSAS CODE § 23-81-601 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2113 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2170
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CARNINE, ABERNATHY, B. WILKINS, G. SMITH & MCCRARY
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE INTERVENTION AND PROFESSIONAL CONSULTATION UPON EARLY INDICATORS OF THE FISCAL DISTRESS OR FACILITIES DISTRESS OF A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2170 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2217
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE FLOWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE SAFETY ON PUBLIC ROADS AND HIGHWAYS BY CLARIFYING THE PROCEDURE TO BE USED WHEN A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER STOPS A DRIVER WHO IS IN VIOLATION OF THE REQUIREMENT TO MAINTAIN A VEHICLE IN SAFE MECHANICAL CONDITION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2217 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 179 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 449 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 460 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 470 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 515 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 516 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 806 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 873 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 934 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled as amended.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 934 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1858
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BETTS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS ARKANSAS LAWS CONCERNING THE REGULATION OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1858 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1913

As Engrossed: H3/24/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES LOWERY AND *HARRELSON*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A FORFEITURE PROCEDURE FOR TOBACCO PRODUCTS; TO ESTABLISH A TOBACCO CONTROL FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1913 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2013

As Engrossed: H3/20/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO PROVIDE A MECHANISM FOR NONPARENTAL RELATIVES TO CONTINUE THEIR RIGHTS AND VISITATION WITH A CHILD WHO IS INVOLVED IN TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS PROCEEDINGS AND IN THE CUSTODY OF THE DIVISION OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 2013 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2251

As Engrossed: H3/20/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES LOWERY, *G. SMITH & REEP*

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO GRANT THE POWER OF EMINENT DOMAIN TO MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENTS FOR THE CONDEMNATION OF INDUSTRIAL MANUFACTURING PLANTS EMPLOYING FIFTY OR MORE RESIDENTS OF THE CITY FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROTECTING JOBS AND PROMOTING INDUSTRIAL AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2251 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2252

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE KING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE SALES OPPORTUNITIES FOR ARKANSAS SMALL FARM WINERIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

House Bill No. 2252 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 345
SENATE BILL NO. 429
SENATE BILL NO. 499
SENATE BILL NO. 500
SENATE BILL NO. 745
SENATE BILL NO. 880
SENATE BILL NO. 885
SENATE BILL NO. 889
SENATE BILL NO. 896
SENATE BILL NO. 898
SENATE BILL NO. 903
SENATE BILL NO. 904
SENATE BILL NO. 926
SENATE BILL NO. 955

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1305
HOUSE BILL NO. 1354
HOUSE BILL NO. 1364
HOUSE BILL NO. 1488
HOUSE BILL NO. 1633
HOUSE BILL NO. 1654
HOUSE BILL NO. 1685
HOUSE BILL NO. 1703
HOUSE BILL NO. 1879
HOUSE BILL NO. 1892
HOUSE BILL NO. 1893
HOUSE BILL NO. 1919
HOUSE BILL NO. 1920
HOUSE BILL NO. 1950
HOUSE BILL NO. 1985
HOUSE BILL NO. 2032

HOUSE BILL NO. 2039
HOUSE BILL NO. 2050
HOUSE BILL NO. 2052
HOUSE BILL NO. 2055
HOUSE BILL NO. 2081
HOUSE BILL NO. 2212

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1939 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1014
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1017

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED
SENATE BILL NO. 179
SENATE BILL NO. 449
SENATE BILL NO. 460
SENATE BILL NO. 470
SENATE BILL NO. 515
SENATE BILL NO. 516
SENATE BILL NO. 804
SENATE BILL NO. 806
SENATE BILL NO. 873

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED
SENATE BILL NO. 934 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS CONCURRED IN ORDERED ENROLLED
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE AS REQUESTED
SENATE BILL NO. 988
SENATE BILL NO. 989

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1649
HOUSE BILL NO. 1799
HOUSE BILL NO. 1830
HOUSE BILL NO. 1858
HOUSE BILL NO. 1913
HOUSE BILL NO. 1943
HOUSE BILL NO. 1975
HOUSE BILL NO. 2013
HOUSE BILL NO. 2082
HOUSE BILL NO. 2086
HOUSE BILL NO. 2113
HOUSE BILL NO. 2170
HOUSE BILL NO. 2217
HOUSE BILL NO. 2251
HOUSE BILL NO. 2252

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1013

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Monday, March 30, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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SEVENTY-EIGHTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

March 30, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Reverend Quinton Gibson, St. James Methodist Church, Temple, Texas.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 840 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 840

Amend Senate Bill No. 840 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-1-301(b), concerning the membership of the Arkansas Commission for Coordination of Educational Efforts, is amended to read as follows:

(b) The Arkansas Commission for Coordination of Educational Efforts is composed of the following members:

(1) The Director of the Department of Higher Education;

(2) The Commissioner of Education;

(3) The Director of the Department of Workforce Education;

(4) The Director of the Division of Child Care and Early Childhood Education of the Department of Human Services or his or her designee;

(5) The Director of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission;

(6) The Vice President for Agriculture of the University of Arkansas System;

(7) The President of the Arkansas Science and Technology Authority;

(8) The Director of the Department of Information Systems or his or her designee;

(9) The Governor or the Governor's designee;

(10) One (1) public school administrator appointed by the Governor;

(11) One (1) public school teacher appointed by the Governor;

(12) One (1) president or chancellor of a four-year university appointed by the Presidents Council;

(13) One (1) president or chancellor of a two-year college or two-year branch of a four-year university appointed by the council;

(14) One (1) member of the board of trustees of a four-year university or system of colleges and universities appointed by the council;

(15) One (1) member of the board of trustees of a two-year college or branch appointed by the council;

(16) One (1) member appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate from a list of three (3) nominees submitted by the Executive Director of the Arkansas Education Association;

(17) One (1) member appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives from a list of three (3) nominees submitted by the Executive Director of the Arkansas Association of Educational Administrators;

(18) One (1) member appointed jointly by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate from a list of three (3) nominees submitted by the Executive Director of the Arkansas School Boards Association; ~~and~~

(19) One (1) representative of a predominantly black college or university in Arkansas appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives~~.~~;

(20) One (1) member appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives who is from the private sector and has an interest in science, technology, engineering, or math; and

(21) One (1) member appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate who is from the private sector and has an interest in science, technology, engineering, or math."

(SIGNED) SENATOR SALMON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 840 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 892 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 892

Amend Senate Bill No. 892 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 3-9-232 is amended to read as follows:

3-9-232. Inspection of premises and records of licensed premises and private clubs and the required filing of documents regarding nonprofit status of private clubs.

(a) No permit shall be issued under this subchapter unless the permittee has consented in writing that the licensed premises and its books and records shall be open at all times to all law enforcement and tax officials and officials of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division, the Alcoholic Beverage Control Enforcement Division, and the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration without

requirement of warrant or other legal process.

(b) No organization holding a permit under this subchapter shall market, sell, or otherwise furnish the names of its members or any other information pertaining to its members to any other public or private entity, except as provided in subsection (a) of this section.

(c) An organization holding a private club permit shall file with the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division on or before December 31 of each calendar year the following document or documents:

(1) The organization's statement, bearing the dated, stamped receipt verification by the Secretary of State required under § 4-33-131; and

(2)(A) The first page of the organization's federal tax form 990 covering the organization's previous tax year if the organization was required by federal law to prepare a form 990 regardless of whether the filing of the form with the Internal Revenue Service was required.

(B) The first page of form 990 may be submitted with all financial information redacted.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 3-9-234 is amended to read as follows:

3-9-234. Failure to pay renewal fees or taxes and failure to file documents regarding nonprofit status.

(a)(1) Except as provided in subdivision (a)(2) of this section if an organization holding a private club permit fails to file a document or documents required by § 3-9-232 and within the time required in § 3-9-232, the private club permit shall be revoked.

(2) The Director of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division may grant a period of time not to exceed sixty (60) days in which the permittee may comply with the filing required by § 3-9-232.

(b) If any permittee shall fail to remit any fee levied in this subchapter for the annual renewal of a permit within the time provided in § 3-9-223, the permit shall be revoked.

~~(b)~~(c) If any permittee shall fail to remit the supplemental tax upon gross receipts within the time provided in § 3-9-223, a penalty of twenty-five percent (25%) shall be due and payable. If such taxes plus penalty are not paid within thirty (30) days from the due date, the Director of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division shall revoke the permit of the permittee, and the Director of the Department of Finance and Administration shall seek recovery of the amount of such taxes and penalties due from the permittee."

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE BRYLES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 892 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 984 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 984

Amend Senate Bill No. 984 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 9 through 13 of the title and substitute the following:

"AN ACT TO REQUIRE STATE AGENCIES, BOARDS, AND COMMISSIONS THAT LICENSE OR OTHERWISE REGULATE HEALTH PROFESSIONS TO PROCURE AND REPORT DEMOGRAPHIC DATA REGARDING THE HEALTH CARE WORKFORCE IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 16 through 21 of the subtitle and substitute the following:
"TO REQUIRE STATE AGENCIES, BOARDS, AND COMMISSIONS CONCERNING HEALTH PROFESSIONS TO PROCURE AND REPORT DEMOGRAPHIC DATA REGARDING THE HEALTH CARE WORKFORCE."

And

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 25, Chapter 1, Subchapter 1 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

25-1-117. Demographic data report.

(a) A state agency, board, or commission that licenses or otherwise regulates a health profession shall procure demographic data regarding the health care workforce in this state, including without limitation:

(1) The Arkansas Board of Podiatric Medicine;
(2) The Arkansas Psychology Board;
(3) The Arkansas Social Work Licensing Board;
(4) The Arkansas State Board of Dental Examiners;
(5) The Arkansas State Medical Board;
(6) The Arkansas State Board of Pharmacy;
(7) The Board of Examiners in Speech-Language Pathology and

Audiology; and

(8) The State Board of Optometry.

(b) Each state agency, board, or commission required to procure data under this section shall procure accurate and efficient collection of data, demographic, and other information by defining the following categories on licensure applications, including without limitation:

(1) Age;
(2) City and county of residence;
(3) Educational institution of professional education and training;
(4) Ethnicity;
(5) Gender;
(6) Place of birth; and
(7) Race.

(c) Each state agency, board, or commission required to procure data under this section shall report the data on or before August 31 each year to:

(1) The Arkansas Center for Health Improvement;
(2) The Arkansas Minority Health Commission; and
(3) The Department of Health."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 984 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 985 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 985

Amend Senate Bill No. 985 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 9 through 13 of the title and substitute the following:
"AN ACT TO PROVIDE APPOINTMENT RECOMMENDATIONS FOR ARKANSAS STATE BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS THAT LICENSE OR OTHERWISE REGULATE HEALTH PROFESSIONS TO ENSURE THAT STATE HEALTH-RELATED AGENCIES, BOARDS, AND COMMISSIONS ARE COMPOSED TO REFLECT THE DIVERSITY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 16 through 21 of the subtitle and substitute the following:
"TO PROVIDE THAT EACH STATE HEALTH-RELATED AGENCY, BOARD, AND COMMISSION REFLECTS THE DIVERSITY OF THE STATE."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 20, Chapter 1 is amended to add an additional subchapter to read as follows:

20-1-101. Purposes.
The purposes of this subchapter are to:
(1) Provide appointment recommendations for Arkansas state boards and commissions that license or otherwise regulate health-related professions to ensure board and commission compositions that reflect the diversity of the State of Arkansas; and
(2) Ensure that cultural competency, health disparities, and other minority health issues are adequately represented in the health policy decisions determined by state health-related agencies, boards and commissions for the State of Arkansas.

20-1-102. Minority members of state health-related agencies, boards, and commissions.
(a) The appointing authorities for state health-related agencies, boards, and commissions shall consider appointment recommendations submitted by minority health-related professional associations.
(b) The recommending organizations under this section include without limitation:

(1) The Arkansas Medical, Dental and Pharmaceutical Association;
(2) The Arkansas Metro Association of Black Social Workers;
(3) The Arkansas Black Nurses Association;
(4) The National Association of Hispanic Nurses, Arkansas Chapter; and
(5) The National Pharmacists Association of Arkansas.

(c) Recommendations for appointments under this section shall:
(1) Be submitted to the appointing authorities at least thirty (30) days before the expiration of a position in a state health-related agency, board, or commission relevant to the field or practice of the recommending body;
(2) Be submitted to the appointing authorities anytime before the appointing authority fills a position that has opened due to resignation or removal before the end of the originally appointed term;
(3) Be submitted by an officially designated officer or committee on behalf of the recommending organization; and
(4) Include correspondence on official organizational letterhead and the resume or curriculum vitae of a recommended candidate.

(d) The health-related agencies, boards, and commissions that recommendations may be considered for under this section include without limitation:
(1) The Arkansas Board of Podiatric Medicine;
(2) The Arkansas Psychology Board;
(3) The Arkansas Social Work Licensing Board;
(4) The Arkansas State Board of Dental Examiners;
(5) The Arkansas State Medical Board;
(6) The Arkansas State Board of Pharmacy;
(7) The Board of Examiners in Speech-Language Pathology and Audiology; and
(8) The State Board of Optometry.

(e) This section does not change or affect any existing delineations for minority appointments."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 985 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 23 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 23

Amend Senate Bill No. 23 as originally introduced:
Page 1, delete line 5 and substitute the following:

"By: Senator Bledsoe"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DENNY ALTES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 23 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes the Senate rescinded its previous action in the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 23.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 940 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 940

Amend Senate Bill No. 940 as engrossed, S3/19/09:

Page 1, delete line 10 of the title and substitute the following:
"RECONSTRUCTIVE SURGERY FOR CRANIOFACIAL ABNORMALITIES UNDER CERTAIN"

AND

Page 1, line 24, delete "Reconstructive" and substitute "Craniofacial Reconstructive"

AND

Page 1, line 30, delete "and"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 31 through 36

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 3 and substitute the following:

"(2) "Health benefit plan" means any policy, contract, or agreement offered by an insurance company, health maintenance organization, or hospital and medical services corporation to provide, reimburse, or pay for health care services, but does not include the following:

(A) Workers' compensation coverage;

(B) Self-funded or self-insured health plans, unless the plan is established or maintained for employees of a governmental or church entity;

(C) Health plans covering specific diseases other than dental plans;

(D) Hospital indemnity insurance;

(E) Long-term care insurance;

(F) Short-term limited duration insurance;

(G) Accident only insurance;

(H) Medicare supplement insurance; or

(I) Other supplemental insurance;

(3) "Health insurance coverage" means benefits consisting of medical, pharmaceutical, optometric, surgical, or hospitalization, or other goods or services

for the purpose of preventing, alleviating, curing, or healing human illness provided, directly or indirectly, through insurance, reimbursement, or otherwise, including items and services paid for under any policy, certificate, or agreement offered by a health benefits plan;

(4) "Licensed physician or dentist trained in evaluation and treatment of specific craniofacial disorders" includes:

(A) A craniofacial orthodontist;

(B) A genetecist;

(C) A neurosurgeon;

(D) An ophthalmologist;

(E) An otolaryngologist;

(F) An oral and maxillofacial surgeon;

(G) A plastic and reconstructive surgeon; and

(H) A pediatric surgeon;

(5)(A) "Reconstructive surgery for craniofacial abnormalities" means surgery to restore, construct, or reconstruct pediatric and adult craniofacial deficiencies or abnormalities resulting from congenital defects, disease, trauma, or abnormal growth processes as defined by a licensed physician or dentist trained in evaluation and treatment of specific craniofacial disorders.

(B) "Reconstructive surgery for craniofacial abnormalities" includes secondary deformities arising from essential treatment and continued or disrupted growth of normal facial structures so as to establish an appearance or restore function consistent with standard facial structure and function.

(C) "Reconstructive surgery for craniofacial abnormalities" does not include:

(i) Cosmetic surgery when performed for purposes other than to improve function or restore an acceptable appearance of normalcy or symmetry; or

(ii) Dental services for the diagnosis or treatment of dental disorders or dental pathology primarily affecting the gums, teeth, or alveolar ridge; and

(6) "Standard facial structure" means the complex of skin, soft tissue, bone, including cranial deformations, mandible, and alveolar ridge, cartilage, teeth, nerves, and muscular structures that compose the human face and personal identity."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 5 through 7 and substitute the following:

"23-86-603. Coverage for reconstructive surgery for craniofacial abnormalities.

A health benefit plan that provides"

AND

Page 2, line 8, delete "reconstructive surgery" and substitute "reconstructive surgery for craniofacial abnormalities"

AND

Page 2, line 9, delete "necessary" and substitute "diagnosed"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 13 and 14 and substitute the following:

"This subchapter does not require a health benefit plan to provide coverage"

AND

Page 2, delete line 21 and substitute the following:
"(b)(1) To the extent allowed under federal law, for a health benefit plan maintained under one (1) or more"

AND

Page 2, delete line 28 and substitute the following:
"(2) To the extent allowed under federal law, a plan amendment made under a collective bargaining"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 940 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 844 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 844

Amend Senate Bill No. 844 as engrossed, S3/25/09:

Page 6, delete lines 1 and 2 and substitute the following:
"(A) ~~practice~~ Practice physical therapy;"

AND

Page 6, line 22, delete "physical therapy or physiotherapy unless" and substitute "physical therapy unless"

AND

Page 7, delete lines 8 through 10

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 844 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 814 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 814

Amend Senate Bill No. 814 as originally introduced:

Add as a cosponsor of the bill:
Representative Abernathy

AND

Page 2, delete lines 17 through 25 and substitute:
"each year of this determination.

(2)(A) However, at any time, the department may immediately notify a public school or school district failing to meet standards for accreditation for elementary and secondary schools when the failure is discovered by the department under § 6-15-202(i).

(B) A public school or school district notified by the department of the public school's or school district's failure to meet the standards for accreditation due to actions taken under § 6-15-202(i) shall have the same period of time to appeal to the state board as provided under § 6-15-203(b)(3)."

AND

Delete SECTION 8 of the bill in its entirety

AND

Page 6, delete lines 30 through 34 and substitute:

"(B)(i) At any time after March 30, the department may identify a school district as being in fiscal distress if the department discovers that a fiscal condition of a school district negatively impacts the continuation of educational services by the school district.

(ii) The department immediately shall provide the same notice required under subdivision (a)(1)(A)(i) to the school district identified under this subdivision (a)(1)(B)."

AND

Page 7, line 12, delete "September 30" and substitute "August 31"

AND

Page 7, delete lines 19 through 32 and substitute:

"(i) Students who:

(a) ~~reside~~ Reside within the boundaries of the school district ~~and~~;

(b) ~~who are~~ Are enrolled in a public school operated by the school district; and

(c) Are enrolled in a curriculum that fulfills the requirements established by the state board under the Standards for Accreditation of Arkansas Public Schools and School Districts;

(ii) Legally transferred students living outside the school district but are:

(a) ~~attending~~ Attending a public school in the school district under a provision of the Arkansas Code; and

(b) Are enrolled in a curriculum that fulfills the requirements established by the state board under the Standards for Accreditation of Arkansas Public Schools and School Districts;

(iii) Open-enrollment public charter school students who are enrolled in a curriculum that fulfills the requirements established by the state board under the Standards for Accreditation of Arkansas Public Schools and School Districts; or

~~(iii)~~(iv) Students who are eligible to attend and who reside within the boundaries of a school district and are enrolled in the Arkansas National Guard Youth Challenge Program, so long as the students are participants in the program."

AND

Page 8, delete lines 15-17 and substitute:

"(ii) Multiplied by the ratio of the uniform rate of tax to the school district's total millage rate in effect as of January 1 of the fiscal year prior to the current funding year."

AND

Delete SECTION 17 of the bill in its entirety

AND

Page 9, line 6, delete "student"

AND

Page 9, line 9, delete "student" and substitute "~~student~~ state categorical"

AND

Page 9, line 13, delete "identified"

AND

Page 9, line 18, delete "identified"

AND

Page 9, line 23, delete "identified"

AND

Page 9, delete lines 26 through 31 and substitute:

(B)(i) ~~Funding~~ National school lunch state categorical funding under this subdivision (b)(4) f~~or national school lunch students~~ shall be based on the ~~percentage determined in § 6-20-2303(12) multiplied by the number of the previous school year's enrolled students~~ number of national school lunch students for the immediately preceding school year determined under § 6-20-2303(12)(A).”

AND

Page 10, line 12, delete "student"

AND

Page 10, line 14, delete "student"

AND

Page 10, delete lines 15 and 16 and substitute:

“the immediately preceding school year, due to a percentage change in national school lunch students, the department shall adjust the funding to the school district in a transitional three-year period.”

AND

Page 10, line 18, delete "student"

AND

Page 10, delete line 23 and substitute:
"immediately preceding year, adjusted for changes to the funding rates in § 6-20-2305(b)(4)(A)."

AND

Page 10, line 25, delete "student"

AND

Page 10, line 33, delete "received by the school district;" and substitute ";"

AND

Page 10, line 36, delete "received by the school district;" and substitute ";"

AND

Page 11, line 4, delete "received by the school district;" and substitute ";"

AND

Page 11, delete line 17 and substitute:
"SECTION 18. Arkansas Code § 6-23-103(8), concerning the definition of an "open-enrollment public charter school" is amended to read as follows:
(8)(A) "Open-enrollment public charter school" means a public school that:

~~(A)~~(i) ~~That is~~ Is operating under the terms of a charter granted by the state board on the application of an eligible entity; ~~and~~
~~(B)~~(ii) ~~That may~~ May draw its students from any public school district in this state; and
(iii) Is a local educational agency under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, 20 U.S.C. § 7801, as it existed on the effective date of this subdivision (8)(A)(iii).
(B) "Open-enrollment public charter school" also possesses the same meaning as given the term "charter school" in the Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965, 20 U.S.C. § 7221i, as it existed on the effective date of this subdivision (8)(B);

SECTION 19. Arkansas Code § 6-23-104(a)(1), concerning requirements for the form of the charter for public charter schools, is amended to read as follows:
(a) A charter for a public charter school shall:
(1) Be in the form of a written contract signed by the ~~Commissioner of Education~~ Chair of the State Board of Education and the chief operating officer of the public charter school;

SECTION 20. Arkansas Code § 6-23-302(c)(1)(C), concerning an application for an open-enrollment public charter school, is amended to read as follows:
(C)(i) Within seven (7) calendar days following the first publication of notice required under subdivision (c)(1)(B) of this section, letters announcing the public hearing shall be sent to the superintendent ~~and school board members~~ of each of the public school districts from which the open-enrollment public charter school is likely to draw students for the purpose of enrollment and the

superintendent ~~and school board members~~ of any public school district that is contiguous to the public school district in which the open-enrollment public charter school will be located.

~~(ii) The letters to the school board members required in subdivision (c)(1)(C)(i) of this section shall only be required for each school board member whose name and mailing address is provided by the superintendent of an affected school district or by the Department of Education upon the request of the applicant.~~

~~(iii)~~(ii) An affected school district may submit written comments concerning the application to the state board to be considered at the time of the state board's review of the application;

SECTION 21. Arkansas Code § 6-23-304(c)(6), concerning the requirements for open-enrollment charter school applications, is amended to read as follows:

(6) Therefore, any charter applicant that receives an approved open-enrollment public charter may petition the state board for additional licenses to establish an open-enrollment public charter school in any of the various congressional districts in Arkansas provided that the applicant meets the following conditions, subject to the normal application, review, and approval process of the state board:

(A) The approved open-enrollment public charter applicant has demonstrated success in student achievement gains, ~~as defined by the state board~~ and has received in the category of annual school improvement or annual school performance a rating of three (3), four (4), or five (5) under § 6-15-2101 et seq.; ~~and~~

(B) The approved open-enrollment public charter applicant has not:

(i) Been subject to any disciplinary action by the state board;

(ii) Been classified as in school improvement or academic or fiscal distress; and

(iii) Had its open-enrollment public charter placed on probation, suspended, or revoked; ~~and~~

(C) The approved open-enrollment public charter school has operated as an open-enrollment public charter school for at least two (2) consecutive school years; and

~~(C)~~(D) The state board determines in writing by majority of a quorum of the state board present that the open-enrollment public charter applicant has generally established the educational program results and criteria set forth in this subdivision (c)(6).

SECTION 22. Arkansas Code § 6-23-306(6), concerning the contents of the charter of an open-enrollment public charter school, is amended to read as follows:

(6)(A) ~~Prohibit~~ Except as provided under subdivisions (6)(A)(i) and (ii) of this section, prohibit discrimination in admissions policy on the basis of gender, national origin, race, ethnicity, religion, disability, or academic or athletic eligibility, except as follows:

~~(A)~~(i) The open-enrollment public charter may allow a weighted lottery to be used in the student selection process when necessary to comply with Title VI of the federal Civil Rights Act of 1964, Title IX of the federal Education Amendments of 1972, the equal protection clause of the Fourteenth Amendment to the United States Constitution, a court order, or a federal or state law requiring desegregation; and

~~(B)~~(ii) The open-enrollment public charter may provide for the exclusion of a student who has been expelled from another public school district in accordance with this title~~;~~.

(B) Additionally, the state board may grant a charter with admissions policies that are consistent with federal law or regulation;

SECTION 23. Arkansas Code § 6-23-501(a), concerning funding for open-enrollment public charter schools, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) An open-enrollment public charter school shall receive funds equal to the amount that a public school would receive under § 6-20-2305(a) and (b) as well as any other funding that a public charter school is entitled to receive under law or ~~pursuant to~~ under rules promulgated by the State Board of Education.

~~(2) Funding for an open-enrollment public charter school shall be based upon the current year three-quarter average daily membership of the open-enrollment public charter school as follows:~~

~~(A) The initial funding estimate for each school year shall be based on enrollment as of July 30 preceding the school year in which the students are to attend;~~

~~(B) In December, funding will be adjusted based on the first-quarter average daily membership; and~~

~~(C) A final adjustment will be made after the current year three-quarter average daily membership is established.~~

(2)(A) For the first year of operation and for the first year the open-enrollment public charter school adds a new grade, the funding for an open-enrollment public charter school is determined as follows:

(i) The initial funding estimate shall be based on enrollment as of July 30 preceding the school year in which the students are to attend classes;

(ii) In December, funding will be adjusted based upon the first quarter average daily membership; and

(iii) A final adjustment will be made after the current three-quarter average daily membership is established.

(B) For the second year and each school year thereafter, the previous year's average daily membership will be used to calculate foundation funding and any enhanced educational funding amounts.

(3) National school lunch state categorical funding under § 6-20-2305(b)(4) shall be provided to an open-enrollment public charter school as follows:

(A) For the first year of operation, free or reduced-price meal eligibility data as reported by October 1 of the current school year will be used to calculate the national school lunch state categorical funding under the state board rules governing special needs funding; and

(B) For the second year and each school year of operation thereafter, the previous year's October 1 national school lunch student count as specified in state board rules governing special needs funding will be used to calculate national school lunch state categorical funding for the open-enrollment public charter school.

(4) Professional development funding under § 6-20-2305(b)(5) shall be provided to an open-enrollment public charter school for the first year of operation as follows:

(A)(i) In the first year of operation the open-enrollment public charter school shall receive professional development funding based upon the initial projected enrollment student count as of July 30 of the preceding school year in which the students are to attend, multiplied by the per-student professional development funding amount under § 6-20-2305(b)(5) for that school year.

(ii) For the second year and each school year thereafter, professional development funding will be based upon the previous year's average daily membership multiplied by the per-student professional development funding amount for that school year.

(5) The Department of Education shall distribute other categorical funding under § 6-20-2305(a) and (b) for which an open-enrollment public charter school is eligible as provided by state law and rules promulgated by the state board.

(6) An open-enrollment public charter school shall not be denied foundation funding, enhanced educational funding, or categorical funding in the first year or any year of operation provided that the open-enrollment public charter school submits to the department the number of students eligible for funding as specified in applicable rules.

~~(3)~~(7) Funding for an open-enrollment public charter school shall be paid in twelve (12) equal installments each fiscal year.

SECTION 24. Arkansas Code § 6-23-105(d)(1), concerning notice"

AND

Page 12, delete lines 32 through 35 and substitute:

"(2) The student agrees to physically attend the public school or open-enrollment public charter school for the purposes of taking:

(A) ~~a~~ A distance learning course taught or offered through the public school or ~~charter school~~ open-enrollment public charter school; and

(B) State tests and assessments required for the particular course or courses taken by the student; and"

AND

Add the following section as the last section of the bill:

SECTION 27. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that it is the state's constitutional obligation to provide a general, suitable, and efficient free system of public schools in the state; that the public school funding distribution changes in this act are needed to ensure that proper funding is provided to the affected public schools and school districts; and that this act is immediately necessary so that the affected public schools and school districts will receive the amount of funding for the school year that begins on July 1, 2009. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or

(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto.

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHANE BROADWAY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 814 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 863 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 863

Amend Senate Bill No. 863 as originally introduced:

Delete line 6 and substitute:
"By: Representatives Flowers, Cook"

AND
Page 2, line 4, delete "records" and substitute "records from state agencies"

AND

Page 4, line 13, delete "Division of" and substitute "Commission for Arkansas"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 3 through 22 and substitute:
"(e) The division shall work with school districts, state agencies, and state commissions to ensure that:
(1) All lawfully required inspections of academic facilities are performed, including without limitation scheduled, unscheduled, or emergency inspections of or concerning:
(A) Boilers;
(B) Electrical systems;
(C) Heating, ventilation, and air conditioning systems;
(D) Natural gas piping systems;
(E) Liquid propane gas systems;
(F) Plumbing systems, including without limitation reduced pressure zone valves;
(G) Indoor air quality systems;
(H) Fire prevention;
(I) Elevators;
(J) Occupational safety and health issues;
(K) Water wells;
(L) Asbestos; and
(2) The division receives the same report on the same date that a school district receives a report concerning a lawfully required scheduled or

unscheduled inspection or reinspection of an academic facility.
(f) If an inspection or code violation is reported in the course of an"

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHANE BROADWAY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 863 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 23, BY SENATOR ALTES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 23 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 814, BY SENATORS BROADWAY AND BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 840, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 863, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 814 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 840 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 863 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 844, BY SENATOR G. BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 892, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 984, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 985, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 844 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 892 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 984 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 985 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 940, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 940 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 138, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 164, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 209, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 826, BY SENATOR KEY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1845, BY REPRESENTATIVE STEWART,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1895, BY REPRESENTATIVE KERR,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2023, BY REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on , TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 2020, BY REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12,
BY SENATOR BRYLES, ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 179, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 449, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 460, BY SENATOR MALONE AND ALTES ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 470, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 515, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 516, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 804, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 806, BY SENATOR T. SMITH ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 873, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:20 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 12
SENATE BILL NO. 179
SENATE BILL NO. 449
SENATE BILL NO. 460
SENATE BILL NO. 470
SENATE BILL NO. 515
SENATE BILL NO. 516
SENATE BILL NO. 804
SENATE BILL NO. 806
SENATE BILL NO. 873

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 30th day of March, 2009 at 10:20 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J.D. Lowery
Secretary

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Resolution No. 19 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 19
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

SENATE RESOLUTION TO ENCOURAGE THE CONSIDERATION AND IMPLEMENTATION OF A FOUR-DAY WORK WEEK FOR STATE EMPLOYEES IF COMPATIBLE WITH THE MISSION OF A STATE AGENCY, BOARD, OR COMMISSION AND NO INTERRUPTION OF GOVERNMENT SERVICES WILL RESULT.

Senate Resolution No. 19 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1023 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1023
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING HEART GALLERY WEEK.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1023 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1023 was returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 23 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Altes the Senate rescinded its previous action in the adoption of Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 23.

Senate Bill No. 23 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 938 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 938

Amend Senate Bill No. 938 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 21 and 22 and substitute the following:
"for Medical Sciences;
(12) The Behavior Intervention Services Coordinator for the Department of Education;
(13) The Associate Director of Special Education of the Department of Education;
(14) One(1) public school Special Education Supervisor appointed by the Arkansas Association of Special Education Administrators;
(15) One (1) member to represent the Arkansas Children's"

AND

Page 2, line 24, delete "(13)" and substitute"(16)"

AND

Page 2, line 26, delete "(14)" and substitute"(17)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 938 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Malone, Senate Bill No. 932 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 932

Amend Senate Bill No. 932 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 20-22-901(b), concerning a volunteer fire department's duty to respond to fires, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) If the property is owned by a nonmember of the fire district, then the volunteer fire department shall be entitled to recover from the nonmember property owner the reasonable value of its services not to exceed the fair market value of the services rendered.

(2) A claim for services in responding to a fire involving only personal property shall be allowed only for personal property of nonmembers, and the claimed amount shall not exceed ~~five hundred dollars ($500)~~ eight hundred dollars ($800)."

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 932 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, House Bill No. 1485 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1485

Amend House Bill No. 1485 as engrossed, H3/16/09:

Add Senator Faris as a cosponsor of the bill.

AND

Page 23, line 31, delete "Conduct an annual forum" and substitute "Conduct meetings"

AND

Page 23, line 35, delete "forum" and substitute "meetings"

AND

Page 30, delete line 33 and substitute the following:

"this section unless its county election coordinator is"

AND

Page 31, delete line 30 and substitute the following:

"equal to the excess for the administration of elections in"

AND

Page 46, delete lines 19 through 25 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 4. Arkansas Code Title 19, Chapter 5, Subchapter 12 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

19-5-1236. General Elections Reimbursement Fund.

(a) There is established on the books of the Treasurer of State, the Auditor of State, and the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State a fund to be known as the "General Elections Reimbursement Fund".

(b)(1) The fund shall consist of filing and indexing fees collected under:

(A) § 4-9-525(a)(1);

(B) § 4-9-525(b)(6);

(C) § 4-9-525(d)(1) and (2); and

(D) Other funds as may be appropriated.

(2) The fund shall be used to cover the cost of general election expenses of the State Board of Election Commissioners under § 7-5-104.

SECTION 5. TEMPORARY LANGUAGE – DO NOT CODIFY. (a) The requirements of § 7-4-112(a) and (d) and § 7-5-104, as amended herein, are not

mandatory until May 21, 2012, unless appropriation and funding is authorized by law in the amount of at least one million five hundred thousand dollars ($1,500,000) from the General Improvement Fund to the State Board of Election Commissioners to reimburse the counties for costs of conducting the general election in 2010.

(b) If the funding under subsection (a) of this section is provided, § 7-4-112(a) and (d) and § 7-5-104, as amended herein, are mandatory as of May 18, 2010.

SECTION 6. Acts 2003, No. 1473, § 3, concerning the requirement that the Secretary of State periodically report the number of filing and indexing fees collected, is amended to read as follows:

The Secretary of State shall ~~report~~ periodically remit to the Treasurer of State the ~~number of~~ filing and indexing fees collected under Arkansas Code § 4-9-525(a)(1) ~~during the period from July 1, 2001, through June 30, 2013~~, and the Treasurer of State shall deposit ~~twelve dollars ($12.00) of~~ every such fee ~~in a separate account for the benefit of those circuit clerks who qualify under this section~~ into the General Elections Reimbursement Fund. ~~The proceeds in the account shall be distributed by the Treasurer of State at least quarterly to the county recorder cost fund of the counties of qualifying circuit clerks in the proportion that the total of the filing and indexing fees (other than fees charged solely for filing records related to collateral which is equipment used in farming operations, or farm products, or accounts or general intangibles arising from or relating to the sale of farm products by a farmer or crops growing or to be grown) collected by each qualifying clerk in calendar year 1999 under former chapter 9 of the Uniform Commercial Code bears to the total of those same filing and indexing fees collected by all qualified distributees. Said calculations shall be determined in a reasonable manner. The clerks qualified to share in these distributions shall be the circuit clerks of the counties who file with the Treasurer of State no later than September 1, 2001 a sworn record stating the total amount of the relevant indexing and filing fees of the kind described in this section collected by said clerks in 1999, and the Treasurer of State shall use these sworn records in computing the pro rata share of each qualified distributee~~ The fund shall be used by the State Board of Election Commissioners to cover the reimbursement of election expenses.

SECTION 7. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that with the implementation of new election procedures, the funds that will proceed from the establishment of the new fund established by this act are necessary to pay for general elections; and that this act is immediately necessary in order to implement the new procedures for election administration so that the procedures are in place for the upcoming elections. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on May 1, 2009."

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1485 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 791 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 791
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE DEPARTMENT AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK AS THE LEAD AGENCY AND ENTITY RESPONSIBLE FOR THE OVERSIGHT AND OPERATION OF THE ARKANSAS VICTIM ASSISTANCE ACADEMY AND RELATED TRAINING PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 791 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 791, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 791 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 850 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 850

As Engrossed: S3/10/09 S3/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY & M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO BROADEN THE HIGHER EDUCATION OPPORTUNITIES GRANT PROGRAM; TO PROVIDE NEED-BASED FINANCIAL AID FOR ALL COLLEGE-GOING INDIVIDUALS FROM LOW INCOME FAMILIES TO BE USED AT INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 850 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 850, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 850 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 852 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 852

As Engrossed: S3/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY & M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE TEACHER OPPORTUNITY PROGRAM; TO PROVIDE SCHOLARSHIPS TO TEACHERS RETURNING TO COLLEGE TO RECEIVE AN ADDITIONAL CERTIFICATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 852 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 852 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 853 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 853

As Engrossed: S3/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT

BY: REPRESENATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY & M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CONSOLIDATE THE TEACHER EDUCATION RECRUITMENT PROGRAMS BY REPEALING THE MINORITY TEACHERS SCHOLARS PROGRAM, MINORITY MASTERS FELLOWS PROGRAM, AND THE STATE TEACHER ASSISTANCE RESOURCE PROGRAM: TO CREATE THE STATE TEACHER EDUCATION PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 853 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 853 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 854 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 854
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY & M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MILITARY DEPENDENTS SCHOLARSHIP; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 854 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 854 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 855 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 855
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY & M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE CONTINUING ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR THE CHILDREN AND SPOUSES OF CERTAIN PUBLIC SERVICE EMPLOYEES IF THE PUBLIC SERVICE RESULTS IN DEATH OR PERMANENT AND TOTAL DISABILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 855 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 855, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 855 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 856 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 856

As Engrossed: S3/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY & M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FLEXIBILITY FOR THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN GOVERNOR'S SCHOLARS PROGRAM AWARDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 856 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 856, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 856 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 857 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 857
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY & M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL THE FACULTY/ADMINISTRATOR DEVELOPMENT FELLOWS PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 857 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 857 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

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On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 858 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 858
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY & M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS GOVERNMENT WORKER LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 858 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Faris, P. Malone, R. Thompson.

Total 8

NEGATIVE: Altes, Glover, Hendren, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, J. Key, Madison, Miller, B. Pritchard, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 16

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Elliott, Horn, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Salmon, T. Smith, Whitaker.

Total 11

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 24

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 858, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Faris, P. Malone, R. Thompson.

Total 8

NEGATIVE: Altes, Glover, Hendren, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, J. Key, Madison, Miller, B. Pritchard, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 16

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Elliott, Horn, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Salmon, T. Smith, Whitaker.

Total 11

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....24

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

* * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * *

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 858 and Emergency Clause failed to pass was expunged, on March 30, 2009.

Senator Broadway moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 858 and its Emergency Clause failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 876 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 876

As Engrossed: S3/17/09 S3/24/09 S3/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SAFETY COMMUNICATIONS ACT OF 1985; TO INCREASE RATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 876 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Glover, Horn, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, D. Wyatt.

Total 26

NEGATIVE: Altes, Hendren, J. Key, B. Pritchard.

Total 4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Faris, G. Jeffress, Laverty, Whitaker, Wilkinson.

Total 5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 30

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 876 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 789 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 789
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW MUNICIPALITIES TO ESTABLISH AN EFFECTIVE DATE FOR THE LEVY OF CERTAIN MUNICIPAL SALES AND USE TAXES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 789 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 789 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, Senate Bill No. 980 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 980

As Engrossed: 3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL INCENTIVES FOR TEACHER RECRUITMENT AND RETENTION IN HIGH-PRIORITY SCHOOL DISTRICTS; TO EQUALIZE TEACHER SALARIES BETWEEN HIGH-PRIORITY SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND HIGHER PAYING SURROUNDING SCHOOL DISTRICTS IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 980 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 980, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 980 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 342 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 342

As Engrossed: S2/17/09 S3/19/09 S3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

BY: *REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT CHILDREN IN CHILD CARE FACILITIES DURING EMERGENCIES; TO REQUIRE CHILD CARE FACILITIES TO FILE WRITTEN PLANS FOR EMERGENCY PROCEDURES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 342 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 342 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 870 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 870

As Engrossed: S3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PERMIT SOLID WASTE MANAGEMENT FACILITIES TO COLLECT AND CONVERT METHANE GAS FROM LANDFILLS TO ELECTRICITY OR OTHER ALTERNATIVE SOURCES OF ENERGY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 870 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 870 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 770 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 770

As Engrossed: S3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT PARTIAL REPLACEMENT OF MANUFACTURING MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT THAT IMPROVE MANUFACTURING EFFICIENCY, MODERNIZE EXISTING MACHINERY, OR ECONOMICALLY OR PHYSICALLY EXPAND AN EXISTING FACILITY, INCLUDING THE MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT THAT ACT AS A MOLD OR DIE TO DETERMINE THE PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS OF A PRODUCT, ARE EXEMPT FROM THE SALES AND USE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 770 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 770, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 770 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Bill No. 1984 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1984

Amend House Bill No. 1984 as originally introduced:

Add Senator Luker as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 2, delete lines 3 through 7 and substitute the following:

"(2) through midnight, December 31, 2012, the office of the circuit clerk in the county in which the debtor is located in this state if the debtor is engaged in farming operations and the collateral is ~~equipment used in farming operations, or farm products, or accounts arising from the sale of farm products~~ a farm-stored commodity financed by a loan through the Commodity Credit Corporation of the United States Department of Agriculture; or"

AND

Page 2, delete line 24 and substitute the following:

"(c) A"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 27 through 36 and substitute the following:

"(d)(1) Except as provided in subdivision (d)(2) of this section, if a debtor is engaged in farming operations and the collateral described in a financing statement is an agricultural lien or a security interest in equipment used in farming operations, farm products, or accounts arising from the sale of farm products, a filing with the circuit clerk of the county where a debtor is engaged in farming operations of a financing statement, a termination statement, or a continuation statement to extend the effectiveness of a financing statement is ineffective.

(2) If a debtor is engaged in farming operations and the collateral described in a financing statement is a farm-stored commodity financed by a loan through the Commodity Credit Corporation of the United States Department of Agriculture, a filing after midnight, December 31, 2012, with the circuit clerk of the county where a debtor is engaged in farming operations of the financing statement, a termination statement, or a continuation statement to extend the effectiveness of the financing statement is ineffective.

(3) The effectiveness of a financing statement that perfects an agricultural lien or a security interest in equipment used in farming operations, farm products, or accounts arising from the sale of farm products may be continued by filing a continuation statement with the Secretary of State before the financing statement expires."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 1 through 14

AND

Delete Section 3 in its entirety

AND

Page 4, line 27, delete “SECTION 4” and substitute “SECTION 3”

AND

Page 5, delete lines 3 through 7 and substitute the following:
“consists of one (1) page;
(2) Records filed with the circuit clerks pursuant to § 4-9-501(a)(2) — twelve dollars ($12.00), for filing and indexing the initial financing statement and termination statements, if the record consists of one (1) page; and”

AND

Page 5, line 8, delete “~~(3)~~” and substitute “(3)”

AND

Page 6, line 2, delete “SECTION 5” and substitute “SECTION 4”

AND

Appropriately number the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1984 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1706 at this time.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1706 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1706

Amend House Bill No. 1706 as engrossed, H3/9/09:

Page 2, line 12, delete "(5)" and substitute "(5)(A)"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 16 and 17 and substitute:

"Procedure Act, § 25-15-201 et seq.

(B) The policies and procedures for carrying out the sentence of death and any and all matters related to the policies and procedures for the sentence of death are not subject to the Freedom of Information Act of 1967, § 25-19-101 et seq., except for the choice of chemical or chemicals that may be injected, including the quantity, method, and order of the administration of the chemical or chemicals."

(SIGNED) SENATOR R. THOMPSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1706 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 23, BY SENATOR ALTES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Altes, Senate Bill No. 23 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 3
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF GEORGE CLYDE KELL AND IN RECOGNITION OF HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL.

Senate Memorial Resolution No. 3 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Salmon, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 839 at this time.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 839 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 839

Amend Senate Bill No. 839 as engrossed, S3/26/09:

Page 4, line 19, delete "pregnant, including during" and substitute "pregnant during"

AND

Page 5, line 21, delete "without the prisoner's or"

AND

Page 5, line 22, delete "detainee's prior written consent"

(SIGNED) SENATOR M. A. SALMON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 839 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 846 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 846
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE SIZE OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF A PUBLIC CORPORATION FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT; TO CLARIFY THE POWERS OF A PUBLIC CORPORATION FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT; TO CHANGE THE CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH A JOB TRAINING EXPENDITURE MAY BE MADE BY A PUBLIC CORPORATION FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 846 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 846 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 440 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 440
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXTEND THE LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE ON SUSTAINABLE BUILDING DESIGN AND PRACTICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 440 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 440 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 790 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 790
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING PER DIEM STIPENDS AND EXPENSE REIMBURSEMENT FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF CORRECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 790 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 790, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 790 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 921 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 921
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE SUSTAINABLE BUILDING DESIGN PROGRAM FOR STATE AGENCIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 921 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 921 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 867 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 867

As Engrossed: S3/11/09 S3/23/09 S3/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS FARIS, G. BAKER, GLOVER, P. MALONE, R. THOMPSON, WILKINSON & *D. JOHNSON*

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MCLEAN, NICKELS & J. ROEBUCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ETHICS REQUIREMENTS FOR LOBBYISTS AND PUBLIC OFFICIALS; AMENDING PORTIONS OF ARKANSAS LAW RESULTING FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1988, INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1990, AND INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 867 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 867 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 868 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 868

As Engrossed: S3/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SIMPLIFY AND CLARIFY THE METHOD OF DISTRIBUTION OF MONEYS RECEIVED BY THE TREASURER OF STATE FROM THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT FOR A SALE, LEASE, ROYALTY, BONUS, OR RENTAL OF OIL, GAS, OR MINERAL LANDS BELONGING TO THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AND LOCATED IN THIS STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 868 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 868 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 1005 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 1005

As Engrossed: S3/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT FOR MINORITY BUSINESSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 1005 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1005 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, Senate Bill No. 820 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 820

As Engrossed: S3/18/09 S3/19/09 S3/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CORRECT REFERENCES TO BIENNIAL SESSIONS IN THE ARKANSAS CODE TO CONFORM TO ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENT 86; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 820 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 820 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

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On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 799 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 799

As Engrossed: S3/24/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT, *MADISON, SALMON & H. WILKINS*

BY: REPRESENTATIVES RAINEY, T. BAKER, BLOUNT, CARROLL & L. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE ACCESS TO POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Madison spoke for the Bill.

Senator Jimmy Jeffress spoke for the Bill.

Senator Altes spoke against the Bill.

Senator Salmon spoke for the Bill.

Senator Taylor spoke against the Bill.

Senator Wilkins spoke for the Bill.

Senator Laverty spoke for the Bill.

Senator Elliott closed for the Bill.

Senate Bill No. 799 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Bryles, Capps, Elliott, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Salmon, Steele, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson.

Total 13

NEGATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Miller, B. Pritchard, T. Smith, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, D. Wyatt.

Total 21

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Crumbly.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 799 failed to pass was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on March 30, 2009.

Senator Elliott moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 799 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 871 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 871

As Engrossed: S3/25/09 S3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS ELECTRONIC RECORDS STUDY COMMISSION TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY ON AMENDING THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; TO SPECIFICALLY ADDRESS THE ISSUE OF BULK COMMERCIAL ACCESS TO ELECTRONIC OR COMPUTERIZED RECORDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 871 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 871 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS 72201

ROBBIE WILLS, SPEAKER
TIM MASSANELLI, PARLIAMENTARIAN, JO RENSHAW, CLERK

March 30, 2009

The Honorable Ann Cornwell
Secretary of Senate
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

The House of Representatives respectfully requests the return to the House, of House Bill 1393.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JO RENSHAW
Chief Clerk

JLR/jb

On motion of Senator Madison, House Bill No. 1393 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 1393 was ordered immediately returned to the House as requested.

On motion of Senator Bryles, House Bill No. 2007 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2007
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HYDE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: THE ARKANSAS CLEAN AIR ON CAMPUS ACT OF 2009; AN ACT TO PROTECT STUDENTS, EMPLOYEES, AND VISITORS AT STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION FROM SECONDHAND SMOKE ON CAMPUS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2007 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2007 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1808 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1808

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ALLEN, J. ROEBUCK, ABERNATHY, T. BAKER, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, CARNINE, CHEATHAM, COLE, COOK, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, GREENBERG, HARDY, D. HUTCHINSON, W. LEWELLEN, SAUNDERS, G. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER & WILLIAMS

BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS PLANNING PROGRAM ACT; TO LOWER EDUCATIONAL COSTS, SHORTEN A STUDENT'S TIME TO DEGREE COMPLETION, AND INCREASE THE OVERALL SUCCESS RATE OF ARKANSAS STUDENTS BY REDUCING THE NEED FOR REMEDIATION; TO ENSURE THAT STUDENTS HAVE THE CAREER READINESS SKILLS TO COMPETE IN THE GLOBAL ECONOMY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1808 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34
Necessary to the passage of the bill 18
So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1808 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1990 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1990
As Engrossed: H3/13/09 S3/24/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, D. HUTCHINSON, M. BURRIS, CARNINE, CLEMMER, COLE, NICKELS, SAUNDERS, G. SMITH, STEWART & *ABERNATHY*
BY: SENATORS G. BAKER AND MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE CLEAR EXIT STANDARDS FOR ALL REMEDIAL COURSES TAKEN AT STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; TO IMPROVE THE TEACHING TECHNIQUES OF REMEDIAL COURSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1990 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1990 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 2014 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2014

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE DISCLOSURE OF CONTRACTS BETWEEN STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER

EDUCATION AND EMPLOYEES HAVING A FINANCIAL INTEREST; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2014 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2014 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1996 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1996

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, J. BURRIS, T. BRADFORD, CHEATHAM, J. DICKINSON, NIX & STEWART

BY: SENATORS J. JEFFRESS AND BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE OPPORTUNITY FOR SCHOOL COUNSELORS TO BECOME SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1996 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1996 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 2256 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2256
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MAXWELL
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SPECIFY THAT BIOMASS GROWN FOR THE PURPOSE OF BIOFUEL PRODUCTION IS NOT SUBJECT TO A SEVERANCE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2256 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2256 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1881 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1881
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE FAIR MORTGAGE LENDING ACT, § 23-39-501 ET SEQ.; TO REVISE BONDING, REPORTING, RECORDS, PROHIBITED ACTIVITIES, PENALTIES, AND OTHER PROVISIONS OF THE FAIR MORTGAGE LENDING ACT, § 23-39-501 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1881 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1881 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, House Bill No. 1646 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1646

As Engrossed: H3/12/09 S3/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE AT LEAST ONE (1) POLLING PLACE IN EACH COUNTY FOR SCHOOL ELECTIONS WHEN A SCHOOL DISTRICT HAS TERRITORY IN MULTIPLE COUNTIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1646 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1646 held in the Chamber.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1848 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1848

As Engrossed: S3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE NICKELS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ENHANCED PENALTIES FOR OFFENSES COMMITTED IN THE PRESENCE OF A CHILD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1848 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1848 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Bill No. 1256 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1256

As Engrossed: H3/16/09 S3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING RACING MOTOR VEHICLES ON PUBLIC HIGHWAYS, OBSERVING A RACE AS A SPECTATOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1256 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: Altes.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1256 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 1273 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1273

As Engrossed: H2/18/09 H2/27/09 S3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES BLOUNT, ALLEN, T. BAKER, CASH, DAVIS, HARDY, HOUSE, HOYT, W. LEWELLEN, J. ROEBUCK, SHELBY, STEWART & *PIERCE*

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ELLIOTT AND STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A PILOT PROGRAM FOR MOBILE LEARNING TECHNOLOGY IN PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1273 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1273 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Bill No. 1942 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1942

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A CITY THAT ADJOINS A BORDER CITY THAT IS SEPARATED BY A NAVIGABLE RIVER FROM A CITY IN ANOTHER STATE TO SELL CIGARETTES AT THE RATE USED BY THE BORDER CITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Bill No. 1942 was pulled down.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Bill No. 1955 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1955

As Engrossed: H3/11/09 H3/17/09 H3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE AUTHORIZATION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE SALES FOR CERTAIN LARGE ATTENDANCE FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Bill No. 1955 was pulled down.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1680 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1680

As Engrossed: S3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT A STATE EMPLOYEE WHO PREVIOUSLY WORKED FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT OR INSTITUTION OF HIGHER LEARNING IS ELIGIBLE FOR CATASTROPHIC LEAVE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1680 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1680 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Key, House Bill No. 2201 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2201

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE LEA

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING MEMBERS OF A BOARD OF CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSIONERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2201 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2201 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bookout, House Bill No. 2230 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2230
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE TO ESTABLISH EMPLOYMENT AND INVESTMENT THRESHOLDS FOR COMPLIANCE FOR WINDMILL BLADE AND WINDMILL COMPONENT MANUFACTURERS; TO PROVIDE FOR INCENTIVES FOR WINDMILL BLADE AND COMPONENT MANUFACTURERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2230 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2230 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 205 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 205

JBC 03/26/09(1)

Amend Senate Bill No. 205 as engrossed, S3/23/09:

Page 2, line 14, delete " 2 " and substitute " 3 "
AND
Page 2, line 18, delete " 17 " and substitute " 20 "
AND
Page 2, delete line 19 and insert therefore:
"(16) D052C SOFTWARE SUPPORT ANALYST 4 GRADE C121
(17) A052C ACCOUNTING COORDINATOR 1 GRADE C121"
AND
Page 2, line 25, delete “48” and substitute “54”
AND
Appropriately renumber the Item Numbers in Section 1
AND
Immediately following Section 13, insert the following new sections:
" SECTION 14. APPROPRIATION - WEB BASED APPLICATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Higher Education, to be payable from the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, for personal services and operating expenses associated with web based applications of the Department of Higher Education for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010
(01)	WEB BASED APPLICATIONS PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSE	$ 800,000

SECTION 15. APPROPRIATION - SCHOLARSHIP ADMINISTRATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Higher Education, to be payable from the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Higher Education - Scholarship Administration for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010
(01)	REGULAR SALARIES	$ 296,917
(02)	PERSONAL SERV MATCHING	111,359
(03)	MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	315,000
	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	0
	(C) PROF. FEES	0
	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
	(E) DATA PROC.	0
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	$ 723,276

SECTION 16. APPROPRIATION - SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS

CONTINGENCY. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Higher Education, to be payable from the Higher Education Grants Fund Account, for transfer to the various scholarship and grant appropriations authorized in this act, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the sum of ..... $20,000,000.

SECTION 17. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. HIGHER EDUCATION GRANTS FUND ACCOUNT SET-ASIDE. Immediately upon the effective date of this act, the Director of the Department of Higher Education shall set-aside in reserve twenty million dollars ($20,000,000), or so much thereof as is available, of the un-obligated balance in the Department of Higher Education Grants Fund Account, for the sole purpose of funding lottery scholarship and grant programs administered by the department in the event the department determines that less than a sufficient amount of moneys are available from the net lottery proceeds to fund such scholarships or grants or both.

Any moneys set–aside in the Department of Higher Education Grants Fund Account that are utilized to fund scholarships or grants or both as authorized herein shall be reimbursed by the Arkansas Lottery Commission from the net lottery proceeds and credited to the Department of Higher Education Grants Fund Account.

SECTION 18. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. SCHOLARSHIPS AND GRANTS CONTINGENCY APPROPRIATION TRANSFER. In the event the Director of the Department of Higher Education determines that the dollar amount of scholarships or grants or both committed by the Department of Higher Education makes it necessary for the Director to request approval of the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State to transfer an amount of appropriation from the Scholarships and Grants Contingency Appropriation authorized in this act, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall, upon recommendation of the Arkansas Lottery Commission Legislative Oversight Committee and review by the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee, transfer on his or her books and those of the State Treasurer and Auditor of State the amount of appropriation from the Scholarships and Grants Contingency Appropriation to the appropriate scholarship or grant, or both, appropriation authorized by this act."

And

Appropriately renumber the subsequent sections.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 205 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 291 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 291

JBC 03/26/09(1)

Amend Senate Bill No. 291 as engrossed, S3/23/09:

Page 2, line 4, delete "1,618,030" and substitute "5,118,030"

And

Page 2, line 19, delete "15,316,744" and substitute "15,623,079"

And

Page 2, line 29, delete "137,000" and substitute "227,000"

And

Page 2, line 34, delete "6,093,500" and substitute "7,475,840"

And

Page 2, line 35, delete "158,642,907" and substitute "161,071,480"

And

Page 3, line 1, delete "23,079,074" and substitute "23,279,850"

And

Page 3, line 4, delete "13,516,231" and substitute "15,188,254"

And

Page 3, line 17, delete "780,000" and substitute "1,027,858"

And

Page 3, delete line 27 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(65)	YOUTH SHELTERS	165,000
(66)	COORDINATED SCHOOL HEALTH	3,000,000
(67)	SCHOOL FACILITY JOINT USE SUPPORT	1,000,000
(68)	SMART CORE INCENTIVE FUNDING PROGRAM	3,000,000"

And

Page 3, line 28, delete "$2,598,705,721" and substitute "$2,615,533,626"

And

Add the following new SECTIONS immediately following SECTION 5 to read as follows:

"SECTION 6. APPROPRIATION - SUPPLEMENTAL - AT RISK. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Education, to be payable from the Department of Education Public School Fund Account, for At Risk Program grants and aid to local school districts by the Department of Education which shall be supplemental and in addition to those funds appropriated in Section 1, of Act 229 of 2007, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2008-2009
(01) AT RISK	$ 3,500,000

SECTION 7. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. FUNDING TRANSFER. On the effective date of this act the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall transfer on his books and those of the State Treasurer and the State Auditor, the sum of seven million dollars ($7,000,000) from the General Revenue Allotment Reserve Fund to the Department of Education Public School Fund Account. The amount transferred shall be made available by the Department of Education during the 2009-2010 fiscal year to provide additional funding for expansion of the College Preparatory Enrichment Program."

And

Page 10, line 9, delete "ten " and substitute "one hundred"

And

Page 10, line 9, delete "($10,000) " and substitute "($100,000)"

And

Page 10, line 11, delete "one hundred thirty ~~two~~ seven " and substitute "~~one hundred thirty two~~ two hundred twenty-seven"

And

Page 10, line 12, delete "($137,000) " and substitute "($227,000)"

And

Delete SECTION 31 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"SECTION 33. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than one (1) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2009 is essential to the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided; with the exception that SECTION 6 in this Act shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval, and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2009, with the exception that SECTION 6 in this Act shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval, could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision

of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2009; with the exception that SECTION 6 in this Act shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval."
And
Appropriately renumber the SECTIONS of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 291 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 298 was ordered withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 298

JBC 03/26/09(71)

Amend Senate Bill No. 298 as engrossed, S2/23/09:

Page 3, line 30, delete "$ 0" and substitute "$ 2,200,000"
And

Page 4, line 1, delete "$ 490,255,904" and substitute "$ 492,455,904"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 298 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 417 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 5.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 5 to SENATE BILL NO. 417

JBC 03/26/09(1)

Amend Senate Bill No. 417 as engrossed, S3/25/09:

Following Section 17, insert a new section:

" SECTION 18. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. UAMS - CENTER FOR DENTAL EDUCATION. There is hereby established a new center in Arkansas for Dental Education in cooperation with the University of Tennessee Dental School, the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences and Arkansas Children's Hospital. The Center Shall be known as the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences Center for Dental Education.

The Center will facilitate the continued development of dental education, its specialties and services for the citizens of Arkansas.

No appropriation is requested at this time and UAMS will not assume responsibility for its funding until such time as the General Assembly appropriates and funds the Center."

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent sections.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 417 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 418 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 418

JBC 03/26/09(1)

Amend Senate Bill No. 418 as engrossed, S3/10/09:

Page 11, line 11, delete the underline

AND

Page 11, delete line 12 and insert therefore:

"(06) HEMINGWAY-PFEIFER HOUSE, TENANT FARMERS MUSEUM, LAKEPORT PLANTATION, AND THE HERITAGE CENTER EXPENSES	350,000
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	$ 65,678,281"

AND

Page 11, delete line 22 and insert therefore:

"(1) JONESBORO CAMPUS	$63,084,200"

AND

Page 11, delete line 24 and insert therefore:

" TOTAL AMOUNT ALLOCATED	$65,678,281"

AND

Following SECTION 5, insert a new section:

" SECTION 6. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. Any additional funds received by ASU - Jonesboro may be utilized to fund the appropriation authorized for Hemingway-Pfeifer House, Tenant Farmers Museum, Lakeport Plantation, and the Heritage Center expenses.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010."

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent sections.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 418 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 478 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 478

Amend Senate Bill No. 478 as engrossed, S3/3/09:

Page 1, line 28, between the words "updates," and "equipment" insert "operations, personal services, construction, renovations, furnishings, capital outlay, maintenance,"

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 478 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 630 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 630

Amend Senate Bill No. 630 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 29, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$2,000,000"

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 630 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 488 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 488

JBC 03/26/09(74)

Amend Senate Bill No. 488 as engrossed, S2/26/09:

Add Representatives Ragland and King as co-sponsors

AND

Page 1, line 11, between the words "FOR" and "CONSTRUCTION", insert "PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATIONS,"

AND

Page 1, line 12, between the words "CENTER" and "AND", insert ", VARIOUS CAMPUSES, THE AGRICULTURE AND RODEO PROGRAM,"

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"AN ACT FOR THE NORTH ARKANSAS COLLEGE - CAMPUS CENTER, VARIOUS CAMPUSES, AGRICULTURE/RODEO PROGRAM EXPENSES, AND CAMPUS TOWER ENERGY UPGRADES GENERAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 32 and 33 entirely and substitute:
" (B) For construction, renovation, equipment, acquisition, furnishing, personal services, maintenance and operations expenses of the Searcy county campuses, the sum of ..... $50,000.
(C) For personal services, operations and equipment acquisition expenses of the Northark Agriculture and Rodeo Program, the sum of ..... $25,000."

AND

Insert a new section following Section 1:
" SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION - CASH FUNDS - AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT. There is hereby appropriated, to the North Arkansas College, to be payable from cash funds as defined by Arkansas Code 19-4-801 of the North Arkansas College, for the Center Campus Tower - HVAC Energy Efficiency Upgrades of the North Arkansas College for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010	
(01)	CENTER CAMPUS TOWER - HVAC ENERGY EFFICIENCY UPGRADES	$ 2,000,000"

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent sections.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 488 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 246 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 246 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 246
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS MINORITY HEALTH COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 246 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 246, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 246 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 643 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 643 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 643
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 643 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 643, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 643 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Madison and without objection, the Governor requested to return Senate Bill No. 77 for further consideration.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 671 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 671 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 671
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ACT 117 OF 2009, THE ACT TO REAPPROPRIATE THE BALANCES OF CAPITAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - AND ITS VARIOUS DIVISIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 671 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 671, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 671 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 710 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 710 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 710
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 1242 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 710 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 710, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Trusty.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 710 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

March 27, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on March 27, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Concurrent Resolution 013

Senate Bill 003 - ACT 651

Senate Bill 054 - ACT 652

Senate Bill 064 - ACT 653

Senate Bill 072 - ACT 654

Senate Bill 073 - ACT 655

Senate Bill 093 - ACT 656

Senate Bill 140 - ACT 657

Senate Bill 192 - ACT 658

Senate Bill 353 - ACT 659

Senate Bill 379 - ACT 660

Senate Bill 396 - ACT 661

Senate Bill 412 - ACT 662

Senate Bill 413 - ACT 663

Senate Bill 414 - ACT 664

Senate Bill 415 - ACT 665

Senate Bill 420 - ACT 666
Senate Bill 421 - ACT 667
Senate Bill 422 - ACT 668
Senate Bill 423 - ACT 669
Senate Bill 424 - ACT 670
Senate Bill 425 - ACT 671
Senate Bill 446 - ACT 672
Senate Bill 447 - ACT 673
Senate Bill 493 - ACT 674
Senate Bill 494 - ACT 675
Senate Bill 663 - ACT 676
Senate Bill 767 - ACT 677
Senate Bill 773 - ACT 678
Senate Bill 780 - ACT 679
Senate Bill 810 - ACT 680
Senate Bill 830 - ACT 681
Senate Bill 836 - ACT 682
Senate Bill 878 - ACT 683
Senate Bill 961 - ACT 684
Senate Bill 437 - ACT 688
Senate Bill 143 - ACT 689

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

March 30, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on March 30, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill 038 - ACT 693
Senate Bill 841 - ACT 694
Senate Bill 875 - ACT 695

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 26
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON CHILDREN AND YOUTH CONDUCT AN INTERIM STUDY ON THE ISSUE OF GRANDPARENTS RAISING GRANDCHILDREN AND THE FEASIBILITY OF PROVIDING A SUBSIDY TO LOW TO MODERATE INCOME GRANDPARENTS RAISING GRANDCHILDREN.

Senate Resolution No. 26. was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on Calendar.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

Senate BILL NO. 839, BY SENATOR SALMON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

Upon motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 839 was re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

. ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 932, BY SENATOR MALONE,
SENATE BILL NO. 938, BY SENATORS D. JOHNSON AND SALMON

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1485, REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, House Bill No. 1485 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1706, REPRESENTATIVE PIERCE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1706 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Senate Bill No. 776 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 776 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Senate Bill No. 847 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 847 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Senate Bill No. 41 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 87 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 144 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 567 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 744 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 746 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 399 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 410 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 464 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 702 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 786 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 788 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 801 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 882 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 942 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 526 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 163 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 165 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 190 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 243 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 373 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 769 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 781 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 785 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 809 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 819 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 923 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 936 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 937 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 975 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 1001 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

House Bill 1852, BY REPRESENTATIVE BREEDLOVE

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 918 BY SENATOR SALMON

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

House Bill 2114, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK,
House Bill 2170, BY REPRESENTATIVE CARNINE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill 958, BY SENATOR CAPPS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRACY STEELE
VICE CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

Senate BILL NO. 205, BY COMMITTEE ON JOINT BUDGET,
Senate BILL NO. 291, BY COMMITTEE ON JOINT BUDGET,
Senate BILL NO. 298, BY COMMITTEE ON JOINT BUDGET,
Senate BILL NO. 417, BY COMMITTEE ON JOINT BUDGET,
Senate BILL NO. 418, BY COMMITTEE ON JOINT BUDGET,
Senate BILL NO. 478, BY COMMITTEE ON JOINT BUDGET,
Senate BILL NO. 630, BY COMMITTEE ON JOINT BUDGET,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 205 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 291 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 298 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 417 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 418 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 478 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 630 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

Senate BILL NO. 488, BY SENATORS J. KEY AND LAVERTY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

House BILL NO. 1984, BY REPRESENTATIVE DUNN,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 402, BY SENATOR P. MALONE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRACY STEELE
VICE CHAIRMAN

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1079
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1079 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1448
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - ARKANSAS COMMISSION FOR THE NEWBORN UMBILICAL CORD BLOOD INITIATIVE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1448 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1486
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF COUNTY OPERATIONS FOR THE EMERGENCY SHELTER VOUCHER PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1486 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1574
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WOODS, T. ROGERS, CASH & BAIRD
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE - HISTORIC PRESERVATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES, GRANTS AND OTHER ASSOCIATED COSTS OF THE ARKANSAS CIVIL WAR SESQUICENTENNIAL PROJECT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1574 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1615
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR THE ARKANSAS CYBERINFRASTRUCTURE INITIATIVE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1615 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1616
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR THE ARKANSAS COMMISSION FOR THE NEWBORN UMBILICAL CORD BLOOD INITIATIVE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1616 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1617
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR COMMUNICATION CENTER TECHNOLOGY GRANTS, TRUNKING RADIO SYSTEM GRANTS, AND MOBILE DATA COMPUTER SYSTEMS GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1617 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1618
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR ENHANCED TECHNOLOGY GRANTS TO SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1618 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1639
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WOODS, CARNINE & HOUSE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE NORTHWEST TECHNICAL INSTITUTE FOR BUILDING AND PARKING LOT REPAIRS AND IMPROVEMENTS AND TECHNOLOGY UPGRADES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1639 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1651
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR TECHNOLOGY UPGRADES, CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPMENT EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1651 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1652
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY ENGINEERING AND MATHEMATICS VILLAGE AND CONFERENCE CENTER CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPMENT, PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1652 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1657
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SAUNDERS, M. BURRIS, SAMPLE & SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR MATHEMATICS, SCIENCES AND THE ARTS FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, EQUIPMENT, MAJOR MAINTENANCE, PROFESSIONAL FEES & SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1657 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1669
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WORD, BLOUNT, RAINEY & WILLIAMS
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR CONSTRUCTING, RENOVATING AND ASSOCIATED COST FOR EXPANSION OF THE LIBRARY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1669 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1670
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WORD, BLOUNT, RAINEY & WILLIAMS
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR CREATION OF THE ARKANSAS EVALUATION CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1670 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1689
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PROVIDING PRODUCTION REBATES FOR THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1689 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1697
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR THE SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE FOR THE LONOKE FARM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1697 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1698
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR THE DONALD REYNOLDS INSTITUTE ON AGING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1698 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1699
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS CEMETERY BOARD FOR CEMETERY MAINTENANCE AND RESTORATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1699 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1702
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SHELBY AND REEP

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR THE INSTITUTE ON AGING - DRIVING SIMULATOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1702 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1708
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR THE PURCHASE OF DRAGON TECHNOLOGY FOR MEDICAL TRANSCRIPTION OF THE JAMES L. DENNIS DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1708 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1709
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR JAMES L. DENNIS DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATIONS EXPENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1709 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1718
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES DAVENPORT & M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR PORTABLE DOPPLER ECHOCARDIOGRAM EQUIPMENT FOR THE INSTITUTE ON AGING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1718 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1757
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVERETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR GRANTS TO COMMUNITY PROVIDERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1757 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1758
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES EVERETT, COOK, COOPER & DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE OZARKA COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPMENT, PERSONAL SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1758 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1759
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVERETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1759 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1765
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE - HISTORIC PRESERVATION FOR GRANTS FOR RESTORATION, CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENTS AND EQUIPPING OF ARKANSAS'S BLACK BAPTIST INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1765 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1766
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - INSTITUTE ON AGING FOR TELEMEDICINE EQUIPMENT FOR NURSING HOME PATIENT CONSULTS AND EVALUATIONS BY PHYSICIANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1766 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

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HOUSE BILL NO. 1767
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES FOR GRANTS FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING EXPENSES, CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENTS AND EQUIPPING OF JOB TRAINING PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1767 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1768
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE POWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT HOPE FOR DEVELOPMENT OF A STUDENT SUCCESS AND WORKFORCE RESOURCE CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1768 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1779
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR GRANTS FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS, CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPMENT FOR ADULT EDUCATION AND SENIOR CLINIC SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1779 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1809
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GREENBERG AND PIERCE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR EXPENSES OF AN INPATIENT CHILDREN'S PLAYGROUND FOR THE PSYCHIATRIC RESEARCH INSTITUTE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1809 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1810
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - PARTNERS FOR INCLUSIVE COMMUNITIES FOR THE SICKLE CELL ANEMIA TASK FORCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1810 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1811
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - PARTNERS FOR INCLUSIVE COMMUNITIES FOR SICKLE CELL ANEMIA OPERATING EXPENSES AND GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1811 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1815
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES RAINEY & WORD
BY: SENATORS H. WILKINS & CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR 1890 RESEARCH AND EXTENSION PROGRAMS MATCHING FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1815 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1818

As Engrossed: H3/24/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOYT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT FOR DAIRY STABILIZATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1818 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1829

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1829 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1963
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WILLS, RAGLAND, ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, T. BAKER, BARNETT, DAVENPORT, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, GEORGE, HOYT, LINDSEY, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, REEP, REYNOLDS, WELLS, WILLIAMS & WORD
BY: SENATORS CAPPS, B. JOHNSON, ALTES, G. BAKER, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, ELLIOTT, D. JOHNSON, J. KEY, LUKER, MADISON, P. MALONE, SALMON, R. THOMPSON, TRUSTY & WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS RISK CAPITAL MATCHING FUND ACT OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1963 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1172
As Engrossed H2/5/09 H3/26/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES R. GREEN & J. ROEBUCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO HELP REDUCE CIGARETTE LITTER IN ARKANSAS BY PROVIDING AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR A* BUSINESS THAT PURCHASES A CIGARETTE RECEPTACLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1172 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1378

As Engrossed: H2/24/09 H3/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MAXWELL, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, M. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KING, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, M. MARTIN, MCCRARY, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WOODS & WORD*

BY: *SENATORS G. BAKER, BROADWAY, ELLIOTT, D. JOHNSON, TEAGUE, D. WYATT, BLEDSOE, MILLER, B. JOHNSON & J. KEY*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL INCOME TAX RELIEF TO HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD TAXPAYERS WITH TWO OR MORE DEPENDENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1378 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1555
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BETTS & COOK
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY STUDENT GROWTH FUNDING FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1555 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1581
As Engrossed: H3/24/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. EDWARDS, *HARRELSON & SAUNDERS*
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO ENHANCE SAFE AND RESPONSIBLE PASSENGER TRANSPORTATION OF CHILDREN IN CHILD CARE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1581 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1606
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FISCAL ACCOUNTABILITY FOR EDUCATION SERVICE COOPERATIVES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1606 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1745
As Engrossed: H3/19/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO MAKE A SECOND OR SUBSEQUENT OFFENSE OF PRACTICING AS A COUNSELOR WITHOUT A LICENSE A CLASS D FELONY; TO CREATE A CIVIL PENALTY FOR PRACTICING AS A COUNSELOR WITHOUT A LICENSE; AND FOR OTHER* PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1745 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1746

As Engrossed: H3/11/09 H3/13/09 H3/16/09 H3/24/09 H3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. EDWARDS, WILLS, HOYT, WEBB & *DALE*

BY: SENATORS B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON & STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO CREATE THE TASK FORCE ON WATER SOURCE PROTECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1746 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1859

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ABERNATHY & BLOUNT

BY: SENATORS J. JEFFRESS & BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF CERTAIN DOCUMENTS AND PROCEDURES RELATING TO CODE OF ETHICS PROCEEDINGS OF THE PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE STANDARDS BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1859 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1927
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ARKANSAS STATE MEDICAL BOARD TO DISCIPLINE PHYSICIANS FOR ETHICAL VIOLATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1927 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1940
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COOK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF TITLE 6 RELATED TO SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARDS OF DIRECTORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1940 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1951
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE MASSAGE THERAPY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1951 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1956
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WORD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS PROJECT GRADUATION COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1956 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1959
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES ABERNATHY, BARNETT, BETTS, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, J. BURRIS, M. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARTER, COOK, L. COWLING, DALE, DAVENPORT, J. DICKINSON, DUNN, HOPPER, D. HUTCHINSON, LINDSEY, RAGLAND, REEP, J. ROGERS, SAUNDERS, SLINKARD, SUMMERS, TYLER, B. WILKINS & WOODS
BY: SENATORS J. JEFFRESS, ALTES, G. BAKER, BLEDSOE, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CRUMBLY, HENDREN, G. JEFFRESS, SALMON, STEELE & D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL END-OF-COURSE ASSESSMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1959 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1986
As Engrossed: H3/26/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK AND *HARRELSON*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW FOR ALTERNATIVE METHODS FOR PROVIDING TESTIMONY UNDER SUBPOENA FROM A STATE AGENCY; TO PROVIDE A METHOD TO CHALLENGE A SUBPOENA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1986 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1995
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO GIVE THE SELLER OF A MANUFACTURED HOME PARK AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR A SALE OF THE MANUFACTURED HOME PARK TO A RESIDENT BUYER'S ASSOCIATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1995 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1999
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LEA

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING TEACHER PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT CREDIT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1999 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2004

As Engrossed: H3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOPPER, *BETTS, COOK, J. EDWARDS, D. HUTCHINSON & STEWART*

BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ELIMINATE THE REQUIREMENT THAT MEMBERS OF THE NATIONAL GUARD OR RESERVE WHO ARE TEACHERS OR ADMINISTRATORS PAY FOR THE COST OF A SUBSTITUTE EMPLOYEE WHEN THE MEMBER IS ON MILITARY LEAVE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2004 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2011

As Engrossed: H3/13/09 H3/19/09 H3/24/09 H3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WOODS, RAINEY, M. MARTIN, *MOORE, WEBB, GARNER, HOUSE, PENNARTZ, GLIDEWELL & RAGLAND*

BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS CYBERINFRASTRUCTURE TASK FORCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2011 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2045
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE WEIGHT AND LENGTH OF EMERGENCY VEHICLES AND THE VEHICLES THAT ARE TOWED BY EMERGENCY VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2045 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

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Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2066
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE TIMELY AND ACCURATE RECEIPT OF DATA NEEDED TO CALCULATE AND ADJUST FOUNDATION FUNDING AMOUNTS DISTRIBUTED TO PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

House Bill No. 2066 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2071

As Engrossed: H3/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HYDE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT A CONTRACT FOR THE SALE OF REAL PROPERTY DOES NOT CONVEY TO THE BUYER AN INTEREST IN THE MINERAL DEVELOPMENT OF THE REAL PROPERTY UNTIL THE REAL PROPERTY IS CONVEYED BY DEED OR UNLESS AGREED OTHERWISE IN WRITING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 2071 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2163

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE ACCOUNTABILITY FOR ACHIEVEMENT GAPS IN SCHOOL DISTRICTS; TO PROVIDE INTERVENTION AND SUPPORT TO PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS TO ADDRESS THE SEVERITY OF ACHIEVEMENT GAPS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2163 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2191
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PATTERSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DELTA GEOTOURISM INCENTIVE ACT OF 2007 TO STIMULATE THE ECONOMY OF THE LOWER MISSISSIPPI RIVER DELTA BY EXPANDING THE GEOGRAPHICAL QUALIFICATIONS FOR A GEOTOURISM TAX CREDIT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2191 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2208
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BARNETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE PERMANENT REGISTRATION OF A FLEET OF MOTOR VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2208 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2244
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE HEALTH BENEFIT COVERAGE FOR AN ORTHOTIC DEVICE, AN ORTHOTIC SERVICE, A PROSTHETIC DEVICE, AND A PROSTHETIC SERVICE UNDER THE ARKANSAS HEALTH CARE CONSUMER ACT, § 23-99-401 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2244 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR

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Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2250
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCLUDE HIGH EFFICIENCY ELECTRIC POWER GENERATORS IN THE DEFINITION OF MANUFACTURER FOR THE PURPOSE OF THE REDUCED EXCISE TAX RATE ON NATURAL GAS USED IN MANUFACTURING, SUBJECT TO A PHASE-IN OF THE REDUCED RATE OF TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2250 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2266
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LEA

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE QUALIFICATIONS FOR CANDIDATES SEEKING THE OFFICE OF DISTRICT JUDGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2266 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1582
As Engrossed: H3/20/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. EDWARDS AND SAUNDERS
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE TO PROVIDE THAT CERTAIN CITY AND COUNTY TAXES ON AVIATION FUEL BE REMITTED DIRECTLY TO THE PUBLICLY-OWNED AIRPORT WHERE THE AVIATION FUEL WAS SOLD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1582 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1713
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE AND GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PENALTY CLASSIFICATION FOR INDECENT EXPOSURE FOR A PERSON IN A POSITION OF TRUST OR AUTHORITY OVER THE VICTIM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1713 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1796
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS ALTERNATIVE ENERGY COMMISSION; TO STUDY THE NEEDS AND IMPACTS OF VARIOUS FORMS OF ALTERNATIVE ENERGY ON THE ECONOMIC FUTURE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1796 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2057
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT EMERGENCY RESPONSE WORKERS; TO PROVIDE FOR EVALUATIONS OF THE MEDICAL RECORDS OF INDIVIDUALS SUSPECTED OF INFECTING AN EMERGENCY RESPONSE WORKER WITH A LIFE-THREATENING DISEASE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2057 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2105
As Engrossed: H3/12/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, NIX, B. WILKINS, *HOBBS, G. SMITH, KERR, LEA, DALE, BETTS, PENNARTZ, CARNINE, STEWART, GASKILL, COOK, D. HUTCHINSON, POWERS, WEBB, J. DICKINSON, CARROLL, BREEDLOVE, HARRELSON, MCLEAN, MCCRARY, WAGNER, DUNN, BARNETT, CASH, PYLE, M. BURRIS, GLIDEWELL, SLINKARD, T. ROGERS, SHELBY, ABERNATHY, EVERETT, INGRAM, BAIRD, HYDE, RICE, J. EDWARDS, R. GREEN, HOUSE, D. CREEKMORE, BLOUNT, ADCOCK, PIERCE, DAVIS, L. SMITH, RAINEY, J. BROWN, KIDD, PERRY, OVERBEY, LOVELL, T. BAKER*
BY: SENATORS GLOVER & P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE DEATH BENEFITS FOR COVERED PUBLIC EMPLOYEES KILLED IN THE LINE OF DUTY; TO ALLOW COVERED PUBLIC EMPLOYEES TO CHOOSE A DESIGNATED BENEFICIARY FOR DEATH BENEFITS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2105 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2195
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENNARTZ

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS MENTAL HEALTH PARITY ACT, § 23-99-501 ET SEQ.; TO MAKE CERTAIN AMENDMENTS TO THE ACT CONSISTENT WITH FEDERAL LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2195 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2224

As Engrossed: H3/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO PERMIT AND INSPECT CONCESSION STANDS, BOTH STATIONARY AND *MOBILE; TO CLARIFY CERTAIN EXEMPTIONS FOR PERMITS AND INSPECTIONS OF FOOD SERVICE ESTABLISHMENTS;* TO ENSURE THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF THE PUBLIC; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2224 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2260

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADD “AVIATION FUEL” TO THE DATA COLLECTED BY THE ARKANSAS ENERGY OFICE; TO DIRECT THE ARKANSAS ENERGY OFICE TO ISSUE A RULE THAT REQUIRES AN ARKANSAS CITY OR COUNTY THAT ISSUES BUILDING PERMITS TO ADOPT THE 2004 ENERGY CODE FOR NEW BUILDING CONSTRUCTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2260 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2265

As Engrossed: H3/27/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES NICKELS, CARTER & HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL ACT 218 OF 2009 WHICH PROVIDES CERTAIN APPEALS FROM THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION TO BE MADE TO THE COURT OF APPEALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2265 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2274

As Engrossed: H3/24/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE PATTERSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE EXECUTIVE HEAD OF THE ARKANSAS FORESTRY COMMISSION TO APPOINT AN INSTITUTIONAL LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 2274 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE

AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 246

SENATE BILL NO. 342

SENATE BILL NO. 440

SENATE BILL NO. 643

SENATE BILL NO. 671

SENATE BILL NO. 710

SENATE BILL NO. 770

SENATE BILL NO. 789

SENATE BILL NO. 790

SENATE BILL NO. 791

SENATE BILL NO. 820

SENATE BILL NO. 846

SENATE BILL NO. 850

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SENATE BILL NO. 871

SENATE BILL NO. 876

SENATE BILL NO. 921

SENATE BILL NO. 980

SENATE BILL NO. 1005

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1808
HOUSE BILL NO. 1881
HOUSE BILL NO. 1996
HOUSE BILL NO. 2007
HOUSE BILL NO. 2014
HOUSE BILL NO. 2201
HOUSE BILL NO. 2230
HOUSE BILL NO. 2256

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1256 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1273 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1680 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1848 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1990 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 1023

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS REQUESTED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1393

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE

AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 41

SENATE BILL NO. 87

SENATE BILL NO. 144

SENATE BILL NO. 163

SENATE BILL NO. 165

SENATE BILL NO. 190

SENATE BILL NO. 243

SENATE BILL NO. 373

SENATE BILL NO. 399

SENATE BILL NO. 410

SENATE BILL NO. 464

SENATE BILL NO. 526

SENATE BILL NO. 567

SENATE BILL NO. 702

SENATE BILL NO. 744

SENATE BILL NO. 746

SENATE BILL NO. 769

SENATE BILL NO. 781

SENATE BILL NO. 785

SENATE BILL NO. 786

SENATE BILL NO. 788

SENATE BILL NO. 801

SENATE BILL NO. 809

SENATE BILL NO. 819

SENATE BILL NO. 882

SENATE BILL NO. 923

SENATE BILL NO. 936

SENATE BILL NO. 937

SENATE BILL NO. 942

SENATE BILL NO. 975

SENATE BILL NO. 1001

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE

AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL 776 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILL 847 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO 1079

HOUSE BILL NO 1172

HOUSE BILL NO 1378

HOUSE BILL NO 1448

HOUSE BILL NO 1486

HOUSE BILL NO 1555

HOUSE BILL NO 1574

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HOUSE BILL NO 1859
HOUSE BILL NO 1927
HOUSE BILL NO 1940
HOUSE BILL NO 1951
HOUSE BILL NO 1956
HOUSE BILL NO 1959
HOUSE BILL NO 1963
HOUSE BILL NO 1986
HOUSE BILL NO 1995
HOUSE BILL NO 1999
HOUSE BILL NO 2004
HOUSE BILL NO 2011
HOUSE BILL NO 2045
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HOUSE BILL NO 2274

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, March 31, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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SEVENTY-NINTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

March 31, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Reverend Blaine Rogers, First Free Will Baptist Church, Russellville, Arkansas.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 944 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 944

Amend Senate Bill No. 944 as engrossed, S3/19/09:

Page 1, delete lines 9 through 13 and substitute the following:
"AN ACT TO STUDY VARIOUS ASPECTS OF ASTHMA MEDICATION USE AND REIMBURSEMENT WITHIN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 16 through 20 and substitute the following:
"TO STUDY VARIOUS ASPECTS OF ASTHMA MEDICATION USE AND REIMBURSEMENT WITHIN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Within thirty (30) days after the effective date of this act, the Department of Human Services shall invite a representative of each of the following entities to meet to study the issues in Section 2 of this act:

(1) The Department of Human Services;
(2) GlaxoSmithKline;
(3) The Arkansas Medical Society;
(4) The Arkansas Pharmacy Association;
(5) The Arkansas Medical, Dental, and Pharmaceutical Association
(6) The Arkansas Asthma Coalition;
(7) The Arkansas Pediatric Association;
(8) Arkansas Children's Hospital;
(9) The Arkansas Chapter of the American Pediatric Association; and
(10) The Arkansas Academy of Family Physicians.

SECTION 2. The group created in Section 1 of this act shall study:

(1) The negative and positive effects of the step edit on asthma patients and their providers in the Arkansas Medicaid Program;

(2) Ways and means to increase Medicaid patient compliance with asthma medication usage in the Arkansas Medicaid Program;

(3) Effects of removing the restrictions on asthma medication in the Arkansas Medicaid Program; and

(4) Other issues related to asthma medication in the Arkansas Medicaid Program.

SECTION 3. On or before October 1, 2009, the Department of Human Services shall report on behalf of the group created in Section 1 of this act the findings of the group to the Senate Committee on Public Health, Welfare, and Labor and the House Committee on Public Health, Welfare, and Labor."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 944 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 861 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 861

Amend Senate Bill No. 861 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 9, delete "Division of" and substitute "Commission for Arkansas"

AND

Page 3, line 3 delete "registered nurse" and substitute "~~registered nurse~~ advanced practice nurse"

AND

Page 3, delete line 32 and substitute the following language:
"physician or advanced practice nurse within the previous two (2) years; and ~~that he or she has satisfactorily~~"

AND

Page 4, line 19 delete "Division of" and substitute "Commission for Arkansas"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 22 through 31 and substitute the following language:

"(iii) A leased facility shall not be considered an academic facility for the purpose of this subchapter."

AND

Page 6, line 2 delete "schematic design" and substitute "drawing"

AND

Page 6, line 33 add the following language:

"(4) If a construction project has not begun as required under subdivision (d)(3) of this section due to the failure of a school district to raise the school district's share of the project cost due to a failed millage election prior to June 1, 2009, the division may exercise its authority under § 6-21-811."

AND

Page 7, line 9 delete "division" and substitute "Commission for Arkansas Public School Academic Facilities and Transportation"

AND

Page 7, delete lines 13 through 15 and substitute the following language:

"(2) Projects not meeting the compliance dates may be cancelled by the commission and the state's financial participation, in whole or in part, may be declared void after the school district has been provided:

(A) A notice of the failure to meet compliance dates; and

(B) An opportunity for a hearing before the commission."

AND

Page 7, delete lines 26 through 36

AND

Page 8, delete lines 1 and 2

AND

Page 8, delete lines 4 through 12 and substitute the following language:

"SECTION 15. Arkansas Code § 6-21-114(e), concerning the Commission for Arkansas Public School Academic Facilities and Transportation, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(5) Receive and administer federal funds made available to the state for the purpose of assisting local school districts in providing elementary and secondary school facilities for:

(A) General education programs;

(B) Vocational programs; and

(C) Adult education programs."

AND

Page 8, line 28 add the following new section

"SECTION 17. Arkansas Code Title 6, Chapter 21, Subchapter 1 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

6-21-117. Leased academic facilities.

An academic facility leased by a school district shall:

(1) Not be entitled to facilities program funding under § 6-20-2502(2)(B);

(2) Conform to the school facility standards defined in the Arkansas School Facility Manual;

(3) Be inspected by the Division of Public School Academic Facilities and Transportation to ensure that the facility complies with required academic facility standards prior to the execution of a lease or a renewal of an existing lease;

(4) Be eligible for a waiver commensurate with the Arkansas School Facility Manual granted by the Commission for Arkansas Public School Academic Facilities and Transportation; and

(5) Be exempt from the academic facility standards for the duration of the replacement of an academic facility that is lost due to a catastrophic event if the leased academic facility is used solely for the purpose of providing an academic facility."

AND

Page 9, delete lines 2 through 11 and substitute the following language:

"(E) A leased facility shall not be considered an academic facility for the purpose of this subchapter."

AND

Page 9, line 32 delete "will" and substitute "shall"

AND

Page 9, line 36 delete and substitute the following language:

"(b) The cost associated with additional maintenance modules by a school district, shall be at the expense of the school district and may be within the nine percent (9%) minimum maintenance expenditures under § 6-21-808(d)(1)(A);"

AND

Page 10, delete lines 1 and 2

AND

Page 10, delete lines 4 through 31 and substitute the following language:

"SECTION 22. Arkansas Code § 6-21-811(a)(1)(E) concerning the Academic Facilities Distress Program is amended to read as follows:

(E) Material failure to comply with state law governing purchasing ~~or~~ , bid requirements, or school construction related laws or rules in relation to academic facilities projects;"

AND

Page 10, delete lines 33 through 36

AND

Page 11, delete lines 1 through 5

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR S. BROADWAY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 861 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Joint Resolution No. 6 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 6

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 6 as engrossed, S3/3/09:

Page 1, delete line 6 and substitute the following:
“By: Representatives Maloch, Dismang”

AND

Page 1, delete lines 10 through 14 and substitute the following:
"PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT CONCERNING THE INTEREST RATE LIMITS ON BONDS ISSUED BY AND LOANS MADE BY OR TO GOVERNMENTAL UNITS; AND TO AUTHORIZE GOVERNMENTAL UNITS TO ISSUE BONDS TO FINANCE ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROJECTS AND TO AUTHORIZE THE USE OF SAVINGS FROM THE PROJECTS TO REPAY THE BONDS."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 17 through 22 and substitute the following:
"PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING BONDS."

AND

Delete Sections 1 and 2 in their entirety and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. The maximum lawful rates of interest on bonds issued by governmental units in the State of Arkansas as set forth in various provisions and amendments to the Arkansas Constitution of 1874, including Article 19 § 13 and Amendment Nos. 30, 38, 62, 65, and 78, are removed.

SECTION 2. The maximum lawful rate of interest on loans made by or to governmental units in the State of Arkansas as set forth in Article 19 § 13 of the Arkansas Constitution of 1874 is removed.

SECTION 3. (a) The term "bonds" means all bonds, notes, certificates, financing leases or other interest-bearing instruments or evidences of indebtedness.

(b) The term "governmental unit" means the State of Arkansas; any county, municipality, school district, or other political subdivision of the State of Arkansas; any special assessment or taxing district established under the laws of the State of Arkansas; and any agency, board, commission, or instrumentality of any of the foregoing.

(c) The term "loans" means all direct or indirect advances of funds and moneys that are conditioned on the obligation of a person or entity to repay the funds and moneys pursuant to loan agreements, lease agreements, installment sale agreements, security agreements, notes, or other instruments or documents evidencing the indebtedness.

SECTION 4. (a) Energy Efficiency Project Bonds — Issuance — Terms and conditions.

A governmental unit, under laws adopted by the General Assembly, may issue bonds to finance all or a portion of the costs of capital improvements of energy efficiency projects. The bonds may bear such terms, be issued in such manner, and be subject to such conditions as may be authorized by the General Assembly.

(b) Bonds may be financed using the savings from the project or any other revenue as the term is used in the definition of revenue bonds in Amendment 65 of the Arkansas Constitution.

(c) Authority exclusive — Interest — Initiative and referendum.

(1) This section is the sole authority required for the authorization, issuance, sale, execution, and delivery of bonds for energy efficiency projects.

(2) This section does not impair the initiative and referendum powers reserved to the people under Arkansas Constitution, Art. 5, § 1.

SECTION 5. Nothing set forth in this act shall limit the power of the General Assembly to fix, from time to time, one or more interest rate limits on various types of bonds and loans.

SECTION 6. If any provision of this Amendment or the application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, the remainder of the Amendment and the application of such provision to persons or circumstances other than those to which it is held invalid shall not be affected thereby.

SECTION 7. The provisions of this Amendment shall be self-executing.

SECTION 8. The provisions of this Amendment shall apply to all bonds issued and loans made in whole or in part after the effective date of this Amendment.

SECTION 9. All provisions of the Constitution of 1874 or Amendments in conflict with this Amendment relating to limitation of the charging or paying of interest or the limitation on the rate of interest that a governmental unit can pay or be charged on its indebtedness including, but not limited to, provisions of Article 19 § 13 and Amendment Nos. 30, 38, 62, 65, and 78 are repealed to the extent of such conflict."

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHANE BROADWAY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Journal Resolution No. 3 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 814 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 814

Amend Senate Bill No. 814 as engrossed, S3/30/09:

Page 18, delete line 21 and substitute:
"except as allowed by this section.
(h) This section shall not be construed to require a home school student or private school student to take any test or assessment not specifically required for completion of the course for which the student is enrolled."

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHANE BROADWAY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 814 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 943 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 943

Amend Senate Bill No. 943 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 36 and substitute:

"(b) By the twentieth day following the date a public school or public school district is required by law or rule to provide the applicable information listed in this subsection (b), a public"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 943 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 949 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 949

Amend Senate Bill No. 949 as engrossed, S3/26/09:

Delete SECTION 1 of the bill in its entirety

AND

Delete SECTION 3 of the bill in its entirety

AND

Appropriately renumber the remaining section of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR D. WYATT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 949 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 933 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 933

Amend Senate Bill No. 933 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 27 add the following:

"SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 20-77-1702(2), concerning the definition of "adverse decision" for law regarding Medicaid fairness, is amended to read as follows:

(2) "Adverse decision" means any decision by the Department of Human Services or its reviewers or contractors that adversely affect a Medicaid provider's ability to participate in the Arkansas Medicaid Program or adversely affects a Medicaid provider or recipient in regard to receipt of and payment for Medicaid claims and services, including, but not limited to, decisions as to:

(A) Appropriate level of care or coding;
(B) Medical necessity;
(C) Prior authorization;
(D) Concurrent reviews;
(E) Retrospective reviews;
(F) Least restrictive setting;
(G) Desk audits;
(H) Field audits and onsite audits; and
(I) Inspections;

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 20-77-1709 is amended to read as follows:

20-77-1709. Promulgation before enforcement.

(a) The ~~Department of Human Services~~ state may not use state rules, standards, policies, guidelines, manuals, or other such criteria in enforcement actions against providers unless the criteria have been promulgated under the Arkansas Administrative Procedure Act, § 25-15-201 et seq.

(b) Nothing in this section requires or authorizes the department to attempt to promulgate standards of care that practitioners use in determining medical necessity or rendering medical decisions, diagnoses, or treatment.

(c) Medicaid contractors may not use a different provider manual than the Medicaid Provider Manual promulgated for each service category.

(d) After adoption of new state rules, standards, policies, guidelines, manuals, or other such criteria, the department shall give an existing provider affected by the new state rules, standards, policies, guidelines, manuals, or other such criteria an opportunity and a reasonable period of time to achieve compliance without restrictions being imposed on the provider.

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code Title 20, Chapter 77, Subchapter 17 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

20-77-1717. Termination -- Evidence of compliance.

(a) If the Department of Human Services determines during a survey, field audit, onsite inspection or by any other means that a provider is not in compliance with one (1) or more state rules, standards, policies, guidelines, manuals, or other such criteria and issues an adverse decision to terminate the provider's certification or participation, the department shall provide to the provider with written notice of the termination decision under this subchapter at least thirty (30) days before the effective date of the termination.

(b) If a provider notified of a termination decision under this section submits a reasonable and adequate plan of correction before the effective date of termination, the department shall allow the provider to continue to participate in the Arkansas Medicaid Program, if the instances of noncompliance either individually or in combination neither jeopardize the health and safety of patients nor are of such a character as to seriously limit the provider's capacity to render adequate care.

(c)(1) The department shall grant a provider notified of a termination decision under this section a reasonable period of time to achieve compliance under its plan of correction.

(2) The time granted under subdivision (c)(1) of this section depends upon:

(A) The nature of the deficiency; and

(B) The capacities of the provider to provide adequate and safe care.

(3)(A) Ordinarily, the provider is expected to achieve compliance within sixty (60) days of being notified of the adverse decision.

(B)(i) However, the department may recommend that additional time be granted in individual cases, if in the department's judgment, it is not reasonable to expect compliance within sixty (60) days.

(ii) Reasons for allowing additional time under subdivision (c)(3)(B)(i) of this section include without limitation a situation in which a provider must engage in competitive bidding or receive additional certification or recertification before achieving compliance.

(d) The department shall allow a provider notified of a termination decision under this section an opportunity to meet with representatives of the department within fourteen (14) days following the issuance of the notice of termination in order to clarify any instances of noncompliance and to allow the provider to receive guidance on an acceptable plan of correction.

(e) Upon acceptance of a plan of correction, the department may conduct follow-up visits to confirm evidence of compliance with the plan of correction or, in the absence of a survey, deem the noncompliance corrected upon the date designated in the plan for compliance."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 933 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 664 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 664

Amend Senate Bill No. 644 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete Section 1 in its entirety and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-20-1206(a)(2) and (3), concerning a bond sale by a public school district, are amended to read as follows:

(2)(A)(i) Advertisement ~~thereof~~ of a bond sale under this section shall be published in at least one (1) newspaper published in the county with the publication to be one (1) time a week for two (2) weeks~~,~~.

(ii) ~~the~~ The first publication ~~to~~ shall be at least thirteen (13) days before the date of the sale~~, and by such other advertisement as the board of directors and the Commissioner of Education shall deem advisable~~.

(B)(i) If the newspaper responsible for publishing the advertisement of a bond sale does not publish either or both of the two (2) publications required under this subsection within the required time frame, the Commissioner of Education may approve an alternate form of advertisement of the bond sale.

(ii) The public school district shall use the alternate form of advertisement only for the bond sale related to the failed publication.

(iii) Within thirty (30) days after the sale of bonds is completed for which an alternate form of advertisement is used by a public school district under this subdivision (a)(2)(B), the public school district shall provide by one (1) publication in a newspaper published in the county a notice:

(a) Of the date of the sale and the principal amount of the bonds sold; and

(b) That the alternate form of advertisement was used.

(3) At any time after receiving bids on bonds, all bids may be rejected and the bonds readvertised for the time and in the manner ~~herein~~ provided under subdivision (a)(2) of this section."

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE BRYLES

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 664 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 987 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

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REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 987

Amend Senate Bill No. 987 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 23 through 28 and substitute the following language:

"(6)(A) A school district's year end categorical fund balance for each category listed in subdivisions (b)(2)-(5) of this section shall not exceed twenty percent (20%) of the sum of funds distributed in a categorical fund during the current school year plus all carryover funds in a categorical fund from the previous school year without first obtaining the written approval of the carryover amount in excess of twenty percent (20%) from the Commissioner of Education or his or her designee."

AND

Page 2, line 11 add the following language:

"(D) Funds provided to a school district under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 shall not be included in the categorical fund balance for the carryover calculation under subdivision (b)(6)(A) of this section."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 987 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 31, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 6, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Joint Resolution No. 6 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 31, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 664, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 814, BY SENATORS BROADWAY AND BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 861, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 943, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 987, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 664 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 814 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 861 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 943 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 987 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION

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REGULAR SESSION

March 31, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 933, BY SENATOR G. BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 944, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 949, BY SENATOR WYATT.

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 933 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 944 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 949 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

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March 31, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 894, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 912, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 984, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass .

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
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REGULAR SESSION

March 31, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 959, BY SENATOR CAPPS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
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March 31, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 827, BY SENATOR P. MALONE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
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March 31, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1043, BY REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1249, BY REPRESENTATIVE HYDE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1485, BY REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1785, BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1798, BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1807, BY REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1858, BY REPRESENTATIVE BETTS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1884, BY REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1894, BY REPRESENTATIVE BLOUNT,

HOUSE BILL NO. 2070, BY REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2252, BY REPRESENTATIVE KING,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
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March 31, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1647, BY REPRESENTATIVE WOODS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 31, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 2187, BY REPRESENTATIVE BLOUNT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
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REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 934, BY SENATOR WYATT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass concur on House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1580, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1483, BY REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2005, BY REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
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March 30, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1004,
BY REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
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March 31, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE , to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 913, BY SENATOR SALMON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR HENRY "HANK" WILKINS
VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 31, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1975, BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2113, BY REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR HENRY "HANK" WILKINS
VICE-CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 31, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 1002, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 257, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 265, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 371, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 471, BY SENATOR WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 473, BY SENATOR WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 474, BY SENATOR WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 479, BY SENATOR BRYLES ET AL,

SENATE BILL NO. 617, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 695, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 709, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 711, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 712, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 727, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 728, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 761, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 31, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1735, BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it/they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
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March 31, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 41, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 87, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 144, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 526, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 567, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 744, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 746 BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:10 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 41
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SENATE BILL NO. 144
SENATE BILL NO. 526
SENATE BILL NO. 567

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SENATE BILL NO. 746

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 31st day of March , 2009 at 10:10 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J.D. Lowery
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
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March 31, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 399, BY SENATOR WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 410, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 464, BY SENATORS MADISON AND KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 702, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 786, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 788, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 801, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 882, BY SENATOR ALTES,
SENATE BILL NO. 942, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT
SENATE BILL NO. 163, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 165, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 190, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 243, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 373, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 769, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

SENATE BILL NO. 781, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 785, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 809, BY SENATOR HORN,
SENATE BILL NO. 819, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 923, BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 936, BY SENATOR WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 937, BY SENATOR WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 975, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 1001, BY SENATOR WILKINS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:10 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

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SENATE BILL NO. 1001

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 31st day of March , 2009 at 10:10 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J.D. Lowery
Secretary

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 950 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 29 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 124 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Hendren, Senate Bill No. 125 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Hendren, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 950 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Hendren, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 29 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Hendren, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 124 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Hendren, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 125 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, Senate Bill No. 563 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 563 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Bledsoe.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 802 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 802 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Resolution No. 23 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 23
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

SENATE RESOLUTION TO HONOR THE WORK OF FAY JONES, THE IMPACT HE HAD ON THE ARCHITECTURAL COMMUNITY, AND THE RENAMING OF THE SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT FAYETTEVILLE AS THE FAY JONES SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE ON APRIL 4, 2009.

Senate Resolution No. 23 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Capps, Senate Bill No. 958 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 958

Amend Senate Bill No. 958 as originally introduced:

Delete everything following the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 17-95-301(b), concerning the membership of the Arkansas State Medical Board, is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1)(A) The board shall consist of ~~thirteen (13)~~ fourteen (14) members appointed by the Governor for terms of six (6) years.

(B) The Governor shall consider diversity of practice specialties and geographical areas of practice in making appointments to the board.

(2)(A)(i) ~~Nine (9)~~ Ten (10) members shall be duly qualified, licensed, and active medical practitioners and appointed upon the advice and recommendation of the Arkansas Medical Society.

(ii) At least two (2) members shall be appointed from each of the state's four (4) congressional districts.

(iii) ~~One (1) member~~ Two (2) members shall be appointed at large.

(B) Congressional district representation required under this subdivision (b)(2) shall be achieved by appointment as vacancies occur.

(3) One (1) member shall be a licensed practicing physician in this state and shall be appointed upon the advice and recommendation of the Physicians' Section of the Arkansas Medical, Dental, and Pharmaceutical Association.

(4) Two (2) members of the board shall not be actively engaged in or retired from the practice of medicine. One (1) member shall represent consumers, and one (1) member shall be sixty (60) years of age or older and shall represent the elderly. Both shall be appointed from the state at large subject to confirmation by the Senate. The two (2) positions may not be held by the same person. Both shall be full voting members but shall not participate in the grading of examinations.

(5) One (1) member shall be a duly qualified, licensed, and practicing osteopathic physician and appointed upon the recommendation of the Arkansas Osteopathic Medical Association."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 958 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Malone, Senate Bill No. 402 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 402

Amend Senate Bill No. 402 as engrossed, S3/26/09:

Page 2, delete lines 35 and 36

AND

Page 3, delete line 1 and substitute the following:

"(B) Within thirty (30) days after the effective date of this act, the Arkansas State Board of Acupuncture and Related Techniques shall promulgate new rules to replace the following existing rules: Title I, Title II, Title III, Title IV, Title V, and Title VI."

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 402 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 2020 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 2020

Amend House Bill No. 2020 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 10 through 12 and substitute:

"Arkansas and has a place of business in Arkansas shall register a motor vehicle considered a pleasure vehicle under § 27-14-601(a)(1) that the entity owns and uses in its business operations in the"

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID WYATT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2020 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 826 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 826

Amend Senate Bill No. 826 as originally introduced:

Delete all language after the enacting clause and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 27-16-804(b) is amended to read as follows:

(b)(1) The office may either issue a special restricted license or may set forth such restrictions upon the usual license form.

(2)(A)(i) ~~The office may, upon showing of need,~~ Upon the showing of need, the office may waive any age restriction set forth in this chapter.

(ii) However, every driver under eighteen (18) years of age is at a minimum subject to the restrictions set out in subdivision (b)(2)(B) of this section.

(B)(i) A license shall be issued only to an applicant with a valid instruction permit or learner's license who:

(a) Is at least fourteen (14) years of age; and

(b) Has remained free of a serious accident and conviction of a serious traffic violation for at least the previous six (6) months.

(ii) A driver shall operate the motor vehicle on the public streets and highways only when each passenger in the vehicle wears his or her seat belts.

(iii) The driver shall not use a cellular telephone device or other interactive wireless communication device while operating a motor vehicle except for an emergency purpose. As used in this subdivision (b)(2)(B)(iii), "emergency purpose" means the driver:

(a) Has reason to fear for his or her life, safety, or property;

(b) Reasonably believes that a criminal act may be perpetrated against him or her, his or her property, another person, or another person's property; or

(c) Is reporting:

(1) A fire;

(2) A traffic accident;

(3) A serious road hazard;

(4) A medical emergency;

(5) A hazardous materials emergency;

(6) Another driver who is recklessly, carelessly, or unsafely driving; or

(7) Another driver who appears to be driving under the influence of drugs or alcohol.

(iv) A driver shall not operate a motor vehicle on public streets or highways with any unrelated minor passengers in the motor vehicle unless the driver is accompanied by a licensed driver who is twenty-one (21) years of age or older and who is occupying the front passenger seat of the motor vehicle. As used in this subsection, "unrelated minor passenger" means a passenger who is under twenty-one (21) years of age and who is not:

(a) A sibling of the driver;
(b) A step-sibling of the driver; or
(c) A child who resides in the same household as the driver.

(v) The driver shall not operate a motor vehicle on public streets or highways between the hours of 11:00 p.m. and 4:00 a.m. unless the driver is:

(a) Accompanied by a licensed driver who is twenty-one (21) years of age or older;
(b) Driving to or from a school activity, church-related activity, or job; or
(c) Driving due to an emergency."

~~(B)~~(C) The waiver of the age restrictions for need is subject to review upon a complaint from certain officials under subsection (d) of this section."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE BARNETT

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 826, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Key, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 826 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 826

As Engrossed: H3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PLACE REASONABLE RESTRICTIONS ON YOUTHFUL DRIVERS GRANTED A HARDSHIP LICENSE; TO IMPROVE THE SAFETY OF ROADS AND HIGHWAYS IN THE STATE BY ADDRESSING ISSUES RELATED TO THE LICENSING OF BEGINNING OR YOUTHFUL DRIVERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 826 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 826 was ordered enrolled.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 938 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 938

As Engrossed: S3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS D. JOHNSON AND SALMON

BY: REPRESENTATIVE LINDSEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE ON AUTISM; TO PROVIDE FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF ITS MEMBERS; TO DESCRIBE ITS MISSION AND RESPONSIBILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 938 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 938 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Malone, Senate Bill No. 932 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 932

As Engrossed: S3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REVISE THE CAP ON REIMBURSEMENT TO VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENTS FOR SERVICES PROVIDED INVOLVING FIRES AND PERSONAL PROPERTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 932 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 932 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 918 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 918
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT PARTICIPATION IN THE ARKANSAS SMART CORE CURRICULUM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 918 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 918, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 918 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1895 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1895
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE KERR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE IMPOSITION OF AN ACCIDENT RESPONSE SERVICE FEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1895 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1895 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1845 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1845
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES STEWART, COOK, PIERCE & R. GREEN
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE REDESIGN AND SIMPLIFICATION OF MILITARY SERVICE AND VETERANS SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES; TO HELP WITH THE COSTS OF PROVIDING MILITARY FUNERAL HONORS AT VETERANS' FUNERALS; TO CREATE THE MILITARY FUNERAL HONORS FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1845 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1845 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Senate Resolution No. 25 recognizing Dr. Josetta Wilkins.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Resolution No. 25 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 25
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

SENATE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND HONORING DR. JOSETTA WILKINS FOR A LIFETIME OF SERVICE TO ARKANSAS AND HER DEDICATED PASSION TO SAVE THE LIVES OF WOMEN WITH BREAST CANCER.

Senate Resolution No. 25 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 2023 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2023
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT BEFORE A LAW ENFORCEMENT VEHICLE IS SOLD FOR RESALE ALL LIGHTS, DECALS,

LAW ENFORCEMENT RADIOS, SIRENS, AND OTHER ITEMS THAT ARE ASSOCIATED WITH LAW ENFORCEMENT VEHICLES SHALL BE REMOVED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2023 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2023 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, House Bill No. 1160 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1160
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING AUCTIONEERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1160 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1160 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Miller, House Bill No. 1948 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1948
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. BROWN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING EXEMPTIONS FROM THE JURISDICTION OF THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION WITH REGARD TO LOANS MADE OR GUARANTEED BY CERTAIN LISTED ENTITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1948 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1948 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Steele, House Bill No. 1327 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1327

As Engrossed: H2/17/09 H2/23/09 H3/9/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ALLEN, WILLIAMS, HARDY, R. GREEN, T. BAKER, W. LEWELLEN, WORD, EVERETT, PENNARTZ & BLOUNT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO PROTECT CONSUMERS OF MOTOR VEHICLES FROM EXPOSURE TO TOXIC CHEMICALS; TO AUTHORIZE PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS TO DESTROY OR SELL FOR SCRAP METAL A MOTOR VEHICLE IN WHICH METHAMPHETAMINE HAS BEEN MANUFACTURED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1327 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1327 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 858 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Broadway, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Joint Resolution No. 6 at this time.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Joint Resolution No. 6 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 5.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 5 to SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 6

Amend Senate Joint Resolution No. 6 as engrossed, S3/31/09:

Page 1, delete line 6 and substitute the following:
"By: Representatives Maloch, Dismang"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 10 through 16 and substitute the following:
"PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT CONCERNING THE INTEREST RATE LIMITS ON BONDS ISSUED BY AND LOANS MADE BY OR TO GOVERNMENTAL UNITS; AND TO AUTHORIZE GOVERNMENTAL UNITS TO ISSUE BONDS TO FINANCE ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROJECTS."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 19 through 21 and substitute the following:
"PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING BONDS ISSUED BY AND LOANS MADE BY OR TO GOVERNMENTAL UNITS."

AND

Delete Sections 1 through 9 in their entirety and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. The maximum lawful rates of interest on bonds issued by governmental units in the State of Arkansas as set forth in various provisions and amendments to the Arkansas Constitution of 1874, including Article 19 § 13 and Amendment Nos. 30, 38, 62, 65, and 78, are removed.

SECTION 2. The maximum lawful rate of interest on loans made by or to governmental units in the State of Arkansas as set forth in Article 19 § 13 of the Arkansas Constitution of 1874 is removed.

SECTION 3. (a) The term "bonds" means all bonds, notes, certificates, financing leases or other interest-bearing instruments or evidences of indebtedness.

(b) The term "governmental unit" means the State of Arkansas; any county, municipality, school district, or other political subdivision of the State of Arkansas; any special assessment or taxing district established under the laws of the State of Arkansas; and any agency, board, commission, or instrumentality of any of the foregoing.

(c) The term "loans" means all direct or indirect advances of funds and moneys that are conditioned on the obligation of a person or entity to repay the funds and moneys pursuant to loan agreements, lease agreements, installment sale agreements, security agreements, notes, or other instruments or documents evidencing the indebtedness.

Section 4. Energy Efficiency Project Bonds — Issuance — Terms and conditions.

(a) A governmental unit, under laws adopted by the General Assembly, may issue bonds to finance all or a portion of the costs of energy efficiency projects. The bonds may bear such terms, be issued in such manner, and be subject to such conditions as may be authorized by the General Assembly.

(b) Bonds may be secured by a pledge of the savings from the energy efficiency project and may be repaid from general revenues, special revenues, revenues derived from taxes or any other revenues available to the governmental unit.

(c) The authority conferred by this Section 4 shall be supplemental to other constitutional provisions which authorize the issuance of bonds.

SECTION 5. The ballot title for this amendment shall be:

An amendment to the Arkansas Constitution to remove the constitutional interest rate limits on bonds issued by and loans made by or to governmental units by repealing the interest rate limitations set forth in Article 19 § 13, and Amendment Nos. 30, 38, 62, 65, and 78 of the Arkansas Constitution with respect to such bonds and loans; and to authorize governmental units to issue bonds to finance energy efficiency projects to be secured by cost savings and repaid from any available source.

SECTION 6. Nothing set forth in this act shall limit the power of the General Assembly to fix, from time to time, one or more interest rate limits on various types of bonds and loans.

SECTION 7. If any provision of this Amendment or the application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, the remainder of the Amendment and the application of such provision to persons or circumstances other than those to which it is held invalid shall not be affected thereby.

SECTION 8. The provisions of this Amendment shall be self-executing.

SECTION 9. The provisions of this Amendment shall apply to all bonds issued and loans made in whole or in part after the effective date of this Amendment.

SECTION 10. All provisions of the Constitution of 1874 or Amendments in conflict with this Amendment relating to limitation of the charging or paying of interest or the limitation on the rate of interest that a governmental unit can pay or be charged on its indebtedness including, but not limited to, provisions of Article 19 § 13

and Amendment Nos. 30, 38, 62, 65, and 78 are repealed to the extent of such conflict."

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHANE BROADWAY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Joint Resolution No. 6 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1932 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1932
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, BLOUNT, BREEDLOVE, CASH, CLEMMER, COOK, DUNN, GREENBERG, LOVELL, MALOCH, MOORE, PENNARTZ, NIX, PIERCE, POWERS & STEWART
BY: SENATORS BROADWAY, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS & MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A SYSTEM OF EDUCATION WITHIN THE DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1932 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1932, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1932 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 2076 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2076
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE NONPROFIT INCENTIVE ACT TO SPECIFY THAT THE NONPROFIT CORPORATION BE A (501) (c) ORGANIZATION; TO CHANGE THE PAYROLL THRESHOLD FOR QUALIFICATION; TO CHANGE THE INVESTMENT THRESHOLD FOR QUALIFICATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2076 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2076 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Malone, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 779 at this time.

On motion of Senator Malone, Senate Bill No. 779 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 779

Amend Senate Bill No. 779 as engrossed, S3/19/09:
Page 3, delete lines 24 through 36 and substitute:

"(C)(i) The circuit court may enforce the orders with criminal or civil contempt or sanctions, as appropriate.

(ii) The circuit court may modify or vacate a protective order for good cause."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 1 through 8

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 779 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Luker, House Bill No. 1984 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1984

As Engrossed: S3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

BY*: SENATOR LUKER*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE CENTRAL FILING WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURAL LIENS AND FARM-RELATED SECURITY INTERESTS; TO PROVIDE FOR FILING FEES WITH THE SECRETARY OF STATE AND THE DISTRIBUTION OF FILING FEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1984 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1984 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 2074 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2074
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND § 16-21-2501 CONCERNING THE APPOINTMENT AND AUTHORITY OF INVESTIGATORS FOR THE TWENTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2074 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 2074, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2074 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1764 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1764
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. HUTCHINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXPAND REPORTING OF POSTSECONDARY REMEDIATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1764 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1764 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 1052 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1052
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GREENBERG AND LEA

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PREVENT RETALIATION AGAINST PUBLIC EMPLOYEES FOR REQUESTING RECORDS UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1052 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1052 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

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On motion of Senator Key, House Bill No. 1751 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1751

As Engrossed: H3/4/09 H3/12/09 S3/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF A CITY OF THE FIRST CLASS AND A CITY OF THE SECOND CLASS TO REGULATE AMBULANCE PATIENT TRANSPORTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1751 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Bledsoe, Bookout, Elliott, Glover, G. Jeffress, J. Key, B. Pritchard, T. Smith, Whitaker, Wilkinson.

Total 11

NEGATIVE: Broadway, Crumbly, Horn, J. Jeffress, D. Johnson, Laverty, P. Malone, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, H. Wilkins, D. Wyatt.

Total 13

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: G. Baker, Bryles, Capps, Faris, Hendren, B. Johnson, Luker, Madison, Miller, Salmon, R. Thompson.

Total 11

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 24

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

* * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * *

The record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1751 failed to pass was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on March 31, 2009.

Senator Key moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1751 failed to pass be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

On motion of Senator Bookout, House Bill No. 2114 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2114

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK

BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MODIFY THE FUNDING FORMULA MODEL FOR UNIVERSITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2114 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2114 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 2170 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2170
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CARNINE, ABERNATHY, B. WILKINS, G. SMITH & MCCRARY
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE INTERVENTION AND PROFESSIONAL CONSULTATION UPON EARLY INDICATORS OF THE FISCAL DISTRESS OR FACILITIES DISTRESS OF A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2170 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2170 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1978
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. EDWARDS AND KERR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE VOLUNTARY ALTERNATIVE DRIVER'S LICENSES AND IDENTIFICATION CARDS FOR ENHANCED IDENTIFICATION AND SECURITY PURPOSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1978 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 27
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE ARKANSAS CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO INITIATE AND SUPPORT APPROPRIATE LEGISLATIVE ACTION TO INCREASE THE NUMBER OF MEDICAL RESIDENCY POSITIONS AND THE NECESSARY ADDITIONAL FUNDING FOR THIS PURPOSE.

Senate Resolution No. 27 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Retirement Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 182 at this time.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 182 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 182

As Engrossed: S3/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE ADJUSTMENTS TO THE LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE PENSION AND RELIEF FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 182 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 182, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 182 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 138 at this time.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 138 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 138

As Engrossed: S3/19/09 S3/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO COMBINE THE STATE POLICE RETIREMENT SYSTEM WITH THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 138 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 138, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 138 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 209 at this time.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 209 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 209

As Engrossed: S2/9/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 24-7-733 TO COMPLY WITH SECTION 415 OF THE INTERNAL REVENUE CODE CONCERNING BENEFITS PAID TO A MEMBER OF THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM UNDER A LIFE ANNUITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 209 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 209, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 209 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 164 at this time.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 164 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 164

As Engrossed: S3/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE CALCULATIONS FOR BENEFITS AND FOR STRAIGHT LIFE ANNUITY UNDER THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 164 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 164, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 164 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1167 at this time.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1167 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1167

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES COOPER, DUNN, EVERETT, GEORGE & WELLS

BY: SENATORS P. MALONE, MILLER & WILKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW TIPPED FOOD SERVICE EMPLOYEES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM TO BE CONSIDERED SUBSTANTIALLY GAINFULLY EMPLOYED FOR PURPOSES OF THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1167 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1167 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 2002 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2002
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MAXWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADD A DEFINITION FOR "SYNTHETIC TRANSPORTATION FUEL"; TO AMEND THE DEFINITIONS OF “ALTERNATIVE FUELS” AND “BIOMASS”; TO INCREASE THE INCENTIVES FOR AN ALTERNATIVE FUELS PRODUCER, A FEEDSTOCK PROCESSOR, AND AN ALTERNATIVE FUELS DISTRIBUTOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2002 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Glover, Horn, G. Jeffress, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 25

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bledsoe, Capps, Faris, Hendren, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Luker, Madison, Salmon, H. Wilkins.

Total 10

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....25

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 2002, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Glover, Horn, G. Jeffress, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 25

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bledsoe, Capps, Faris, Hendren, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Luker, Madison, Salmon, H. Wilkins.

Total 10

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 25

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2002 held in the Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 714 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 453 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 370 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 370

Amend Senate Bill No. 370 as originally introduced:
Page 1, line 33, delete "250,000" and substitute "750,000".

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID JOHNSON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 370 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 592 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 592

Amend Senate Bill No. 592 as originally introduced:
Page 1, line 30, delete "$100,000." and substitute "$300,000."

(SIGNED) SENATOR RUTH R. WHITAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 592 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1079 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1079 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1079

As Engrossed: H3/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF PHARMACY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1079 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1079, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1079 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 405 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 405 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 405
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - BEEBE FOR THE ENGLAND CLASSROOM CENTER RENOVATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 405 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill……27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 405, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 405 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 406 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 406 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 406
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BETTS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - BEEBE FOR THE SEARCY MAIN CLASSROOM BUILDING RENOVATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 406 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 406, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 406 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 508 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 508 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 508
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORITY FOR CONNECT ARKANSAS EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 508 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 508, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 508 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 509 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 509 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 509
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT - LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY - STATE FAIR AND LIVESTOCK SHOW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 509 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 509, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 509 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 585 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 585 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 585
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR WATER AND SEWER IMPROVEMENT GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 585 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 585, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 585 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 586 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 586 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 586

As Engrossed: 3/9/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 586 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 586, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 586 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 587 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 587 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 587
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR COMMUNITY GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 587 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 587, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 587 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 588 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 588 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 588
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY PROGRAM GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 588 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 588, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 588 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 589 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 589 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 589
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 589 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 589, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 589 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 504 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 504 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 504
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS LUKER, BOOKOUT, BRYLES & CRUMBLY
BY: REPRESENTATIVES T. BAKER, BLOUNT, J. BROWN, CASH, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DUNN, HALL, INGRAM, KIDD, LOVELL, T. ROGERS, WAGNER & B. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO VARIOUS INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING EXPENSES, REGIONAL ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS AND GRANTS ASSOCIATED WITH THE ARKANSAS DELTA TRAINING AND EDUCATION CONSORTIUM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 504 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 504, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 504 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 704 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 704 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 704
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR EQUIPMENT AND SERVICES FOR TELE-VIDEO LINKS TO THE PSYCHIATRIC RESEARCH INSTITUTE - NORTHWEST, COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH CENTERS, HOSPITAL EMERGENCY ROOMS, AND COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 704 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 704, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 704 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 752 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 752 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 752
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - ARKANSAS CHILD ABUSE/RAPE/DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COMMISSION FOR GRANTS FOR EXPENSES OF VIOLENCE SHELTERS, CRISIS SHELTERS, CHILD ADVOCACY CENTERS AND OTHER PROGRAMS FOR ABUSED AND NEGLECTED CHILDREN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 752 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 752, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 752 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 366 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 366 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 366
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE SPECIAL COLLECTIONS DIVISION OPERATIONS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS LIBRARY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 366 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 366, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 366 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 367 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 367 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 367
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - CENTER FOR ADVANCED SPATIAL TECHNOLOGIES FOR MAPPING AND DATA PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 367 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 367, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 367 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 368 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 368 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 368
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR THE COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES DEBATE TEAM OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 368 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 368, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 368 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 514 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 514 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 514

As Engrossed: S3/9/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS FOR OPERATING, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENTS, EQUIPMENT, RENOVATION AND MAINTENANCE EXPENSES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 514 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 514, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 514 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 533 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 533 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 533

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES FOR ARKANSAS JUVENILE ASSESSMENT AND TREATMENT CENTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 533 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 533, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 533 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 703 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 703 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 703
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GRANTS TO CITIES, COUNTIES, PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT DISTRICTS AND OTHER ENTITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 703 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 703, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 703 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 458 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 458 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 458
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SAU-TECH FOR CONSTRUCTION OF A MODEL FIRE STATION AT THE ARKANSAS FIRE TRAINING ACADEMY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 458 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 458, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 458 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 475 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 475 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 475
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE G. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 475 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 475, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 475 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 550 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 550 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 550
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 550 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 550, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 550 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 552 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 552 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 552
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR VIOLENCE AND INTERVENTION PROGRAM GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 552 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 552, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 552 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 553 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 553 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 553
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 553 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

Senate Bill No. 553 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 553, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 553 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 590 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 590 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 590
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 590 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 590, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 590 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 654 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 654 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 654
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 654 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 654, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 654 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 655 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 655 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 655
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 655 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 655, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 655 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 656 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 656 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 656
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO FOR MUSIC BUILDING RENOVATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 656 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 656, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 656 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 657 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 657 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 657
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO FOR SCIENCE CENTER RENOVATIONS AND INFRASTRUCTURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 657 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 657, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 657 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 347 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 347 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 347

As Engrossed: S2/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS R. THOMPSON, BOOKOUT & *J. JEFFRESS*

BY: REPRESENTATIVES CASH, MOORE, PATTERSON, *T. BAKER, KIDD, WAGNER & B. WILKINS*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - JONESBORO FOR OPERATIONS AND ACQUISITION OF HERITAGE SITES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 347 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 347, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 347 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 372 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 372 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 372
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE NORTHWEST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR ENERGY CONSERVING CRITICAL MAINTENANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 372 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 372, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 372 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 374 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 374 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 374
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF CHILD CARE AND EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION FOR AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 374 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 374, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 374 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 397 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 397 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 397
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE KIDD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - NEWPORT FOR JONESBORO TECHNICAL CENTER COSTS OF AN INSTRUCTIONAL AND GENERAL PURPOSE BUILDING ADDITION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 397 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 397, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 397 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 398 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 398 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 398
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. DICKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - NEWPORT FOR CRITICAL MAINTENANCE, LIBRARY HOLDINGS, TECHNOLOGY AND EQUIPMENT PURCHASES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 398 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 398, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 398 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 427 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 427 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 427
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BRYLES & D. WYATT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. DICKINSON & LOVELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR MARKED TREE TECHNICAL CENTER COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH CONSTRUCTING AND EQUIPPING A CLASSROOM BUILDING FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - NEWPORT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 427 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 427, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause.....24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 427 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 428 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 428 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 428
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOVELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - NEWPORT FOR MARKED TREE TECHNICAL CENTER CRITICAL MAINTENANCE, LIBRARY HOLDINGS, TECHNOLOGY AND EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 428 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 428, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 428 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 433 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 433 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 433
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - JONESBORO FOR EVALUATION, PLANNING AND EXPENSES OF A JOHNNY CASH HERITAGE SITE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 433 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 433, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:
Total 0
ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:
Total 0
VOTING PRESENT:
Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 433 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 434 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 434 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 434
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CASH, KIDD & B. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - JONESBORO FOR DEFERRED MAINTENANCE FOR CLASSROOMS, BUILDINGS AND RELATED INFRASTRUCTURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 434 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 434, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 434 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 435 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 435 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 435
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CASH, KIDD & B. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - JONESBORO FOR CLASSROOM RENOVATIONS, REFURBISHING, TECHNOLOGY UPDATES, EQUIPMENT AND FURNITURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 435 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 435, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 435 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 436 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 436 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 436
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CASH, KIDD & B. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY – JONESBORO FOR CONSTRUCTING, EQUIPPING, LANDSCAPING, PARKING LOT, AND OTHER CONSTRUCTION RELATED COSTS OF COMPLETING A LIBERAL ARTS TEACHING BUILDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 436 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 436, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 436 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 439 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 439 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 439
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR GRANTS AND AID FOR OPERATIONAL COSTS OF THE ARKANSAS ASSOCIATION OF TWO YEAR COLLEGES WORKFORCE TRAINING CONSORTIUM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 439 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 439, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 439 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 443 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 443 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 443
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS, RENOVATION, EQUIPMENT, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENT, ACQUISITION, UPGRADE, AND REPAIR AT THE SALINE COUNTY CAREER CENTER AT BAUXITE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 443 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 443, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 443 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 455 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 455 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 455
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, MAINTENANCE AND PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 455 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 455, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 455 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 456 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 456 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 456
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SOUTHEAST ARKANSAS COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, MAINTENANCE AND PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 456 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 456, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 456 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 457 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 457 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 457
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR GRANTS FOR AFTER-SCHOOL AND EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 457 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 457, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 457 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 461 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 461 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 461
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR CONSTRUCTING AND EQUIPPING THE WINTHROP PAUL ROCKEFELLER ARKANSAS STATE POLICE HALL OF HONOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 461 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 461, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 461 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 462 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 462 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 462
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE FOR ARKANSAS FALLEN FIREFIGHTERS MEMORIAL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 461 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 462, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 462 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 463 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 463 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 463

As Engrossed: S2/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 463 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 463, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 463 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 465 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 465 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 465

As Engrossed: S3/4/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WILLS, HAWKINS, TYLER & ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL ARKANSAS FOR ESSENTIAL OPERATIONS, SUPPORT FOR EDUCATION EXCELLENCE, AND PAYMENT OF CLAIMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 465 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 465, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 465 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 472 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 472 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 472
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - NEWPORT FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS, OPERATIONS, CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 472 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 472, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 472 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 476 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 476 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 476
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PHILLIPS COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION OF THE GRAND PRAIRIE CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 476 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 476, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 476 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 477 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 477 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 477
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 477 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 477, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 477 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 480 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 480 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 480
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES - COMMUNITY GRANTS FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 480 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 480, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 480 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 481 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 481 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 481
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION - COMMUNITY GRANTS FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 481 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 481, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 481 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 482 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 482 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 482
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR THE ARKANSAS ENTERTAINERS HALL OF FAME; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 482 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 482, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 482 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 487 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 487 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 487
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOPPER, DAVENPORT & EVERETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - MOUNTAIN HOME FOR CONSTRUCTING, EQUIPPING AND FINISHING A COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 487 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 487, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 487 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 488 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 488 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 488

As Engrossed: S2/26/09 S3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS J. KEY AND LAVERTY

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. BURRIS, *RAGLAND & KING*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE NORTH ARKANSAS COLLEGE FOR *PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATIONS,* CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING THE CAMPUS CENTER*, VARIOUS CAMPUSES, THE AGRICULTURE AND RODEO PROGRAM,* AND CAMPUS TOWER ENERGY UPGRADES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 488 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 488, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 488 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 489 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 489 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 489
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE RICH MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR COSTS ASSOCIATED WITH AN AVIATION PROJECT, CONSTRUCTION, REPAIRS AND MAINTENANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 489 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 489, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 489 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 490 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 490 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 490
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT HOPE FOR IMPROVEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 490 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 490, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 490 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 491 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 491 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 491
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE COSSATOT COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR IMPROVEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 491 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 491, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 491 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 492 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 492 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 492
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR AIRPORT WATERLINE IMPROVEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 492 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 492, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 492 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 497 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 497 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 497
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. TAYLOR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR THE ARKANSAS RIVER CONNECTION PROJECT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 497 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 497, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 497 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 501 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 501 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 501
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 501 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 501, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 501 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 502 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 502 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 502
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY GRANTS GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 502 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 502, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 502 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 503 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 503 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 503
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR FURNISHING AND EQUIPPING A NEW BUSINESS TECHNOLOGY CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 503 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 503, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 503 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

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On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 506 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 506 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 506
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR EXPENSES OF THE WINTHROP ROCKEFELLER INSTITUTE FOR THE BIANNUAL STRATEGIC POLICY FORUM, SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY ENGINEERING & MATHEMATICS CONFERENCES, ACCELERATE ARKANSAS INITIATIVES, AND CONSERVATION & SUSTAINABILITY WORKSHOPS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 506 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 506, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 506 and Emergency Clause passed was expunged in accordance with a prevailing motion on March 31, 2009.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 506 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 512 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 512 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 512
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECT GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 512 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 512, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 512 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 513 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 513 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 513
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS FOR OPERATING, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENTS, EQUIPMENT, RENOVATION, AND MAINTENANCE EXPENSES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 513 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 513, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 513 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 517 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 517 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 517
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION FOR SUBSTANCE ABUSE TREATMENT FOR DRUG COURT PARTICIPANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 517 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 517, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 517 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 518 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 518 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 518
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR ACQUIRING, CONSTRUCTING, RENOVATING, EQUIPPING, FURNISHING, PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES OF THE NORTHWEST ARKANSAS SATELLITE CAMPUS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 518 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 518, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 518 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 519 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 519 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 519

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 519 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 519, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 519 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 520 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 520 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 520
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR ALCOHOL AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE PREVENTION AND TREATMENT PROGRAMS AND PREVENTION RESOURCE CENTERS GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 520 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 520, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 520 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 521 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 521 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 521
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE NORTHWEST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR ACQUIRING, CONSTRUCTING, RENOVATING, EQUIPPING, FURNISHING, PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 521 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 521, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 521 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 522 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 522 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 522
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR GRANTS AND AID FOR DRUG TASK FORCE OPERATIONS AND RELATED PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 522 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 522, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 522 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 523 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 523 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 523
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR FIRE DEPARTMENT, SEARCH AND RESCUE, EMERGENCY MEDICAL AND EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PROGRAM GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 523 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 523, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause……..24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 523 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 527 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 527 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 527
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR COMMUNITY GRANTS - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 527 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 527, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 527 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 528 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 528 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 528
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 528 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 528, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 528 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 529 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 529 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 529
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 529 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 529, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 529 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 530 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 530 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 530
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENTS PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 530 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 530, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 530 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 531 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 531 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 531
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND RAPE CRISIS CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 531 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 531, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 531 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baler, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 532 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 532 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 532
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FOR COUNTY HOSPITAL GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 532 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 532, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 532 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 537 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 537 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 537
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BARNETT, SLINKARD & SUMMERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE NORTHWEST TECHNICAL INSTITUTE FOR ACQUIRING, CONSTRUCTING, RENOVATING, EQUIPPING, FURNISHING, PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 537 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 537, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 537 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 538 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 538 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 538
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF CHILD CARE AND EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION FOR GRANTS TO AFTER-SCHOOL LITERACY AND NUTRITION PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 538 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 538, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 538 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 539 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 539 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 539
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE OUACHITA TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 539 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 539, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 539 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 540 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 540 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 540
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR GARVAN WOODLAND GARDENS IMPROVEMENTS, MAINTENANCE, OPERATING, AND PERSONAL SERVICES EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 540 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 540, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 540 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 541 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 541 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 541
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 541 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 541, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 541 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 542 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 542 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 542
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT - FORESTRY COMMISSION FOR AACD WORKSHOPS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 542 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 542, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 542 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 545 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 545 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 545
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE COSSATOT COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPMENT, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION EXPENSES AT THE ASHDOWN CAMPUS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 545 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 545, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 545 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 546 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 546 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 546
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE COSSATOT COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPMENT, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION EXPENSES OF THE DE QUEEN CAMPUS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 546 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 546, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 546 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 547 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 547 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 547
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE COSSATOT COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPMENT, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 547 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 547, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 547 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 548 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 548 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 548
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SAU-TECH FOR GRANTS TO THE TEXARKANA AREA VOCATIONAL CENTER OR AIR POWER SCHOOL FOR CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPMENT, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 548 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 548, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 548 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 549 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 549 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 549
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HORN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, EQUIPMENT, FURNISHINGS, PERSONAL SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION EXPENSES OF THE TEXARKANA AREA HEALTH EDUCATION CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 549 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 549, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 549 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 554 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 554 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 554
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR CONSTRUCTING AND EQUIPPING THE WINTHROP PAUL ROCKEFELLER ARKANSAS STATE POLICE HALL OF HONOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 554 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 554, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 554 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 555 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 555 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 555
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - ARCHEOLOGICAL SURVEY FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR ARCHEOLOGY SURVEY STATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 555 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 555, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 555 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 562 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 562 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 562
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM - ARKANSAS HISTORY COMMISSION - BLACK HISTORY COMMISSION FOR THE CURTIS H. SYKES MEMORIAL GRANT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 562 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 562, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 562 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 570 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 570 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 570

As Engrossed: S3/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 570 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 570, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 570 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 571 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 571 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 571
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT FOR GRANTS FOR EMERGENCY SERVICES PROVIDERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 571 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 571, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 571 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 572 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 572 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 572
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECT GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 572 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 572, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 572 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 573 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 573 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 573
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR CONSTRUCTING AND EQUIPPING THE WINTHROP PAUL ROCKEFELLER ARKANSAS STATE POLICE HALL OF HONOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 573 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 573, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 573 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 574 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 574 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 574
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR MATHEMATICS, SCIENCES, AND THE ARTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 574 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 574, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 574 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 575 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 575 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 575
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR FIRE PROTECTION GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 575 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 575, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 575 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 576 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 576 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 576
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR SHELTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 576 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 576, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 576 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 577 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 577 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 577
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR HOSPICE AND SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 577 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 577, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 577 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 578 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 578 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 578
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY PROGRAM GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 578 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 578, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 578 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 579 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 579 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 579
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE NORTH ARKANSAS COLLEGE - BERRYVILLE CAMPUS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 579 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 579, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 579 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 580 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 580 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 580
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR A GRANT TO THE ARKANSAS SCIENCE FAIR ASSOCIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING EXPENSES, SCHOLARSHIPS, PRIZES AND PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 580 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 580, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 580 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 591 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 591 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 591
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 591 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 591, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 591 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 597 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 597 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 597
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM - ARKANSAS HISTORY COMMISSION FOR SUPPORT TO THE BLACK HISTORY COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 597 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 597, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 597 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 598 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 598 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 598

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 598 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 598, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 598 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 599 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 599

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL

HEALTH FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 599 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 599, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller,

B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 599 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 600 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 600 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 600

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY ORGANIZATION GRANTS AND ASSISTANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 600 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 600, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 600 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 601 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 601 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 601

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR CLINTON SCHOOL OF PUBLIC SERVICE SCHOLARSHIPS, OPERATIONS AND EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 601 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 601, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 601 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 602 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 602 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 602

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR ARCHEOLOGICAL SURVEY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 602 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 602, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 602 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 607 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 607 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 607
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WORD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR RENOVATION, CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIRS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 607 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 607, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 607 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 609 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 609 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 609
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR OPERATING EXPENSES, CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPMENT AND MAINTENANCE FOR AWIN; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 609 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 609, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 609 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 610 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 610 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 610
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CLEMMER AND GREENBERG

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR FURNISHINGS, EQUIPMENT, TECHNOLOGY AND HOLDINGS FOR THE LITTLE ROCK - SOUTH LIBRARY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 610 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 610, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 610 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 611 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 611 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 611

As Engrossed: S3/9/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 611 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 611, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 611 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 612 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 612 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 612
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 612 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 612, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 612 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 613 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 613 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 613
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 613 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 613, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 613 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 614 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 614 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 614
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR GRANTS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 614 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 614, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 614 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 615 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 615 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 615
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECT GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 615 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 615, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 615 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 616 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 616 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 616
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - AND ITS VARIOUS DIVISIONS FOR GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 616 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 616, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 616 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 618 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 618 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 618
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK BENTON CAMPUS FOR FEASIBILITY STUDY, CONSTRUCTING, EQUIPPING, FURNISHING, FINISHING, PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 618 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 618, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 618 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 619 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 619 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 619
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS FOR COURTROOM SECURITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 619 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 619, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 619 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 620 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 620 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 620

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT

FOR GRANTS TO COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 620 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 620, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 620 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 621 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 621 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 621

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 621 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 621, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 621 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 622 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 622 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 622
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 622 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 622, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 622 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 623 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 623 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 623
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 623 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 623, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 623 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 624 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 624 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 624

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING

OFFICER FOR THE ARKANSAS SPORTS HALL OF FAME; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 624 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 624, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 624 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 625 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 625 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 625

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - CRIMINAL JUSTICE INSTITUTE FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT EDUCATION AND TRAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 625 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 625, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 625 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 629 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 629 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 629
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 629 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 629, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 629 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 632 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 632 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 632
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT - FORESTRY FOR FIREBOAT TRAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 632 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 632, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 632 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 633 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 633 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 633
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 633 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 633, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 633 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 634 at this time.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 634 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 634
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - AND ITS VARIOUS DIVISIONS FOR GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 634 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 634, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 634 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 635 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 635 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 635
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS FOR OPERATING, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENTS, EQUIPMENT, RENOVATION, AND MAINTENANCE EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 635 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 635, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 635 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 636 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 636 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 636
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 636 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 636, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 636 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 637 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 637 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 637
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECT GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 637 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 637, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 637 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 638 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 638 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 638
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR RESEARCH AND TREATMENT OF AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 638 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 638, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 638 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 639 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 639 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 639

As Engrossed: S3/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ALTES

BY: REPRESENTATIVE GLIDEWELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR ALCOHOL ABUSE REHABILITATION AND TREATMENT CENTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 639 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 639, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 639 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 642 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 642 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 642
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION FOR GRANTS GENERAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 642 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 642, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 642 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 644 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 644 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 644

As Engrossed: S3/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT – LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY FOR CAMP COUCHDALE FOR FACILITY IMPROVEMENTS AND BUILDING CONSTRUCTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 644 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 644, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 644 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 645 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 645 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 645
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 645 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 645, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 645 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 646 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 646 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 646
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 646 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 646, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 646 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 647 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 647 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 647
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 647 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 647, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 647 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 648 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 648 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 648
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR ALCOHOL AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROGRAMS, PREVENTION RESOURCE CENTERS, HOSPICE AND HANDICAP CARE GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 648 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 648, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 648 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 649 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 649 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 649
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR CONSTRUCTING AND EQUIPPING THE WINTHROP PAUL ROCKEFELLER ARKANSAS STATE POLICE HALL OF HONOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 649 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 649, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 649 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 650 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 650 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 650
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 650 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 650, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 650 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 651 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 651 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 651
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF AERONAUTICS FOR AIRPORT IMPROVEMENT GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 651 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 651, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 651 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 652 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 652 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 652
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY
BY: REPRESENTATIVES DALE, GEORGE, HOYT, LEA, OVERBEY & WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY FOR EXPANSION, IMPROVEMENTS, EQUIPPING, AND OTHER ASSOCIATED COSTS FOR THE CORLEY BUILDING AND McEVER HALL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 652 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 652, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 652 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 653 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 653 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 653
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR THE ARKANSAS RIVER CONNECTION PROJECT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 653 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 653, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 653 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 659 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 659 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 659
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR MATHEMATICS, SCIENCES AND ARTS FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, EQUIPMENT, PERSONAL SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION EXPENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 659 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 659, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 659 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 661 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 661 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 661
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - CRIMINAL JUSTICE INSTITUTE FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT EDUCATION AND TRAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 661 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 661, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 661 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 662 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 662 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 662
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE NATIONAL PARK COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, EQUIPMENT, PERSONAL SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION EXPENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 662 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 662, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 662 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 667 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 667 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 667
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WORD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR TECHNOLOGY UPGRADES AND EQUIPMENT, WORKSHOPS AND TRAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 667 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 667, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 667 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 668 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 668 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 668
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR EDUCATIONAL/VOCATIONAL SERVICES AT THE DERMOTT JUVENILE TREATMENT CENTER/CORRECTIONAL CENTER AND OTHER EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 668 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 668, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 668 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 669 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 669 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 669
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF A STUDENT DIVERSITY CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 669 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 669, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 669 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 670 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 670 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 670

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS FOR OPERATING, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENTS, EQUIPMENT, RENOVATION, AND MAINTENANCE EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 670 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 670, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 670 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 672 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 672 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 672
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH - ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE PREVENTION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 672 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 672, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 672 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 673 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 673 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 673
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - BEEBE FOR HEBER SPRINGS CAMPUS CRITICAL MAINTENANCE, LIBRARY HOLDINGS, TECHNOLOGY AND EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 673 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 673, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 673 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 675 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 675 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 675

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. KEY

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOPPER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - MOUNTAIN HOME FOR CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPMENT, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION EXPENSES OF THE ARMY RESERVE OFFICER TRAINING CORPS CLIMBING TOWER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 675 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 675, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 675 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 677 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 677 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 677

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WILKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR GRANTS FOR CITY AND COUNTY PARKS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 677 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 677, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 677 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 678 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 678 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 678
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 678 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 678 , the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 678 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 679 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 679 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 679
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 679 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 679, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 679 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 680 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 680 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 680
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR WILKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE - HISTORIC PRESERVATION FOR GRANTS FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENTS AND EQUIPPING NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES PROPERTIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 680 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 680, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 680 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 682 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 682 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 682

As Engrossed: S3/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR GRANTS FOR SCHOLARSHIPS TO HISTORICALLY BLACK COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 682 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 682, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 682 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 684 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 684 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 684
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR EXPENSES AND INVESTMENTS FOR THE FAY W. BOOZMAN SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM OF THE COLLEGE OF PUBLIC HEALTH; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 684 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 684, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 684 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 685 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 685 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 685
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR THE DEVELOPMENT AND CONSTRUCTION OF A BASEBALL COMPLEX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 685 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 685, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 685 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 686 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 686 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 686
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY BASED PROGRAM GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 686 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 686, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 686 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 687 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 687 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 687
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY BASED YOUTH PROGRAM PROVIDER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 687 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 687, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 687 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 688 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 688 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 688
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS FOR OPERATING, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENTS, EQUIPMENT, RENOVATION, AND MAINTENANCE EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 688 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 688, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 688 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 689 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 689 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 689

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 689 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 689, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 689 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 690 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 690 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 690
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. COMMISSION FOR COMMUNITY GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 690 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 690, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 690 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 691 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 691 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 691
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 691 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 691, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 691 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 692 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 692 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 692
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR A GRANT FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO FACILITIES OF THE ARKANSAS RIVER EDUCATION SERVICE COOPERATIVE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 692 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 692, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 692 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 693 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 693 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 693
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE BUREAU OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH FOR EXPENSES OF THE TASK FORCE ON RACIAL PROFILING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 693 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 693, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 693 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 694 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 694 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 694
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR EXPENSES OF THE TASK FORCE ON RACIAL PROFILING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 694 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 694, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 694 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 699 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 699 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 699
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR THE PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT FOR THE CANCER INSTITUTE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 699 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 699, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 699 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 700 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 700 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 700
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR MATHEMATICS, SCIENCES AND THE ARTS FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, EQUIPMENT, PERSONAL SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 700 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 700, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 700 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 706 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 706 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 706
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 706 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 706, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 706 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 707 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 707 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 707
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS SALMON, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, ELLIOTT, CAPPS, STEELE, P. MALONE, BROADWAY & GLOVER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GREENBERG, WILLIAMS, CLEMMER, KERR, NIX & NICKELS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK FOR OPERATIONS, MAINTENANCE, EQUIPMENT, AND FACILITIES FOR THE NANOTECHNOLOGY CENTER AT UALR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 707 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 707, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 707 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 708 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 708 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 708
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR RAILROAD RECLAMATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 708 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 708, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 708 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 713 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 713 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 713
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 713 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 713, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 713 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 715 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 715 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 715
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE EAST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 715 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 715, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 715 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 716 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 716 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 716
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR COMMUNITY GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 716 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 716, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 716 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 717 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 717 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 717
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR A WEEK-END FROZEN HOME DELIVERED MEAL PILOT PROGRAM FOR THE ARKANSAS AREA AGENCY ON AGING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 717 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 717, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 717 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 718 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 718 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 718
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE MID-SOUTH COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 718 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 718, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 718 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 719 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 719 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 719
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE CROWLEY'S RIDGE TECHNICAL INSTITUTE FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENTS, EQUIPMENT, RENOVATION, AND MAINTENANCE EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 719 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 719, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 719 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 720 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 720 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 720

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PHILLIPS COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENTS, EQUIPMENT, RENOVATION, AND MAINTENANCE EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 720 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 720, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 720 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 721 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 721 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 721
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR AREA HEALTH EDUCATION CENTERS AND COUNTY COOPERATIVE CLINICS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 721 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 721, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 721 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 722 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 722 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 722

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 722 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 722, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 722 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 723 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 723 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 723

As Engrossed: S3/9/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR COMMUNITY GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 723 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 723, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 723 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 724 at this time.

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On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 724 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 724
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF CHILD CARE AND EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION FOR AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 724 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 724, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 724 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

House refused to accept Senate Bill No. 724.

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The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 724 passed and the emergency clause adopted was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 1, 2009.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 729 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 729 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 729

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR OPERATING AND PROGRAMMATIC EXPENSES OF THE PARENTS FOR INCLUSIVE COMMUNITY PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 729 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 729, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 729 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 731 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 731 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 731
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR THE DONALD REYNOLDS INSTITUTE ON AGING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 731 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 731, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 731 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 733 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 733 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 733
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT AND D. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR THE PURCHASE OF GROSS ANATOMY EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 733 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 733, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 733 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 737 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 737 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 737
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LAVERTY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR AN AVIATION CADET MUSUEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 737 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 737, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 737 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 742 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 742 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 742

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS B. JOHNSON AND MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE BUREAU OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH FOR EXPENSES OF THE ARKANSAS BLUE RIBBON COMMITTEE ON HIGHWAY FINANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 742 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 742, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 742 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 743 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 743 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 743
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR MATHEMATICS, SCIENCES AND ARTS FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, EQUIPMENT, PERSONAL SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION EXPENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 743 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 743, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 743 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 747 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 747 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 747

As Engrossed: S3/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS BUILDING AUTHORITY FOR THE SUSTAINABLE BUILDING DESIGN PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 747 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 747, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 747 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 748 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 748 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 748
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF - AGRICULTURAL RESEARCH AND EXTENSION PROGRAM FOR ESTABLISHING THE SWEET POTATO FOUNDATION SEED PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 748 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 748, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 748 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 755 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 755 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 755

As Engrossed: S3/9/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 755 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 755, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 755 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 756 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 756 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 756
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 756 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 756, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 756 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 757 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 757 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 757
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY BASED AND JUVENILE DELINQUENCY PREVENTION PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 757 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 757, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 757 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 758 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 758 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 758
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPPING, MAINTENANCE, OPERATIONS, AND PERSONAL SERVICES OF THE ARKANSAS SPORTS HALL OF FAME; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 758 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 758, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 758 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 759 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 759 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 759
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - ARKANSAS CHILD ABUSE/RAPE/DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COMMISSION FOR GRANTS TO CHILD ADVOCACY CENTERS STATEWIDE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 759 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 759, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 759 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 760 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 760 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 760
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR CREATION OF THE ARKANSAS EVALUATION CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 760 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 760, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 760 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 762 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 762 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 762
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 762 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 762, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 762 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 763 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 763 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 763
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR ADDITIONAL FUNDING TO THE 1890 RESEARCH AND EXTENSION PROGRAMS MATCHING FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 763 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 763, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 763 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1448 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1448 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1448
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - ARKANSAS COMMISSION FOR THE NEWBORN UMBILICAL CORD BLOOD INITIATIVE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1448 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1448, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1448 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1963 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1963 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1963
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WILLS, RAGLAND, ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, T. BAKER, BARNETT, DAVENPORT, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, GEORGE, HOYT, LINDSEY, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, REEP, REYNOLDS, WELLS, WILLIAMS & WORD
BY: SENATORS CAPPS, B. JOHNSON, ALTES, G. BAKER, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, ELLIOTT, D. JOHNSON, J. KEY, LUKER, MADISON, P. MALONE, SALMON, R. THOMPSON, TRUSTY & WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS RISK CAPITAL MATCHING FUND ACT OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1963 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1963, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1963 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

Senator Baker moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 506 passed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 506 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Senate Bill No. 897 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 972 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 993 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

March 31, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on March 31, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 12,
Senate Bill No. 179, - ACT 720,
Senate Bill No. 449, - ACT 721,
Senate Bill No. 470, - ACT 722,
Senate Bill No. 515, - ACT 723,
Senate Bill No. 516, - ACT 724,
Senate Bill No. 804, - ACT 725,
Senate Bill No. 806, - ACT 726,
Senate Bill No. 873, - ACT 727,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1930

As Engrossed: H3/25/09 H3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO REQUIRE A HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN TO OFFER COVERAGE FOR HEARING AIDS IN AN AMOUNT OF NOT LESS THAN ONE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED DOLLARS ($1,400) PER EAR EVERY THREE (3) YEARS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1930 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2069

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HYDE

BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO TRANSFER THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE FEDERAL SURPLUS PROPERTY PROGRAM FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2069 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2075

As Engrossed: H3/24/09 H3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO ADDRESS INSURANCE MATTERS AFFECTING THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-89-216, AS ENACTED BY ACT 485 OF 2009; TO ADDRESS ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS AND ENFORCEMENT OF THE COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH INSURANCE POOL PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 2075 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2160

As Engrossed: H3/16/09 H3/20/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ALLEN, *T. BAKER, BLOUNT, DAVIS, J. EDWARDS, W. LEWELLEN, RAINEY, SHELBY, WILLIAMS & WORD*

BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO PROTECT THE HEALTH, SAFETY AND WELFARE OF ARKANSAS CITIZENS BY REDUCING THE POSSIBILITY THAT IMITATION FIREARMS ARE MISTAKEN AS REAL FIREARMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 2075 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2169

As Engrossed: H3/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN

BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS TITLE INSURANCE ACT, § 23-103-401 ET SEQ.; TO AMEND THE LAWS AFFECTING TITLE INSURANCE AGENTS AND COMPANIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2169 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2203

Engrossed: H3/18/09 H3/20/09 H3/25/09 H3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WILLIAMS, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BLOUNT, M. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CLEMMER, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, FLOWERS, GARNER, GREENBERG, HARDY, HOBBS, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LOVELL, MAXWELL, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, PENNARTZ, PIERCE, PYLE, RAINEY, RICE, T. ROGERS, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, TYLER, WEBB, WOODS & WORD

BY: SENATORS H. WILKINS, BROADWAY, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, D. JOHNSON, T. SMITH, STEELE, R. THOMPSON & D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE REFUND ANTICIPATION LOAN ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2203 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2231

As Engrossed: H3/24/09 H3/26/09 H3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE FLOWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING NOTARY PUBLIC BONDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 2231 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 31, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 6, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Joint Resolution No. 6 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 31, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 370, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 592, BY SENATOR WHITAKER,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 370 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 592 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 31, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 402, BY SENATOR P. MALONE,
SENATE BILL NO. 958, BY SENATOR CAPPS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 31, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 779, BY SENATOR P. MALONE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Malone, Senate Bill No. 779 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 31, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 2020, BY REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 31, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1581, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1860, BY REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2011, BY REPRESENTATIVE WOODS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2119, BY REPRESENTATIVE WOODS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

March 31, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1978, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2045, BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2208, BY REPRESENTATIVE BARNETT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

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SENATE BILL NO. 182
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On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Wednesday, April 1, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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EIGHTIETH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

April 1, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Pastor Odie Phillips, Greater Fellowship Christian Church, Conway, Arkansas.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 915 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 915

Amend Senate Bill No. 915 as originally introduced:

Delete all language after the enacting clause and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 27-50-1203(a)(2), regarding the Arkansas Towing and Recovery Board, is amended to read as follows:

(2)(A)(i) ~~Four (4) members shall be appointed from the towing industry and shall be licensed by the board to engage in nonconsent towing, with one (1) each of the members being a resident of each of the four (4) congressional districts~~ Each of the four (4) congressional districts is to have one (1) member who resides in that district appointed from the towing industry.

(ii) Of these four (4) members, two (2) shall be licensed by the board to engage in nonconsent towing and two (2) shall be permitted to engage in the consent-only towing business.

(B) ~~Two (2) members who are permitted to engage in the consent-only business shall be appointed from the state at large~~ Two (2) members shall be engaged in the trucking industry and shall be selected from a list of six (6) names submitted by the Arkansas Trucking Association.

(C) Two (2) members who are not associated with the towing industry shall be appointed from the state at large.

(D) One (1) member shall be appointed from the insurance industry.

SECTION 2. NOT TO BE CODIFIED. (a)(1) The terms of the four (4) members of the Arkansas Towing and Recovery Board that are licensed by the board to engage in nonconsent towing shall expire on the effective date of this act.

(2) The terms of the two (2) members of the Arkansas Towing and Recovery Board that are permitted to engage in consent-only towing shall expire on the effective date of this act.

(b)(1) The terms of members of the board appointed under this act shall be as follows:

(A) The term of one (1) member who is licensed to engage in nonconsent towing to expire June 22, 2010;

(B) The term of one (1) member who is permitted to engage in consent-only towing to expire on June 22, 2010;

(C) The term of one (1) member who is engaged in the trucking industry to expire on June 22, 2010;

(D) The term of one (1) member who is licensed to engage in nonconsent towing to expire June 22, 2013;

(E) The term of one (1) member who is permitted to engage in consent-only towing to expire on June 22, 2013; and

(F) The term of one (1) member who is engaged in the trucking industry to expire on June 22, 2013; and

(2) Subsequent appointments are for a term of three (3) years.

(c) The Governor shall make his or her appointments to the Arkansas Towing and Recovery Board as provided under this act by July 1, 2009.

(d) This act shall not limit the Governor from reappointing a member of the board.

SECTION 3. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that the Arkansas Towing and Recovery Board serves an important and valuable role in this state; that the board requires restructuring to fulfill its functions and advance its goals; and that the ideal time to commence this restructuring is on the expiration the terms of other members and before the beginning of the state's fiscal year. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on June 22, 2009."

(SIGNED) SENATOR SALMON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 915 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 864 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 864

Amend Senate Bill No. 864 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 32 through 36 and substitute the following:

"(c)(1) The license fee for an owner of twelve (12) or more dogs, cats, or any combination of dogs and cats is fifty dollars ($50.00).

(2)(A) The license fee is waived for:

(i) An owner of dogs and cats who is licensed through the United State Department of Agriculture; and

(ii) An organization that cares for dogs and cats and is exempt under § 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 as it existed on January 1, 2009.

(B) An owner and an organization under subdivision (c)(2)(A) of this section are still required to obtain a license required under subsection (b) of this section."

AND

Page 2, delete line 1 and substitute the following:

"(d)(1) The owner of twenty-four (24) or more dogs, cats, or any combination of dogs and cats shall post a security bond with the Arkansas Agriculture Department in an amount to be determined by rule promulgated by the Arkansas Agriculture Department.

(2) The moneys received from the security bond shall be used to remediate sites where dogs and cats have been abandoned."

AND

Page 2, line 2, delete "(d)" and substitute "(e)"

AND

Page 2, line 20, delete "(e)" and substitute "(f)"

AND

Page 2, line 28, delete "(f)" and substitute "(g)"

AND

Page 2, line 31, delete "(g)" and substitute "(h)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MADISON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 864 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 129 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 129

Amend Senate Bill No. 129 as engrossed, S2/18/09:
Page 3, line 1, delete "$30" and substitute "$50"

AND

Page 3, line 4, delete "1929-1929" and substitute "1920-1929"

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 129 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 231 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 231

Amend Senate Bill No. 231 as engrossed, S3/4/09:
Page 3, line 20, delete "(a)" and substitute "(a)(1)"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 29 through 36 and substitute:

"~~(d) An increase in school revenue~~ The applicable number of years used in computing final average salary for retirement benefits shall be set by the board.

(2) Only full service years shall be used in the calculation.

(3) The applicable number of highest salary years shall be ranked from lowest to highest remuneration.

(4) The lowest remuneration year in the ranking shall be the base year.

(5) The next highest ranked remuneration year shall be compared to the base year.

(6) The next highest year's value in the

calculation of final average salary shall not exceed one hundred twenty percent (120%) of the base year, unless the difference in value between the next highest year and the base year is five thousand dollars ($5,000) or less.

(7) After comparison of the base year to the next highest year, any required reduction to the next highest year shall be made.

(8) The next highest year, with any required reduction, becomes the new base year to compare to the next succeeding highest remuneration year in the ranking until all years in the ranking have been compared to its base and reduced as necessary according to the formula.

(9) The total value of the base years shall then be averaged to determine final average salary.

(b) If full service years of service are not available for the number of applicable years of service required by board rule for the calculation of a member's final average salary for retirement benefits, the board may promulgate rules to establish a fair base year for a member's final average salary for purposes of comparison under subdivision (27)(A)(iii)(a) of this section."

AND

Page 4, delete lines 1 through 3

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 231 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 177 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 177

Amend Senate Bill No. 177 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 24-10-404, concerning members' deposit accounts in the Arkansas Local Police and Fire Retirement System, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(f)(1) For purposes of deferring federal and state income tax under the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, 26 U.S.C. § 414(h)(2), as adopted by § 26-51-414, the political subdivision that pays the salary of the member shall pick up the members' contributions to the system as required by this section, beginning with contributions made on and after July 1, 2009.

(2)(A) Member contributions paid by the applicable political subdivision shall be paid from the same source of funds used for the payment of salary to the member.

(B) A deduction shall be made from each member's salary, equal to the amount of the member's contribution paid by the employer.

(3) For all other purposes, member contributions paid by the political subdivision shall be considered member contributions.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 24-10-612(c)(3), as amended by Act 720 of 2009, concerning a redetermination of retirement benefits, is amended to read as follows:

(3)~~(A) Except as provided in subdivision (c)(3)(B) of this section, the~~ The redetermination under subdivisions (c)(1) and (2) of this section is applicable to all paid service members or their beneficiaries receiving benefits under this subchapter.

~~(B) The redetermination under subdivisions (c)(1) and (2) of this section does not apply to service members receiving benefits under § 24-10-607.~~

SECTION 3. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that members under the Arkansas Local Police and Fire Retirement System are currently paying income tax on the employer's contribution to their retirement account; that other members of state-supported retirement systems are not required to pay income tax on their employer's contributions; and that the members of the Arkansas Local Police and Fire Retirement System should receive pre-tax employer contributions. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on July 1, 2009."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 177 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, House Bill No. 2203 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 2203

Amend House Bill No. 2203 as engrossed, H3/30/09:
Page 3, line 7, delete "may"

(SIGNED) SENATOR HENRY "HANK" WILKINS

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2203 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 957 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 957

Amend Senate Bill No. 957 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 9 and substitute the following:
"AN ACT PROVIDING THAT THE SENATE AND HOUSE INTERIM JUDICIARY COMMITTEES SHALL STUDY THE LONG-"

AND

Delete the subtitle and substitute the following:

"PROVIDING THAT THE SENATE AND HOUSE INTERIM JUDICIARY COMMITTEES SHALL STUDY THE LONG-TERM ECONOMIC IMPACT AND OTHER PROBLEMS AND COSTS ASSOCIATED WTIH BLACK-0N-BLACK CRIME."

AND

Delete everything following the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. NOT TO BE CODIFIED. (a) The Senate Interim Judiciary Committee and the House Interim Judiciary Committee shall study the long-term economic impact and health care costs associated with Black-on-Black crime in the State of Arkansas.

(b) The issues studied by the committees shall include without limitation:

(1) Whether a sufficient number of rehabilitation programs and housing and employment opportunities exist for ex-felons;

(2) A study of the available violence prevention and intervention services in the State of Arkansas;

(3) Whether the state contains a sufficient number of substance abuse treatment centers;

(4) The sustainability of current sources of violence prevention programs;

(5) Alternative sources of revenue to fund crime prevention and possible ways to reform crime prevention funding; and

(6) The development of strategies to reduce Black-on-Black crime.

(c) The Senate Interim Judiciary Committee and the House Interim Judiciary Committee shall provide a report concerning the findings of the study under this section to the following by December 1, 2010:

(1) The President Pro Tempore of the Senate;

(2) The Speaker of the House of Representatives; and

(3) The Legislative Council."

(SIGNED) SENATOR ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 957 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 129, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 177, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 231, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 129 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 177 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 231 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

Senate BILL NO. 864, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 864 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
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April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

Senate BILL NO. 915, BY SENATOR SALMON,
Senate BILL NO. 957, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 915 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 957 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

House BILL NO. 2203, BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wilkins, House Bill No. 2203 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1582, BY REPRESENTATIVE EDWARDS,
House Bill No. 1966, BY REPRESENTATIVE CHEATHAM,
House Bill No. 2147, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOVELL,
House Bill No. 2191, BY REPRESENTATIVE PATTERSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1172, BY REPRESENTATIVE GREEN,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

Senate Resolution No. 24, BY SENATOR SALMON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 839, BY SENATOR SALMON,
Senate Bill No. 949, BY SENATOR D. WYATT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 79, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 963, BY SENATOR STEELE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 63, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass concur House Amendment No. 1

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1533, BY REPRESENTATIVE T. BRADFORD,
House Bill No. 1603, BY REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY,
House Bill No. 1927, BY REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY,
House Bill No. 1997, BY REPRESENTATIVE HALL,
House Bill No. 2057, BY REPRESENTATIVE REEP,
House Bill No. 2195, BY REPRESENTATIVE PENNARTZ,
House Bill No. 2244, BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH ,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 337, BY SENATOR FARIS,
Senate Bill No. 664, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
Senate Bill No. 860, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
Senate Bill No. 862, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
Senate Bill No. 943, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
Senate Bill No. 987, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
Senate Bill No. 998, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
Senate Bill No. 999, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 814, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 3.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 861, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on Joint Budget, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 47, BY JOINT BUDGET,
Senate Bill No. 81, BY JOINT BUDGET,
Senate Bill No. 195, BY JOINT BUDGET,
Senate Bill No. 326, BY JOINT BUDGET,
Senate Bill No. 328, BY JOINT BUDGET,
Senate Bill No. 340, BY SENATOR LUKER,
Senate Bill No. 418, BY JOINT BUDGET,
Senate Bill No. 466, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,
Senate Bill No. 483, BY SENATOR MILLER,
Senate Bill No. 484, BY SENATOR MILLER,
Senate Bill No. 485, BY SENATOR MILLER,
Senate Bill No. 507, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE
Senate Bill No. 510, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,
Senate Bill No. 511, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,
Senate Bill No. 556, BY SENATOR HENDREN,
Senate Bill No. 557, BY SENATOR HENDREN,
Senate Bill No. 558, BY SENATOR HENDREN,
Senate Bill No. 559, BY SENATOR HENDREN,
Senate Bill No. 560, BY SENATOR HENDREN,
Senate Bill No. 561, BY SENATOR HENDREN,
Senate Bill No. 565, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,
Senate Bill No. 566, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,
Senate Bill No. 593, BY SENATOR LUKER,
Senate Bill No. 594, BY SENATOR LUKER,
Senate Bill No. 604, BY SENATOR LUKER,
Senate Bill No. 605, BY SENATOR LUKER,
Senate Bill No. 606, BY SENATOR LUKER,
Senate Bill No. 665, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
Senate Bill No. 674, BY SENATOR MILLER,

Senate Bill No. 683, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,
Senate Bill No. 696, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,
Senate Bill No. 697, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE
Senate Bill No. 698, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,
Senate Bill No. 741, BY SENATOR MALONE,
Senate Bill No. 749, BY SENATOR MALONE
Senate Bill No. 750, BY SENATOR MALONE,
Senate Bill No. 751, BY SENATOR MALONE

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 100, BY JOINT BUDGET,
Senate Bill No. 714, BY SENATOR B. JOHNSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 779, BY SENATOR MALONE,
Senate Bill No. 995, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

Senate Bill No. 776, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1473, BY REPRESENTATIVE CREEKMORE,
House Bill No. 1706, BY REPRESENTATIVE PIERCE,
House Bill No. 1799, BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON,
House Bill No. 1913, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,
House Bill No. 2082, BY REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS,
House Bill No. 2145, BY REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR RUTH WHITAKER
VICE CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 2265, BY REPRESENTATIVE NICKELS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1489, BY REPRESENTATIVE CARTER,
House Bill No. 2013, BY REPRESENTATIVE M. BURRIS,
House Bill No. 2022, BY REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

Senate Joint Resolution No. 3, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 826, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 897, BY SENATOR GLOVER,
SENATE BILL NO. 972, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 993, BY SENATOR R. THOMPSON

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:45 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 826,

SENATE BILL NO. 897,

SENATE BILL NO. 972,

SENATE BILL NO. 993,

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 1st day of April, 2009 at 10:45 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Sarah S. Agee
Secretary

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 534 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Key, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 534 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 211 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 211 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Key.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 212 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 212 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Key.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 213 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 213 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Key.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 214 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 214 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Key.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 215 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 215 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Key.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 736 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Laverty, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 736 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 319 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Laverty, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 319 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Key, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1751 at this time.

On motion of Senator Key, House Bill No. 1751 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1751

Amend House Bill No. 1751 engrossed, S3/18/09:

Page 2, delete line 25, and substitute the following:
"subdivisions (a)(5)(B) and (D) of this section;"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 26 through 32, and substitute the following:
"(B)(i) To regulate patient transports, by the patient's choice of either the emergency medical service provided by the regulating city or the emergency medical service provided by the medical facility, to the regulating city originating from outside the regulating city or cooperative governmental unit.

(ii) If the medical facility does not operate an emergency medical service and the patient has chosen to be transported by the medical facility, then the patient shall be transported by the emergency medical service provided by the city in which the medical facility is located;

(C) To regulate patient transports originating from within the regulating city by emergency medical service providers with an existing special purpose license issued by the Department of Health on the effective date of this act; and

(D) To regulate patient transports authorized by the regulating city's franchised emergency medical service provider in a mutual aid agreement if the franchised emergency medical service provider is not able to provide patient transports in a timely manner under the franchise agreement."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. KEY

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1751 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Key, Senate Resolution No. 27 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 27
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE ARKANSAS CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION TO INITIATE AND SUPPORT APPROPRIATE LEGISLATIVE ACTION TO INCREASE THE NUMBER OF MEDICAL RESIDENCY POSITIONS AND THE NECESSARY ADDITIONAL FUNDING FOR THIS PURPOSE.

Senate Resolution No. 27 was read the third time and ADOPTED.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Capps, Senate Bill No. 959 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 959

Amend Senate Bill No. 959 as originally introduced:

Delete everything following the enacting clause and substitute the following:
"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-17-1903 is repealed.
~~6-17-1903. Minority Teacher Recruitment Advisory Council — Creation.~~
~~(a) There is created a Minority Teacher Recruitment Advisory Council.~~
~~(b)(1) The council shall meet at least three (3) times a year to provide advice and counsel to the Equity Assistance Center.~~
~~(2) Members shall be appointed by the Governor.~~
~~(3) At least four (4) members of the council shall be members of a racial minority.~~
~~(4) The members of the council shall serve staggered terms of four (4) years.~~

~~(5) The members of the council shall annually elect a chair.~~

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code §§ 6-61-115 through 6-61-120 are repealed.

~~6-61-115. Arkansas Institution for Advocacy for the Blind.~~

~~(a) There is created the Arkansas Institution for Advocacy for the Blind. The institution shall be an institution of learning to train individuals to become advocates for the blind and to provide the information to the public concerning the needs and rights of blind citizens.~~

~~(b) The institution may provide educational services through a cooperative venture with one (1) or more institutions of higher education.~~

~~(c) The educational program of the institution shall not duplicate any social, rehabilitative, or educational programs for the blind that are in existence in the state on July 30, 1999.~~

~~6-61-116. Arkansas Board for the Institution for Advocacy for the Blind — Created.~~

~~(a) There is created the Arkansas Board for the Institution for Advocacy for the Blind.~~

~~(b)(1) The members of the board shall be appointed by the Governor as follows:~~

~~(A) Two (2) members shall be persons certified or degreed in the education of children who are visually impaired;~~

~~(B) One (1) member shall be a person who is legally blind;~~

~~(C) One (1) member shall be the parent of a legally blind child; and~~

~~(D) One (1) member shall be appointed from the general public.~~

~~(2) Appointments shall be made so that no more than two (2) members of the board shall reside in the same congressional district.~~

~~(3) The racial makeup of the board should reflect the racial population of the state as accurately as possible.~~

~~(c) The members of the board shall serve for terms of five (5) years. The initial appointees shall determine their terms by lot so that the term of one (1) member shall expire each year.~~

~~(d) The members of the board shall annually elect a chair.~~

~~(e) Meetings of the board shall be held during evening hours or on Saturdays. At least twenty (20) minutes shall be reserved at the end of each board meeting for members of the public to address the board.~~

~~(f) Each member of the board may receive expense reimbursement in accordance with § 25-16-902.~~

~~6-61-117. Arkansas Board for the Institution for Advocacy for the Blind — Powers.~~

~~The Arkansas Board for the Institution for Advocacy for the Blind may:~~

~~(1) Enter into cooperative ventures with one (1) or more institutions of higher education for the provision of facilities, equipment, and staff necessary for the institution; and~~

~~(2) Accept donations, gifts, and contributions in money, services, materials, or otherwise from any source and use or expend such moneys, services, materials, or other contributions in carrying on its operations, and accept appropriations from the state upon such terms and conditions as may be imposed by law to be used in the furtherance of this section, § 6-61-115, and § 6-61-116.~~

~~6-61-118. Arkansas Institution for Advocacy for the Deaf.~~

~~(a) There is created the Arkansas Institution for Advocacy for the Deaf. The institution shall be an institution of learning to train individuals to become advocates for the deaf and to provide the information to the public concerning the needs and rights of deaf citizens.~~

~~(b) The institution may provide educational services through a cooperative venture with one (1) or more institutions of higher education.~~

~~(c) The educational program of the institution shall not duplicate any social, rehabilitative, or educational programs for the deaf that are in existence in the state on July 30, 1999.~~

~~6-61-119. Arkansas Board for the Institution for Advocacy for the Deaf — Created.~~

~~(a) There is created the Arkansas Board for the Institution for Advocacy for the Deaf.~~

~~(b)(1) The members of the board shall be appointed by the Governor as follows:~~

~~(A) Two (2) members shall be persons certified or degreed in the education of children who are deaf;~~

~~(B) One (1) member shall be a person who is legally deaf;~~

~~(C) One (1) member shall be the parent of a legally deaf child; and~~

~~(D) One (1) member shall be appointed from the general public.~~

~~(2) Appointments shall be made so that no more than two (2) members of the board shall reside in the same congressional district.~~

~~(3) The racial makeup of the board should reflect the racial population of the state as accurately as possible.~~

~~(c) The members of the board shall serve for terms of five (5) years. The initial appointees shall determine their terms by lot so that the term of one (1) member shall expire each year.~~

~~(d) The members of the board shall annually elect a chair.~~

~~(e) Meetings of the board shall be held during evening hours or on Saturdays. At least twenty (20) minutes shall be reserved at the end of each board meeting for members of the public to address the board.~~

~~(f) Each member of the board may receive expense reimbursement in accordance with § 25-16-902.~~

~~6-61-120. Arkansas Board for the Institution for Advocacy for the Deaf — Powers.~~

~~The Arkansas Board for the Institution for Advocacy for the Deaf may:~~

~~(1) Enter into cooperative ventures with one (1) or more institutions of higher education for the provision of facilities, equipment, and staff necessary for the institution; and~~

~~(2) Accept donations, gifts, and contributions in money, services, materials, or otherwise from any source and use or expend such moneys, services, materials, or other contributions in carrying on its operations, and accept appropriations from the state upon such terms and conditions as may be imposed by law to be used in the furtherance of this section, § 6-61-118, and § 6-61-119.~~

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 8-4-314 is repealed.

~~8-4-314. Compliance Advisory Panel — Small Business Stationary Source Technical and Environmental Compliance Assistance Program.~~

~~(a) There shall be created a Compliance Advisory Panel, the "panel", composed of seven (7) individuals.~~

~~(b) The panel shall consist of:~~

~~(1) Two (2) members who are not owners or representatives of owners of small business stationary sources selected by the Governor to represent the general public;~~

~~(2) Two (2) members selected by the Speaker of the House of Representatives who are owners or who represent owners of small business stationary sources;~~

~~(3) Two (2) members selected by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate who are owners or who represent owners of small business stationary sources; and~~

~~(4) One (1) member selected by the Director of the Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality.~~

~~(c)(1) Panel members shall serve a term of four (4) years.~~

~~(2) In the event of a vacancy in the membership of the panel concerning a member selected by the General Assembly or the Governor, the Governor shall appoint a person meeting the applicable eligibility requirements of the vacated position to fill the vacancy for the remainder of the unexpired term.~~

~~(3) In the event of a vacancy in the membership of the panel concerning the member appointed by the director, the director shall appoint a person to fill the vacancy for the remainder of the unexpired term.~~

~~(d)(1) The panel shall hold at least one (1) regular meeting in each calendar year at a time and place determined by the panel.~~

~~(2) Special meetings may be called at the discretion of the chair.~~

~~(e) The panel shall select a chair and vice chair during the first annual meeting of each four-year term.~~

~~(f) Four (4) members of the panel shall constitute a quorum to transact business.~~

~~(g) The members of the panel may receive expense reimbursement in accordance with § 25-16-901 et seq.~~

~~(h) The panel shall:~~

~~(1) Render advisory opinions concerning the effectiveness of the Small Business Stationary Source Technical and Environmental Compliance Assistance Program, the "program", difficulties encountered, and degree and severity of enforcement;~~

~~(2) Make periodic reports to the Administrator of the United States Environmental Protection Agency concerning the compliance of the program with the requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act, the Regulatory Flexibility Act, and the Equal Access to Justice Act;~~

~~(3) Review information for small business stationary sources to assure such information is understandable by the layperson; and~~

~~(4) Have the program serve as the secretariat for the development and dissemination of such reports and advisory opinions.~~

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code §§ 13-5-603 and 13-5-604 are repealed.

~~13-5-603. Arkansas Post Museum Advisory Committee — Members.~~

~~(a) The Governor shall establish the Arkansas Post Museum Advisory Committee, to consist of not fewer than seven (7) nor more than nine (9) members as determined by the Governor.~~

~~(b)(1) All members shall be appointed for terms of five (5) years.~~

~~(2) All vacancies on the committee shall be filled by appointment by the Governor.~~

~~(c) At least one (1) of the members of the committee shall be a historian by profession.~~

~~(d)(1) The members of the committee shall serve without pay.~~

~~(2) The State Parks Division of the Department of Parks and Tourism is authorized to reimburse the committee members for expenses in accordance with § 25-16-901 et seq.~~

~~13-5-604. Arkansas Post Museum Advisory Committee — Duties.~~

~~(a)(1) The members of the Arkansas Post Museum Advisory Committeeshall serve in an advisory capacity to the State Parks Division of the Department of Parks and Tourism in the establishment of policies and procedures for the development and operation of the Arkansas Post Museum.~~

~~(2) However, final authority for all matters relating to the development and operation of the museum shall rest with the Director of the Department of Parks and Tourism.~~

~~(b) The committee shall develop and coordinate efforts to encourage gifts to the museum, under the supervision of the Director of the Arkansas Post Museum and with the approval of the Director of the State Parks Division of the Department of Parks and Tourism.~~

SECTION 5. Arkansas Code Title 15, Subchapter 4, Chapter 26, concerning the Arkansas Delta Development Commission, is repealed.

~~15-4-2601. Definitions.~~

~~As used in this subchapter:~~

~~(1) "Commission" means the Arkansas Delta Development Commission;~~

~~(2) "Delta region" means Arkansas, Ashley, Baxter, Bradley, Calhoun, Chicot, Clay, Cleveland, Craighead, Crittenden, Cross, Dallas, Desha, Drew, Fulton, Grant, Greene, Independence, Izard, Jackson, Jefferson, Lawrence, Lee, Lincoln, Lonoke, Marion, Mississippi, Monroe, Ouachita, Phillips, Poinsett, Prairie, Randolph, Searcy, Sharp, St. Francis, Stone, Union, Van Buren, White, and Woodruff counties;~~

~~(3) "Director" means the Executive Director of the Arkansas Delta Development Commission; and~~

~~(4) "Priority ranking" means the ranking by counties made by the commission under § 15-4-2605.~~

~~15-4-2602. Establishment.~~

~~(a) There is created a commission to be known as the "Arkansas Delta Development Commission".~~

~~(b) The commission shall consist of eleven (11) members, each of whom shall be a resident of the Delta region.~~

~~(c)(1) Two (2) members shall be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.~~

~~(2) Two (2) members shall be appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate.~~

~~(3) Six (6) members shall be appointed by the Governor, and one (1) of the six (6) shall be a cochair of the commission.~~

~~(4) One (1) member shall be appointed jointly by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate and shall be a cochair of the commission.~~

~~(d)(1) The cochairs shall each serve a one-year term.~~

~~(2) The remaining nine (9) members shall serve three-year staggered terms, to be determined by lot at the first meeting of the commission so that three (3) serve one-year terms, three (3) serve two-year terms, and three (3) serve three-year terms.~~

~~(e)(1) The cochair appointed by the Governor may be removed for cause by the Governor.~~

~~(2) The cochair appointed jointly by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate may be removed for cause by the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate acting jointly.~~

~~(3) Any of the remaining nine (9) members may be removed for cause by the cochairs acting jointly.~~

~~(f) Any vacancy arising in the membership of the commission for any reason other than expiration of the regular terms for which the members were appointed shall be filled by appointment by the person or persons who appointed the vacating member.~~

~~(g) Each member of the commission may receive expense reimbursement and stipends in accordance with § 25-16-905.~~

~~15-4-2603. Meetings.~~

~~(a) The Arkansas Delta Development Commission shall meet quarterly and at other such times as the cochairs acting jointly shall designate.~~

~~(b) At least two (2) times annually, the commission shall meet in a place or places within the Delta region that the commission shall deem appropriate.~~

~~(c) A quorum shall consist of not fewer than six (6) members present at any regular or special meeting, and a majority affirmative vote of members attending shall be necessary for the disposition of any business.~~

~~15-4-2604. Staff.~~

~~(a) The Arkansas Delta Development Commission may employ an executive director and fix his or her compensation, duties, authority, and responsibilities.~~

~~(b) The Executive Director of the Arkansas Delta Development Commission may hire support staff and other personnel as necessary to properly discharge his or her duties.~~

~~(c) The director shall be custodian of all property held in the name of the commission and shall be, ex officio, the disbursing agent of all funds available for its use.~~

~~15-4-2605. Duties.~~

~~(a) The Arkansas Delta Development Commission shall:~~

~~(1) Develop a comprehensive economic profile of each county in the Delta region;~~

~~(2) Develop, in cooperation with state, county, and local governments, a coordinated plan to identify those Delta region counties most in need of economic assistance;~~

~~(3) Develop priority rankings to ensure that greater resources are directed to the most distressed Delta region counties, while ensuring that all Delta region counties receive some assistance;~~

~~(4) Provide:~~

~~(A) Assistance to Delta region counties to help them meet their cost-share responsibilities to other state programs; and~~

~~(B) Cost-share assistance on the basis of each county's priority ranking; and~~

~~(5) Monitor county priority rankings to ensure that rankings are revised when necessary or appropriate.~~

~~(b) The commission shall adopt and may modify rules for the conduct of its business and shall keep a public record of its transactions, findings, and determinations.~~

~~(c)(1) The commission shall be charged with the duty of administering the provisions of this subchapter.~~

~~(2) By resolution, the commission may delegate to the Executive Director of the Arkansas Delta Development Commission any of the powers or duties vested in or imposed upon it by this subchapter. These delegated powers and duties may be exercised by the director in the name of the commission.~~

~~(d) The commission may promote the development, retention, expansion, and support of economic opportunities in the Delta region through coordination with all state agencies, any available assistance programs, and through partnerships with private enterprises in the Delta region.~~

~~(e) The commission shall provide moneys to public and private nonprofit programs operating in or for the Delta region to fund research, technical assistance, and any construction of facilities necessary for any such programs.~~

~~(f)(1) The commission may receive gifts, grants, donations, fee conveyances, or transfers of money and property, both real and personal, from private and public sources or federal sources, or either, and sell or dispose of such property, real and personal, or either, as the commission deems advisable.~~

~~(2) Any funds and income from any property so furnished shall be placed in the State Treasury in the Arkansas Delta Region Trust Fund and shall be expended in the same manner as other state moneys are expended, upon vouchers drawn by the director.~~

~~(g) The commission shall prepare and publicize through the various appropriate media, including paid advertisements in instances in which appropriations have been made available for that purpose, information for the purpose of bringing into and establishing new industry in the state.~~

~~(h) The commission shall report its activities and progress to the Legislative Council by October 1 each year.~~

~~15-4-2606. Cooperative priority.~~

~~(a) All state agencies shall actively cooperate with the Arkansas Delta Development Commission.~~

~~(b) All state agencies shall to the fullest extent allowed by law give priority to the commission's Delta region program.~~

~~15-4-2607. Purpose.~~

~~The Arkansas Delta Development Commission shall:~~

~~(1) Be the chief advisory and oversight body in conjunction with the Department of Rural Services regarding representation of the state to the Delta Regional Authority;~~

~~(2) Administer any federal block grant funds submitted to the state under the Delta Regional Authority appropriation or action of the Delta Regional Authority Board; and~~

~~(3) Make recommendations for the appointment of members and alternates to the Delta Regional Authority.~~

~~15-4-2608. Funding.~~

~~(a) There is established on the books of the Treasurer of State, Auditor of State, and Chief Fiscal Officer of the State a fund to be known as the "Arkansas Delta Region Trust Fund".~~

~~(b) The fund shall consist of funds received by the Arkansas Delta Development Commission and any other moneys as may be provided by the General Assembly, there to be used for the administration and operations of the commission.~~

SECTION 6. Arkansas Code § 19-5-1124 is repealed.

~~19-5-1124. Arkansas Delta Region Trust Fund.~~

~~(a) There is established on the books of the Treasurer of State, the Auditor of State, and the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State a fund to be known as the "Arkansas Delta Region Trust Fund".~~

~~(b) The fund shall consist of funds received by the Arkansas Delta Development Commission and any other moneys provided by the General Assembly, there to be used for the administration and operations of the commission.~~

SECTION 7. Arkansas Code Title 20, Chapter 15, Subchapter 16, concerning the Prostate Cancer Act of 1999, is repealed.

~~20-15-1601. Title.~~

~~This subchapter shall be known and may be cited as the "Prostate Cancer Act of 1999".~~

~~20-15-1602. Legislative findings.~~

~~(a) The General Assembly finds that:~~

~~(1) Prostate cancer is the most common cancer and the second leading cause of cancer death among men, causing approximately one hundred eighty-four thousand five hundred (184,500) new cases and approximately thirty-nine thousand two hundred (39,200) deaths in the United States annually. This means that approximately two thousand four hundred (2,400) Arkansas men will develop prostate cancer in any year and approximately five hundred (500) men will die of it;~~

~~(2) The elderly population and rural nature of Arkansas combine to make prostate cancer a greater problem here than in most states. Prostate cancer is rarely diagnosed in men younger than fifty (50) years of age, and the rate of prostate cancer increases faster with age than does any other malignancy. The median age of diagnosis is seventy-two (72) years. Men living in rural areas are diagnosed with higher-stage prostate cancer than men living in urban areas;~~

~~(3) In the United States, African-American men face a far greater risk from prostate cancer than do Caucasian-American men. Caucasian-American men will contract prostate cancer at a rate of one hundred forty-seven and three-tenths (147.3) per one hundred thousand (100,000). African-American men will contract prostate cancer at a rate of two hundred twenty-two and nine tenths (222.9) per one hundred thousand (100,000). Caucasian-Americans will suffer twenty-three and seven tenths (23.7) deaths per one hundred thousand (100,000) from prostate cancer each year, while African-American men will suffer fifty-four and eight tenths (54.8) deaths per one hundred thousand (100,000);~~

~~(4) In Arkansas, twenty-seven percent (27%) of African-American men are over forty (40) years of age, and forty-seven percent (47%) live in rural areas. African-American men are less likely to participate in screening than men in other subpopulations despite the fact that they have an increased risk. Only forty-two percent (42%) of African-American men fifty (50) to seventy (70) years of age have undergone digital rectal examinations in their lifetimes, versus fifty-nine percent (59%) of Caucasian-American men in the same age range;~~

~~(5) Men who have prostate cancer detected in the earlier stages have significantly better five-year survival rates of ninety-four percent (94%), compared to those men who have their cancer diagnosed in advanced states, thirty percent (30%). Despite this positive statistical finding, widespread prostate cancer screening remains controversial because of the variability of the growth of the disease, the slow-growing nature of many prostate cancers, the limited accuracy of screening tests, and the significant side effects of treatment;~~

~~(6) About seven thousand (7,000) Americans were expected to get testicular cancer in 2001, with an estimated three hundred twenty-five (325) deaths. Compared with prostate cancer, testicular cancer is relatively rare. However, in men fifteen (15) to thirty-four (34) years of age, it ranks as the most common cancer. For unknown reasons, the disease is about four (4) times more common in Caucasian-American men than in African-American men;~~

~~(7) Only fifteen (15) years ago, a diagnosis of testicular cancer was grim news. Ten (10) times as many patients died then as now. But dramatic advances in therapeutic drugs in the last two (2) decades, along with improved diagnostics and better tests to gauge the extent of the disease, have boosted survival rates remarkably. Now, testicular cancer often is completely curable, especially if found and treated early. About seventy percent (70%) of men with advanced testicular cancer can be cured, according to the National Cancer Institute;~~

~~(8) Advocates of screening hope to save the lives of thousands of men dying of prostate cancer. Opponents of screening fear that needless suffering will result from the treatment of men with occult disease who are not destined to develop clinical symptoms;~~

~~(9)(A) The high death rate from prostate cancer in African-Americans suggests a need for special attention to reduce this mortality rate. In November 1997, the American Cancer Society, the National Cancer Institute, and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention sponsored a leadership conference on prostate cancer. The resulting Prostate Cancer National Blueprint for Action calls for:~~

~~(i) Research in basic and behavioral science;~~

~~(ii) Health promotion and education based on science;~~

~~(iii) Education and support for patients; and~~

~~(iv) Public policy action.~~

~~(B) The Prostate Cancer National Blueprint for Action also recommends that primary care practitioners be educated to interact with patients and participate in discussions that will lead to informed decisions; and~~

~~(10) The State of Arkansas should take the lead in combatting prostate and testicular cancer because of our population's characteristics and the high risk of prostate and testicular cancer.~~

~~(b)(1) It is the intent of the General Assembly in enacting this subchapter to fund services with respect to large-population screening for prostate and testicular cancer and to provide educational services to the men of Arkansas regarding prostate and testicular cancer.~~

~~(2) At least fifty percent (50%) of all funding available to administer this subchapter shall be used to provide for the early detection, diagnosis, or treatment of prostate and testicular cancer and for prostate and testicular cancer education and awareness.~~

~~20-15-1603. Oversight Committee on Prostate and Testicular Cancer.~~

~~(a) The Oversight Committee on Prostate and Testicular Cancer is created and shall be composed of seven (7) members as follows:~~

~~(1) One (1) individual from the private medical community who shall be a practicing urologist, a practicing radiation therapist, or a practicing medical oncologist;~~

~~(2) One (1) faculty member from the Arkansas Cancer Research Center of the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences;~~

~~(3) One (1) representative from the American Cancer Society;~~

~~(4) One (1) public health educator;~~

~~(5) The Director of the Division of Health of the Department of Health and Human Services or the director's designee; and~~

~~(6) Two (2) men's advocates, one (1) of whom shall be an African-American survivor of prostate or testicular cancer and one (1) of whom shall be a representative of the Arkansas Prostate Cancer Foundation.~~

~~(b) The Governor shall appoint the members, subject to confirmation by the Senate.~~

~~(c) No more than two (2) of the members shall be appointed from any one (1) of the four (4) congressional districts of the state.~~

~~(d) The members shall serve for terms of four (4) years, except that the initial members shall draw lots to result in:~~

~~(1) Two (2) to serve until January 1, 2004;~~

~~(2) Two (2) to serve until January 1, 2005; and~~

~~(3) Three (3) to serve until January 1, 2006.~~

~~(e) The Chancellor of the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences, with the concurrence of the committee, shall designate one (1) of the committee members as the chair.~~

~~(f) In case of a vacancy occurring in any of the offices by death, resignation, or otherwise, the Governor shall fill the office by appointment for the unexpired term, subject to confirmation by the Senate.~~

~~(g) A quorum of the committee shall consist of four (4) members.~~

~~(h) Members shall not be entitled to compensation for their services but shall be eligible to receive reimbursement for mileage and reimbursement for expenses in accordance with § 25-16-902.~~

~~20-15-1604. Powers and duties of the Oversight Committee on Prostate and Testicular Cancer.~~

~~(a) Subject to the availability of funding, the Oversight Committee on Prostate and Testicular Cancer shall:~~

~~(1) Provide for the early detection, diagnosis, and treatment of prostate and testicular cancer according to the following principles:~~

~~(A) Prostate and testicular cancer education and awareness will help to ensure early detection and to conduct surveillance activities across the state; and~~

~~(B)(i) Screening of men for prostate and testicular cancer will act as an early detection health care measure.~~

~~(ii) After screening, medical referrals and financial assistance will help to ensure access to services necessary for definitive diagnosis, including nonradiological techniques and biopsy.~~

~~(iii) If a positive diagnosis is made, necessary advocacy and financial assistance will help the person obtain necessary treatment;~~

~~(2) Financially support research efforts into the cause, cure, prevention, detection, and treatment of prostate and testicular cancer;~~

~~(3) Develop, formulate, and distribute information related to prostate and testicular cancer, including guidelines for detection, treatment, and overall management;~~

~~(4) Coordinate a large-scale screening program in Arkansas to gather data regarding the validity of such a program and then expand the screening program if it proves to be valuable;~~

~~(5) Fund innovative biomedical and behavioral research with emphasis on complementing existing research efforts rather than duplicating research already funded by the federal government or other entities; and~~

~~(6) Fund endowed academic chairs, professorships, symposia, and other special projects related to prostate and testicular cancer.~~

~~(b)(1) All research, public education, professional education, and treatment grants pertaining to prostate and testicular cancer shall be awarded on the basis of the priorities established for the program and the scientific and social merit of the proposed research as determined by a peer-review process governed by the committee.~~

~~(2) The peer-review process for the selection of research grants awarded under this program shall be generally modeled on that used by the National Institutes of Health in its grant-making process.~~

~~(c) Recipients of Arkansas State Cancer Program support may include not-for-profit organizations, including public and private groups in the community and higher education.~~

~~(d) Awardees may be awarded grants for the full or partial cost of conducting sponsored research grants and contracts.~~

~~(e) The committee shall coordinate with other agencies and organizations, including the Division of Health of the Department of Health and Human Services, as funds become available, to establish, promote, and maintain a prostate and testicular cancer prevention and treatment education program to raise public awareness, educate consumers, and educate and train health professionals and service providers.~~

~~(f) The Arkansas Minority Health Commission shall support the work of the committee by:~~

~~(1) Providing education and awareness programs;~~

~~(2) Supporting research;~~

~~(3) Supporting screening programs; and~~

~~(4) Distributing information on the prevention, treatment, and detection of prostate and testicular cancer in the male population of Arkansas.~~

SECTION 8. Arkansas Code § 20-15-1803(b)(1)(B)(i), concerning the membership of the Arkansas HIV-AIDS Minority Task Force, is amended to read as follows:

(B)(i) Three (3) members who are affiliated with minority community-based advocacy or service provider organizations as follows:

(a) One (1) member who is a woman; <u>and</u>

~~(b) One (1) member who is Hispanic;~~

~~(c) One (1) member who is African-American; and~~

~~(d) One (1) member who represents a minority population other than Hispanic or African-American~~

<u>(b) Two (2) members who are Hispanic, African American, or a member of a minority population other than Hispanic or African American</u>.

SECTION 9. Arkansas Code Title 23, Chapter 91, Subchapter 3 is repealed.

~~23-91-301. Purpose.~~

~~(a)(1) The purpose of this subchapter is to provide for the establishment of a plan for a Long-Term Care Liability Insurance Plan, if the Insurance Commissioner determines, after a hearing, that long-term care liability insurance is not reasonably available in this state.~~

~~(2) If the commissioner makes such a determination, the commissioner shall prepare a voluntary plan which will provide that insurance coverage.~~

~~(b) The plan shall provide coverage for professional liability for any long-term care providers licensed by the State of Arkansas.~~

~~(c) The plan shall provide insurance for long-term care providers, as set forth in this subchapter but shall not reduce or eliminate the liability of the long-term care providers for the matters covered by the plan other than to provide insurance therefor.~~

~~23-91-302. Governing board.~~

~~(a) There is created a governing board of five (5) members to be appointed by the Governor, which shall meet as necessary to review and prescribe operating procedures and rules to implement any plan promulgated pursuant to this subchapter. The governing board shall be composed of the following members:~~

~~(1) Two (2) representatives from insurers licensed to operate in this state;~~

~~(2) One (1) representative who is a licensed insurance agent in this state;~~

~~(3) One (1) consumer representative; and~~

~~(4) One (1) representative from the long-term care industry.~~

~~(b) In addition, there shall be four (4) ex officio members of the governing board, who shall be:~~

~~(1) The Insurance Commissioner;~~

~~(2) The Director of the Department of Human Services;~~

~~(3) A member of the Senate appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate; and~~

~~(4) A member of the House of Representatives appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.~~

~~23-91-303. Plan for coverage — Contents.~~

~~(a) The plan shall:~~

~~(1) Give consideration to:~~

~~(A) The need for adequate and readily accessible coverage;~~

~~(B) Optional methods of improving the market affected;~~

~~(C) The inherent limitations of the insurance mechanism;~~

~~(D) The need for reasonable underwriting standards; and~~

~~(E) The requirement and immediate implementation of reasonable loss prevention measures;~~

~~(2) Establish procedures for participants to have their grievances reviewed by the governing board; and~~

~~(3) Establish a rating plan which shall be actuarially sound.~~

~~(b) On behalf of its participants, the plan may:~~

~~(1) Issue policies of insurance to participants;~~

~~(2) Underwrite, adjust, and pay losses on insurance issued by the plan;~~

~~(3) Appoint a service company or companies to perform the functions enumerated in this subsection, including the functions of a plan administrator;~~

~~(4) Obtain reinsurance for any part or all of its risks; and~~

~~(5) Obtain excess-of-loss coverages.~~

~~(c) The plan shall provide for:~~

~~(1) The method of classifying risks, including appropriate consideration of quality assurance procedures in effect, such as gathering and maintaining reports and statistics concerning compliance therewith, voluntary and permissive use of monitoring devices by the facilities, and other procedures;~~

~~(2) The making, filing, and approval authority of rates which are not excessive, inadequate, or unfairly discriminatory and policy forms applicable to the risks insured by the plan;~~

~~(3) The adjusting and processing of claims;~~

~~(4) The commission rates to be paid to agents or brokers for coverages written by the plan;~~

~~(5) Any other insurance or investment functions that are necessary for the purpose of providing adequate and readily accessible coverage;~~

~~(6) The method of operation of the plan;~~

~~(7) The examination of the plan, including the activities of the plan administrator;~~

~~(8) The establishment of procedures to conduct necessary analyses at reasonable intervals to appropriately evaluate the Arkansas long-term care liability insurance market;~~

~~(9) The establishment of procedures and guidelines to prevent a company from transferring and causing to be transferred substantially all of its long-term care liability exposure to the plan, unless the Insurance Commissioner finds after notice and hearing that it is in the best interests of Arkansas citizens to allow such a practice; and~~

~~(10) Other matters as may be necessary and proper for the execution of the board's powers, duties, and obligations under this subchapter.~~

~~23-91-304. Coverages provided.~~

~~(a) The plan shall provide insurance for professional liability for long-term care providers for actual damages and noneconomic compensatory damages.~~

~~(b) The plan shall not provide coverage for punitive damages nor shall it cover such other standard exceptions in liability contracts.~~

~~(c) The risks assumed by the plan shall include the obligation to pay all actual damages, noneconomic compensatory damages, and costs of defense.~~

~~(d) The plan shall provide insurance on an occurrence basis, with limitations of one million dollars ($1,000,000) per occurrence and three million dollars ($3,000,000) annual aggregate, with such deductibles as shall be specified in the individual coverage contract.~~

~~(e) The plan administrator shall have the sole and exclusive right to defend all covered claims and to make all determinations as to settlement of covered claims.~~

~~23-91-305. Funding.~~

~~(a) As a precondition to establishing the plan, the plan shall be capitalized from independent sources, including participants, in an amount sufficient to fund the initial consulting, actuarial, legal, and other professional expenses necessary to establish the plan.~~

~~(b) The plan shall be established and maintained through a periodic premium payment by the participants in an amount determined by the governing board of the plan to be sufficient to render the plan self-supporting and actuarially sound to fund the plan risks assumed by the plan and to fund expenses of the plan.~~

~~(c)(1) Provision shall be made for adjustment of contributions for participants based on experience-rating adjustments for participants based on their loss experience.~~

~~(2) The information provided to the plan for the purpose of making this determination shall be submitted in the form provided by the Insurance Commissioner. The form shall be confidential and not discoverable or admissible at trial, and no waiver of objection or privilege shall be implied from the submission, except that any document or fact contained in, or referred to, in such a submission which is otherwise discoverable or admissible under the prevailing rules of evidence shall continue to be discoverable or admissible notwithstanding the previous provisions of this subsection.~~

~~23-91-306. Information for individuals.~~

~~The plan or its agent shall provide to any person seeking the insurance available in each plan information about the services prescribed in the plan, including full information on the requirements and procedures for participation in the plan.~~

~~23-91-307. No liability in creating plan.~~

~~There shall be no liability on the part of and no cause of action shall arise against the Insurance Commissioner, the commissioner's representatives, or any plan, its participants, or its employees for any good faith action taken by them in the performance of their powers and duties in creating any plan pursuant to this subchapter.~~

~~23-91-308. Rules and regulations.~~

~~The Insurance Commissioner shall have the authority to promulgate rules and regulations consistent with this subchapter and necessary to effectuate the purpose of this subchapter.~~

~~23-91-309. Termination.~~

~~(a) If the governing board finds after investigation that there is sufficient availability and competition in the marketplace, the governing board shall request that the Insurance Commissioner hold a public hearing to determine if it is in the best interest of Arkansas citizens to suspend operation of or dissolve the plan. If after the hearing the commissioner determines that there is sufficient availability and competition in the voluntary long-term care liability insurance market and it is in the best interest of Arkansas citizens, the commissioner may:~~

~~(1) Suspend operations of the plan;~~

~~(2) Suspend policy issuance by the plan; or~~

~~(3) Dissolve the plan.~~

~~(b) If the commissioner determines that funds remain in the plan after termination and all claims have been paid, the commissioner shall apportion the remaining funds among the participants in an equitable manner.~~

SECTION 10. Arkansas Code § 25-1-302(a), concerning specified executive branch boards and commissions of which members shall not be members of the General Assembly, is amended to read as follows:

(a) As soon as possible after April 13, 1999, the appointing authorities shall replace members of the General Assembly serving on executive branch boards and commissions identified below with persons who are not members of the General Assembly:

(1) Arkansas Alcohol and Drug Abuse Coordinating Council, § 20-64-1002;

(2) Arkansas Alternative Dispute Resolution Commission, § 16-7-102;

(3) [Repealed];

(4) Capitol Arts and Grounds Commission, § 22-3-502;

(5) Arkansas Child Abuse/Rape/Domestic Violence Commission, § 20-82-201;

(6) Supervisory Board for the Arkansas Crime Information Center, § 12-12-202;

(7) Arkansas Early Childhood Commission, § 20-78-501;

(8) State Interagency Council, § 20-14-508;

(9) Arkansas Entertainers Hall of Fame Board, § 13-9-101;

(10) Trauma Advisory Council, § 20-13-807;

(11) Martin Luther King, Jr. Commission, § 25-24-101;

(12) Mansion Advisory Council, § 22-3-806;

(13) Arkansas Minority Health Commission, § 20-2-102;

(14) Arkansas Natural and Cultural Resources Council, § 15-12-101;

(15) Arkansas Natural Heritage Commission, § 15-20-304;

(16) Arkansas Pygmalion Commission on Nontraditional Education, uncodified Act 1288 of 1993, as amended;

(17) Arkansas Rural Development Commission, § 15-6-104;

(18) [Repealed];

(19) School Motor Vehicle Self-Insurance Advisory Committee, § 6-21-711;

(20) Arkansas Science and Technology Authority, § 15-3-103;

(21) Arkansas Sentencing Commission, § 16-90-802;

(22) Arkansas Building Authority Council, § 22-2-106;

(23) State and Public School Life and Health Insurance Board, § 21-5-402;

~~(24) Compliance Advisory Panel of the Small Business Stationary Source Technical and Environmental Compliance Assistance Program, § 8-4-314;~~

~~(25)~~(24) Arkansas Transitional Employment Board, § 20-76-105;

~~(26)~~(25) Arkansas Public Transportation Coordination Council, § 27-3-103;

~~(27)~~(26) Board of Visitors for the University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff, § 6-64-304;

~~(28)~~(27) Workers' Compensation Commission, § 11-9-201; and

~~(29)~~(28) State Board of Workforce Education and Career Opportunities, § 25-30-101.

SECTION 11. Arkansas Code § 25-16-905 is amended to read as follows:

25-16-905. Stipend — Authorization for $110.

Each of the following state boards, by a majority vote of the total membership of the board cast during its first regularly scheduled meeting of each calendar year, may authorize payment to its members of a stipend not to exceed one hundred ten dollars ($110) per day for each meeting, examination, evaluation, or inspection attended or for any day while performing any proper business of the board, and the board members shall receive no other compensation, expense reimbursement, or in-lieu-of payments except as provided in § 25-16-902:

(1) Arkansas State Board of Dental Examiners;
(2) Arkansas State Medical Board;
(3) State Board of Optometry;
(4) Sex Offenders Assessment Committee;
(5) Arkansas State Board of Chiropractic Examiners; and
(6) ~~Arkansas Delta Development Commission; and~~
~~(7)~~ Arkansas Community Assistance Commission.

SECTION 12. Arkansas Code Title 25, Chapter 40 is repealed.

~~25-40-101. Arkansas Task Force on Hispanic Affairs — Creation — Membership.~~

~~(a) There is established a task force to be known as the "Arkansas Task Force on Hispanic Affairs".~~

~~(b) The task force shall consist of fifteen (15) members as follows:~~

~~(1) Five (5) persons appointed by the Governor;~~

~~(2) Five (5) persons appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate; and~~

~~(3) Five (5) persons appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives.~~

~~(c) The appointed task force members shall be:~~

~~(1) Individuals who have demonstrated an understanding of the Latino and Hispanic community and the issues affecting the development of this community in Arkansas based on the individuals' professional or life experiences; and~~

~~(2) Residents of the State of Arkansas at the time of appointment and throughout their terms.~~

~~(d)(1) In 2005, five (5) members shall be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives as follows:~~

~~(A) Two (2) for a term to expire June 30, 2007;~~
~~(B) Two (2) for a term to expire June 30, 2008; and~~
~~(C) One (1) for a term to expire June 30, 2009.~~

~~(2) In 2005, five (5) members shall be appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate as follows:~~

~~(A) Two (2) for a term to expire June 30, 2007;~~
~~(B) Two (2) for a term to expire June 30, 2008; and~~
~~(C) One (1) for a term to expire June 30, 2009.~~

~~(3) In 2005, five (5) members shall be appointed by the Governor as follows:~~

~~(A) Two (2) for a term to expire June 30, 2007;~~
~~(B) Two (2) for a term to expire June 30, 2008; and~~
~~(C) One (1) for a term to expire June 30, 2009.~~

~~(4) Subsequent appointments shall be for a term of four (4) years.~~

~~(5)(A) In selecting the members of the task force, the appointing officials shall solicit input from the Latino organizations, Latino-serving institutions, and the Latino community.~~

~~(B) The appointing officials shall consider the following factors when appointing members to the task force:~~

~~(i) At least two (2) members of the task force shall be between sixteen (16) and eighteen (18) years of age;~~

~~(ii) At least two (2) members of the task force shall have professional or substantial life experiences in each of the following areas:~~

~~(a) Health;~~
~~(b) Education to include grades prekindergarten through twelve (preK-12);~~
~~(c) Higher education;~~
~~(d) Immigration;~~
~~(e) Community service; and~~
~~(f) Small business; and~~
~~(iii) Twelve (12) of the fifteen (15) members shall be chosen from each of the four (4) congressional districts with at least three (3) members from each congressional district.~~

~~25-40-102. Organization of task force.~~
~~(a) The Arkansas Task Force on Hispanic Affairs shall select a chair at the first organizational meeting.~~
~~(b)(1) If for any reason a vacancy occurs in an appointed position, the vacancy shall be filled by appointment by the official who made the appointment.~~
~~(2) The new appointee shall serve for the remainder of the unexpired term.~~
~~(c)(1) The task force shall meet at least quarterly, but no meetings shall be held outside the State of Arkansas.~~
~~(2) A majority of the members of the task force shall constitute a quorum for the purpose of transacting business.~~
~~(3) All actions of the task force shall be by a majority vote of the full membership of the task force.~~

~~25-40-103. Duties of task force.~~
~~The duties of the Arkansas Task Force on Hispanic Affairs shall include:~~
~~(1) Developing, coordinating, and assisting other public and private organizations with the understanding of Latino and Hispanic culture;~~
~~(2) Gathering and disseminating information and conducting hearings, conferences, and special studies on problems and programs impacting Latinos and Hispanics;~~
~~(3) Conducting training programs for community leadership;~~
~~(4) Conducting quarterly public forums that will allow the Latino community at large to have input into the duties of the task force to voice their needs and concerns;~~
~~(5) Advising Arkansas' elected officials and state agencies on issues concerning the Latino community in Arkansas;~~
~~(6) Proposing solutions to specific problems to elected officials, government agencies, and community organizations;~~
~~(7) Promoting diversity, bridging cultural barriers, and strengthening relations among all citizens of Arkansas; and~~
~~(8) Promoting community and volunteer service among Latinos in Arkansas.~~
~~25-40-104. Staff support.~~
~~General staff support, facilities, and operating assistance for the Arkansas Task Force on Hispanic Affairs shall be provided by the Bureau of Legislative Research.~~

~~25-40-105. Expense reimbursement.~~
~~Members of the Arkansas Task Force on Hispanic Affairs shall serve without pay but may receive expense reimbursement in accordance with § 25-16-902, to the extent funds are available.~~

SECTION 13. Uncodified Section 2 of Act 755 of 2003, concerning the Arkansas Commission on Eye and Vision Care of School Age Children, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(g) Members of the commission appointed by the Governor shall have no fixed term and shall serve at the will of the Governor and until a successor is appointed by the Governor."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 959 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Malone, Senate Bill No. 827 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 827

Amend Senate Bill No. 827 as engrossed, S3/23/09:

Page 4, delete line 24 and substitute the following:
"~~the American Institute of Architects – Arkansas Chapter.~~ At least thirty (30) days prior to the expiration of the term of appointment of any board member, other than those of the members appointed from the general public, professional societies and associations representing the three (3) design professions may submit to the Governor the names of three (3) persons of recognized ability who have the qualifications prescribed for board members for appointment from that profession for consideration."

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 827 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 2005 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

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Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 2005

Amend House Bill No. 1 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 28, delete "upon transfer" and substitute "upon the first transfer"

AND

Page 1, line 29, delete "person" and substitute "person if the transfer occurs within twenty-four (24) months after the execution of the lease"

AND

Page 1, delete line 36 and substitute the following:

"Service by first class mail.

(d) This section shall apply to a mineral lease entered into after August 1, 2009."

(SIGNED) SENATOR D. WYATT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2005 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator D. Wyatt, House Bill No. 1483 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1483

Amend House Bill No. 1483 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 21, delete "two hundred"

AND

Page 2, line 22, delete "fifty dollars ($250)" and substitute "one hundred dollars ($100)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR D. WYATT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1483 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 2187 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 2187

Amend House Bill No. 2187 as originally introduced:

Add Senator Elliott as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 1, delete line 27 and substitute the following:

"(1) The city clerk shall send to the subject of the recall a certified letter, return receipt requested, and a copy of the petition stating the basis of the recall shall be"

(SIGNED) SENATOR ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2187 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Capps, House Bill No. 1978 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1978

Amend House Bill No. 1978 as engrossed, H3/13/09:

Add Representative Sample as a cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 4, delete line 29 and substitute the following:

"cards issued by the department.

(c) The office shall not collect the following biometric data from applicants for any driver's license, identification card, enhanced security driver's license, or enhanced security identification card issued by the department:

(1) Voice data used to compare live speech;

(2) Iris recognition data such as iris scans, texture patterns, or retinal scans;

(3) Keystroke dynamics that measure pressure applied to key pads;

(4) Hand geometry that measures hand characteristics, including the shape and length of fingers in three (3) dimensions; and

(5) Deoxyribonucleic acid (DNA) or ribonucleic acid (RNA)."

AND

Page 9, delete lines 13 through 17 and substitute the following:

"Arkansas, the United States, and abroad;

(2) Determines that Congress has not repealed the federal REAL ID Act of 2005, 49 U.S.C. § 30301 note (Pub. L. 109-13 of 2005); and

(3) Promulgates a rule specifying the date of implementation of this subchapter.

27-16-1213. Expiration.

(a) The provisions of this subchapter shall expire on June 30, 2011, or on the date Congress repeals the federal REAL ID Act of 2005, 49 U.S.C. § 30301 note (Pub. L. 109-13 of 2005), whichever date is earlier.

(b) The Office of Motor Vehicle shall not issue or renew an enhanced security driver's license, enhanced security commercial driver's license, or enhanced security identification card after the expiration of this subchapter.

(c) An enhanced security driver's license, enhanced security commercial driver's license or enhanced security identification card issued before the expiration date of this subchapter and that the normal expiration date falls after the expiration date of this subchapter shall remain valid for the full duration of the license period."

(SIGNED) SENATOR CAPPS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1978 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Altes, House Bill No. 2045 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 2045

Amend House Bill No. 2045 as engrossed, H3/23/09:

Delete all language after the enacting clause and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 27-35-210, concerning permits for special cargoes, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(m)(1) The State Highway Commission is authorized to issue special permits to towing businesses for the operation of wreckers or towing vehicles used as emergency vehicles under § 27-36-305(b) when the operation and movement of the vehicle or combination of vehicles exceeds the maximum size and weight limitations imposed by law as provided under this subsection.

(2) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary and upon application and payment of a permit fee not to exceed five hundred dollars ($500), the commission, through the Director of State Highways and Transportation, may issue a special permit valid for one (1) single trip or for a one-year-period that authorizes a towing business licensed under § 27-50-1203 to move at any time of day or night a vehicle that is disabled or wrecked when that movement:

(A) Results in an oversized, overweight, or both oversized and overweight combination of vehicles; and

(B) Is the initial movement of disabled or wrecked vehicles or combination of vehicles from highways, roads, streets, or highway right-of-ways to:

(i) The nearest point of storage or repair used by the towing or wrecker company;

(ii) The nearest point of storage or repair used by the owner or operator of the vehicle; or

(iii) The nearest authorized repair center for the vehicle."

(SIGNED) SENATOR ALTES

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2045 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 2208 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 2208

Amend House Bill No. 2208 as engrossed, H3/24/09:

Page 2, line 12, delete "fees, taxes, and fleet" and substitute "fees and fleet"

AND

Page 2, line 30, delete "and taxes otherwise"

AND

Page 3, line 2, delete "fees, taxes, and fleet" and substitute "fees and fleet"

(SIGNED) SENATOR TEAGUE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2208 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 934 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 934

Amend Senate Bill No. 934 as engrossed S3/18/09:

Page 1, delete lines 13 through 15 of the title and substitute the following:
"PRODUCE MILK IN THIS STATE; AND FOR OTHER"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 19 through 24 of the subtitle and substitute the following:
"TO PROVIDE FOR GRANTS AND INCENTIVES TO ASSIST ARKANSAS DAIRY FARMERS IN CONTINUING TO PRODUCE MILK IN THIS STATE."

AND

Page 2, delete line 25 and substitute the following:
"(b)(1)(A) If funds are available, the Secretary of the Arkansas Agriculture Department shall"

AND

Page 4, delete SECTION 2 in its entirety

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE HOYT

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 934, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Wyatt, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 934 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 934

As Engrossed: S3/12/09 S3/18/09 H3/24/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOYT, REYNOLDS, L. COWLING, HOUSE, HAWKINS, MCCRARY, PIERCE, J. ROEBUCK, STEWART, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB & B. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR GRANTS AND INCENTIVES TO ASSIST ARKANSAS DAIRY FARMERS IN CONTINUING TO PRODUCE MILK IN THIS STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 934 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: Altes, J. Key.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 934 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Memorial Resolution No. 3 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION NO. 3
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

SENATE MEMORIAL RESOLUTION IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF GEORGE CLYDE KELL AND IN RECOGNITION OF HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL.

Senate Resolution No. 3 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 894 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 894

As Engrossed: S3/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS LAWS *CONCERNING* THE ADMINISTRATION OF ELECTIONS AND SPECIAL ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 894 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 894 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

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On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 984 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 984

As Engrossed: S3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO REQUIRE STATE AGENCIES, BOARDS, AND COMMISSIONS THAT LICENSE OR OTHERWISE REGULATE HEALTH PROFESSIONS TO PROCURE AND REPORT DEMOGRAPHIC DATA REGARDING THE HEALTH CARE WORKFORCE IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

Senate Bill No. 984 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Salmon, T. Smith, R. Thompson, H. Wilkins, D. Wyatt.

Total 22

NEGATIVE: Altes, Bledsoe, Hendren, Miller, B. Pritchard, Trusty.

Total 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: G. Baker, B. Johnson, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Whitaker, Wilkinson.

Total 7

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 28

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

Senator Miller requested a Sounding of the Ballot on the passage of Senate Bill No. 984. Five hands were seen, whereupon the Secretary sounded the ballot. Results are as follows:

Total number of votes cast	23
Necessary to the passage of the Bill	18
Total number voting in the affirmative	17
Total number voting in the negative	6
Total number absent or not voting	12

Upon sounding of the ballot, the Bill failed striking Senators Bookout, Broadway, Crumbly, Malone and Glover.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

* * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * *

Senator Bryles moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 984 failed to pass be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 984 failed was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 1, 2009.

Senator Steele gave notice that, within the time prescribed by the rules, he would move to reconsider the vote by which Senate Bill No. 984 failed to pass.

SENATE BILL NO. 984

As Engrossed: S3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO REQUIRE STATE AGENCIES, BOARDS, AND COMMISSIONS THAT LICENSE OR OTHERWISE REGULATE HEALTH PROFESSIONS TO PROCURE AND REPORT DEMOGRAPHIC DATA REGARDING THE HEALTH CARE WORKFORCE IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

Senate Bill No. 984 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, R. Thompson, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 23

NEGATIVE: Altes, Bledsoe, Hendren, B. Pritchard, Teague, Trusty.

Total 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: G. Baker, Broadway, P. Malone, Miller, J. Taylor, Whitaker.

Total 6

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 29

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 984 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 913 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 913

As Engrossed: S3/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS SALMON, *G. JEFFRESS, MADISON, FARIS, P. MALONE & H. WILKINS*

BY: REPRESENTATIVES LINDSEY & REEP

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR AUTISM SPECTRUM DISORDERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 913 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 913 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 912 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 912

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR SALMON

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HYDE AND NICKELS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE INTERLOCAL COOPERATION ACT TO AUTHORIZE PUBLIC AGENCIES TO CREATE

CONSOLIDATED WASTEWATER SYSTEMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 912 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 912 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Capps, Senate Bill No. 958 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 958

As Engrossed: S3/31/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE MEDICAL BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 958 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 958 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Malone, Senate Bill No. 402 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 402

As Engrossed: S3/26/09 S3/31/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROHIBIT ACUPUNCTURISTS FROM ADMINISTERING, DISPENSING, OR PRESCRIBING LEGEND DRUGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 402 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Broadway, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Glover, Hendren, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, D. Wyatt.

Total 29

NEGATIVE: Horn, B. Pritchard, Wilkinson.

Total 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bookout, Bryles, Faris.

Total 3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 32

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 402 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

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On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 945 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 945

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW WITHHOLDING OF UNION DUES FOR COUNTY EMPLOYEES; TO REQUIRE COUNTY GOVERNMENTS TO COMPLY WITH AN EMPLOYEE'S REQUEST FOR WITHHOLDING OF UNION DUES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 945 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Taylor spoke against the Bill

Senator Bryles made a motion for immediate consideration. Motion carried.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, J. Jeffress, Madison, R. Thompson, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson.

Total 10

NEGATIVE: Altes, Bledsoe, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Miller, B. Pritchard, J. Taylor, Trusty, Whitaker, D. Wyatt.

Total 15

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: G. Baker, Bookout, G. Jeffress, D. Johnson, Luker, P. Malone, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Teague.

Total 10

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....25

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the Bill failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

* * * * * * * * * EXPUNGED* * * * * * * * *

Senator Elliott moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 945 failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 945 failed to pass was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 1, 2009.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1751, BY REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Key, House Bill No. 1751 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS 72201

ROBBIE WILLS, SPEAKER
TIM MASSANELLI, PARLIAMENTARIAN JO RENSHAW, CLERK

April 1, 2009

The Honorable Ann Cornwell
Secretary of Senate
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

The House of Representatives respectfully requests the return to the House, of House Bill 1544.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JO RENSHAW
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

House Bill No. 1544 was returned to the House as requested.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1955 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1955

As Engrossed: H3/11/09 H3/17/09 H3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE *INGRAM*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE AUTHORIZATION OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE SALES FOR CERTAIN LARGE ATTENDANCE FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1955 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Bookout, Bryles, Elliott, Faris, Horn, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 20

NEGATIVE: Altes, Bledsoe, Glover, Hendren, J. Key, Trusty.

Total 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: G. Baker, Broadway, Capps, Crumbly, G. Jeffress, P. Malone, B. Pritchard, Steele, J. Taylor.

Total 9

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 26

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1955 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, House Bill No. 1485 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1485

As Engrossed: H3/16/09 S3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES SAUNDERS, BARNETT, T. BRADFORD, J. BROWN, CHEATHAM, COLE, L. COWLING, J. EDWARDS, FLOWERS, HALL, HARRELSON, HOYT, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, SUMMERS, TYLER & WEBB

BY: *SENATOR FARIS*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF ELECTION OFFICIALS AND ELECTION OFFICERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1485 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, J. Key.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1485, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, J. Key.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1485 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Faris, House Bill No. 1249 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1249

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HYDE, STEWART, PIERCE, HOUSE, PENNARTZ & LINDSEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING ELECTED OFFICIALS WHO ARE CALLED TO ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY; TO ENSURE THAT THE ELECTED OFFICIAL RETAINS HIS OR HER OFFICE UPON RETURN FROM ACTIVE MILITARY DUTY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1249 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1249 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1580 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1580

As Engrossed: H3/9/09 S3/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS PERTAINING TO THE OIL AND GAS COMMISSION'S MEETINGS; THE DIRECTOR OF PRODUCTION AND CONSERVATION; HEARINGS; ASSESSMENTS; RULES, PERMITS, PLUGGING A DRY AND ABANDONED WELL; THE ANNUAL DISTRIBUTION OF ROYALTY MONEY; AND PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1580 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1580 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

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On motion of Senator Madison, House Bill No. 1647 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1647
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXTEND THE ABILITY TO PURCHASE RURAL WATER SERVICE FACILITIES TO A MUNICIPALITY AFTER ANNEXATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1647 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Bookout, Broadway, Crumbly, Elliott, J. Jeffress, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Madison, T. Smith, Steele, Teague, R. Thompson, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 17

NEGATIVE: Faris, Glover, Hendren, B. Johnson, Trusty.

Total 5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bryles, Capps, Horn, G. Jeffress, Luker, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, J. Taylor, Whitaker.

Total 13

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....22

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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Senator Madison moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1647 failed to pass be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1647 failed to pass was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 1, 2009.

Senator Madison gave notice that, within the time prescribed by the rules, she would move to reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 1647 failed to pass.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1647
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXTEND THE ABILITY TO PURCHASE RURAL WATER SERVICE FACILITIES TO A MUNICIPALITY AFTER ANNEXATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Miller, T. Smith, Steele, Teague, R. Thompson, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 23

NEGATIVE: Faris, Glover, Hendren, B. Johnson, Trusty.

Total 5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bryles, Horn, P. Malone, B. Pritchard, Salmon, J. Taylor, Whitaker.

Total 7

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 28

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1647 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 2020 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2020

As Engrossed: S3/31/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE REQUIREMENTS FOR LICENSING AND REGISTERING A MOTOR VEHICLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2020 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE: Altes.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2020 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Bryles, House Bill No. 1807 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1807
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT ARKANSAS CONSUMERS; TO ENSURE CONSISTENT MANUFACTURER'S PRICING OF BEER, ALE, AND MALT BEVERAGES ACROSS THE STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1807 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 28

NEGATIVE: Glover, Hendren.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bledsoe, Horn, B. Johnson, Miller, Whitaker.

Total 5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....30

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1807 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Laverty, House Bill No. 1858 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1858

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE BETTS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS ARKANSAS LAWS CONCERNING THE REGULATION OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1858 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE: Altes.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1858 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, House Bill No. 1894 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1894

As Engrossed: H3/19/09 H3/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES BLOUNT, ALLEN, T. BAKER, DAVIS, HOYT, INGRAM, W. LEWELLEN, RAINEY, SAUNDERS, SHELBY & WORD

BY: SENATORS STEELE, *CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT & H. WILKINS*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION TO EXPAND THE SKILLS TRAINING PROGRAM AND EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES FOR INMATES IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1894 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE: Altes.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1894 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, House Bill No. 2070 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2070

As Engrossed: H3/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES REYNOLDS, COOPER, GEORGE, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, LOVELL, NIX & *HOYT*

BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDARDS AND TRAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2070 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2070 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Glover, House Bill No. 1884 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1884
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT RENAMING THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION AS THE DEPARTMENT OF CAREER EDUCATION; RENAMING THE STATE BOARD OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION AND CAREER OPPORTUNITIES AS THE STATE BOARD OF CAREER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1884 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1884, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1884 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Glover, House Bill No. 1595 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1595
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT THE ARKANSAS SEARCH DOG ASSOCIATION, INC., A PRIVATE, NONPROFIT ENTITY, FROM PAYMENT OF SALES AND USE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1595 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1595 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Smith, House Bill No. 2113 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2113
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENACT THE LIFE SETTLEMENTS ACT BASED UPON THE MODEL LEGISLATION OF THE NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF INSURANCE LEGISLATORS; TO REPEAL THE VIATICAL SETTLEMENTS ACT, ARKANSAS CODE § 23-81-601 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2113 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Capps, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, Miller, B. Pritchard, T. Smith, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 29

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bryles, Elliott, P. Malone, Salmon, Steele, R. Thompson.

Total 6

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 29

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2113 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 1860 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1860
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO LIMIT THE VALIDITY PERIOD FOR DRIVER'S LICENSES AND IDENTIFICATION CARDS ISSUED TO APPLICANTS WHO ARE NOT CITIZENS OF THE UNITED STATES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1860 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: D. Johnson.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1860 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 1581 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1581

As Engrossed: H3/24/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. EDWARDS, *HARRELSON & SAUNDERS*

BY: *SENATOR D. WYATT*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO ENHANCE SAFE AND RESPONSIBLE PASSENGER TRANSPORTATION OF CHILDREN IN CHILD CARE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1581 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1581, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1581 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1785 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1785
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 17, CHAPTER 22 CONCERNING THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE ATHLETIC COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1785 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1785 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wilkinson, House Bill No. 1558 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1558
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT THE BUREAU OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH SHALL AVOID ALL REFERENCES TO INDIVIDUALS WITH MENTAL RETARDATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1558 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1558 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1751, BY REPRESENTATIVE GREEN,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON
CHAIRMAN
SENATOR JOHNNY KEY
SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT
SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE
SENATOR DAVID JOHNSON

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 2208, BY REPRESENTATIVE BARNETT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Teague, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 2208 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2208
As Engrossed: H3/24/09 S4/1/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BARNETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE PERMANENT REGISTRATION OF A FLEET OF MOTOR VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2208 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2208 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

April 1, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on April 1, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill 041 - ACT 739
Senate Bill 087 - ACT 740
Senate Bill 144 - ACT 741
Senate Bill 163 - ACT 742
Senate Bill 165 - ACT 743
Senate Bill 190 - ACT 744
Senate Bill 243 - ACT 745
Senate Bill 373 - ACT 746
Senate Bill 399 - ACT 747
Senate Bill 410 - ACT 748
Senate Bill 464 - ACT 749
Senate Bill 526 - ACT 750
Senate Bill 567 - ACT 751
Senate Bill 702 - ACT 752
Senate Bill 744 - ACT 753
Senate Bill 746 - ACT 754
Senate Bill 769 - ACT 755
Senate Bill 781 - ACT 756
Senate Bill 785 - ACT 757
Senate Bill 786 - ACT 758
Senate Bill 788 - ACT 759
Senate Bill 801 - ACT 760
Senate Bill 809 - ACT 761
Senate Bill 819 - ACT 762
Senate Bill 923 - ACT 763

Senate Bill 936 - ACT 764
Senate Bill 937 - ACT 765
Senate Bill 942 - ACT 766
Senate Bill 975 - ACT 767
Senate Bill 1001 - ACT 768

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 194 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 194

JBC 03/31/09(44)

Amend Senate Bill No. 194 as engrossed, S2/18/09:

Page 3, line 34, delete "1,730,003" and substitute "1,802,503"

AND

Page 4, line 8, delete "$ 11,491,844" and substitute "$ 11,564,344".

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 194 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 666 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 666

Amend Senate Bill No. 666 as originally introduced:

Insert additional Sections immediately following Section 1 to read as follows:

" SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. The appropriation found in Section 62 of Act 1242 of 2007 for the maintenance and operating expenses of the Arkansas Agriculture Department shall also be deemed to include costs for construction of a storage building and secure fence for storage of Emergency Response and other equipment of the Livestock and Poultry Commission.

SECTION 3. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. As referenced in Section 3 of Act 1202 of 2007 and Section 3 of Act 1753 of 2007, the authorized funding for the Arkansas Agriculture Department for maintenance and operating expenses shall also be deemed to include costs for construction of a storage building and secure fence for storage of Emergency Response and other equipment of the Livestock and Poultry Commission."

And

Page 2, delete Section 4 in its entirety and substitute the following Section:

" SECTION 6. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2009 is essential to the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided; with the exception that Section 2 and Section 3 in this Act shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval, and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2009, with the exception that Section 2 and Section 3 in this Act shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval, could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2009; with the exception that Section 2 and Section 3 in this Act shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval."

And

Appropriately renumber the Section numbers of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 666 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1735 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1735

Amend House Bill No. 1735 as engrossed, H3/18/09:

Page 2, line 2, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 2, line 8, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 2, line 15, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 2, line 22, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 2, line 28, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 2, line 35, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 3, line 6, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 3, line 13, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 3, line 20, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 3, line 30, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 4, line 1, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 4, line 8, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 4, line 15, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 4, line 22, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 4, line 29, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 4, line 36, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 5, line 7, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 5, line 14, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 5, line 21, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 5, line 28, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 5, line 34, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 6, line 5, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 6, line 12, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 6, line 18, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 6, line 25, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 6, line 32, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 7, line 3, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 7, line 10, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 7, line 17, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 7, line 23, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 7, line 30, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 8, line 1, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000"

AND

Page 8, line 8, delete "$500,000" and substitute "$1,000,000".

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1735 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1725 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 100 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Senator Baker moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 724 passed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 724 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 827, BY SENATORS MALONE AND SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 959, BY SENATOR CAPPS

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1483, BY REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1978, BY REPRESENTATIVES EDWARDS AND KERR,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2005, BY REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2045, BY REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2187, BY REPRESENTATIVE BLOUNT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 102 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 102 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 102

As Engrossed: S3/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS FAIR HOUSING COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 102 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 102, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 102 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 257 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 257 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 257

As Engrossed: S3/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OFFICIAL COURT REPORTERS OF THE CIRCUIT COURTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 257 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 257, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 257 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 265 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 265 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 265

As Engrossed: S2/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, SUBSTITUTE EXPENSES, AND EXPENSE ALLOWANCE OF THE TRIAL COURT ADMINISTRATIVE ASSISTANTS OF THE CIRCUIT COURTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 265 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 265, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 265 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 371 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 371 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 371

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF VOLUNTEERISM FOR A STATEWIDE MEMBERSHIP-BASED NONPROFIT ASSOCIATION DEDICATED TO IMPROVING THE PERFORMANCE AND CAPACITY OF THE ARKANSAS NONPROFIT SECTOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 371 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 371, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 371 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 471 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 471 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 471
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT BATESVILLE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS, OPERATIONS, CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 471 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 471, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 471 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 473 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 473 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 473

As Engrossed S3/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY GRANTS - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 473 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 473, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 473 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 474 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 474 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 474
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 474 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 474, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 474 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 479 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 479 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 479
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS BRYLES, BROADWAY, ELLIOTT, D. JOHNSON, & SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR A GRANT FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING EXPENSES, PROFESSIONAL FEES, AND PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT FOR THE ENCYCLOPEDIA OF ARKANSAS HISTORY AND CULTURE PROJECT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 479 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 479, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 479 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 617 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 617 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 617
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT, BROADWAY, CAPPS, GLOVER & D. JOHNSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES ALLEN, W. LEWELLEN, WILLIAMS, J. EDWARDS, HYDE & KERR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR A GRANT TO CERTAIN LEARNING FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 617 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 617, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 617 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 695 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 695 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 695
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR IMPROVEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 695 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 695, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 695 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 709 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 709 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 709
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NORTHEASTERN COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, MAINTENANCE AND PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 709 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 709, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 709 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 711 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 711 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 711
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR GRANTS FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, MAINTENANCE AND PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT FOR SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 711 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 711, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 711 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 712 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 712 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 712
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE - ARTS COUNCIL FOR GRANTS FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING, AND CAPITAL EXPENSES TO ARTS COUNCILS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 712 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 712, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 712 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 727 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 727 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 727

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 838 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 727, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 727 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 728 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 728 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 728

As Engrossed: S3/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF *RURAL SERVICES* FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 728 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 728, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 728 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 761 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 761 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 761

As Engrossed: S3/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE *UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - COLLEGE OF PUBLIC HEALTH* FOR A CENTER FOR PUBLIC HEALTH LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 761 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 761, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 761 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1103 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1103 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1103
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. HUTCHINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FOR EMPLOYMENT SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1103 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1103, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1103 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1486 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1486 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1486
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF COUNTY OPERATIONS FOR THE EMERGENCY SHELTER VOUCHER PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1486 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1486, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1486 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1547 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1547 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1547
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARDY, REEP & G. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SAU-TECH FOR RENOVATION AND OTHER EXPENSES OF THE UPTOWN CENTER AND THE CHARLES O. ROSS CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1547 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1547, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1547 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1564 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1564 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1564
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HALL, BLOUNT, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, CASH, DAVIS, HYDE, INGRAM, LOVELL, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, POWERS, RAINEY & WEBB
BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT FOR THE BOLL WEEVIL ERADICATION PROGRAM FOR REDUCING LONG TERM DEBT FOR THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT - PLANT BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1564 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1564, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1564 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1567 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1567 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1567

As Engrossed: H2/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES PENNARTZ, BREEDLOVE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, S. MALONE, PYLE, RICE, *WELLS*

BY: SENATORS ALTES, WHITAKER & WILKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - FORT SMITH FOR PROPERTY ACQUISITION, NEW FACILITY DESIGN, LIBRARY *CONSTRUCION AND* PARKING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1567 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1567, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1567 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1574 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1574 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1574
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WOODS, T. ROGERS, CASH & BAIRD
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE - HISTORIC PRESERVATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES, GRANTS AND OTHER ASSOCIATED COSTS OF THE ARKANSAS CIVIL WAR SESQUICENTENNIAL PROJECT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1574 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1574, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1574 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1591 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1591 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1591
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE FLOWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR GRANTS TO COMMUNITY-BASED AFTERSCHOOL AND ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1591 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1591, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1591 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1596 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1596 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1596
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE G. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SAU-TECH FOR CONSTRUCTION AND OTHER EXPENSES OF A WORKFORCE EDUCATION / MULTIPURPOSE BUILDING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1596 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1596, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1596 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1597 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1597 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1597
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE G. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SAU-TECH FOR DEVELOPMENT OF AN ADVANCED WELDING SCHOOL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1597 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1597, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1597 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1615 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1615 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1615
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR THE ARKANSAS CYBERINFRASTRUCTURE INITIATIVE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1615 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1615, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1615 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1616 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1616 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1616
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR THE ARKANSAS COMMISSION FOR THE NEWBORN UMBILICAL CORD BLOOD INITIATIVE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1616 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1616, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1616 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1617 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. House was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1617
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR COMMUNICATION CENTER TECHNOLOGY GRANTS, TRUNKING RADIO SYSTEM GRANTS, AND MOBILE DATA COMPUTER SYSTEMS GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1617 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1617, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1617 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1618 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1618 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1618
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR ENHANCED TECHNOLOGY GRANTS TO SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1618 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1618, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1618 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1632 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1632 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1632
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MOORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - CRIMINAL JUSTICE INSTITUTE FOR SAFE SCHOOLS PROGRAM EDUCATION AND TRAINING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1632 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1632, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1632 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1636 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1636 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1636
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COOPER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1636 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1636, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1636 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1639 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1639 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1639
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WOODS, CARNINE & HOUSE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE NORTHWEST TECHNICAL INSTITUTE FOR BUILDING AND PARKING LOT REPAIRS AND IMPROVEMENTS AND TECHNOLOGY UPGRADES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1639 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1639, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1639 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1651 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1651 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1651
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR TECHNOLOGY UPGRADES, CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPMENT EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1651 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1651, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1651 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1652 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1652 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1652
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY ENGINEERING AND MATHEMATICS VILLAGE AND CONFERENCE CENTER CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPMENT, PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1652 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1652, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1652 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1657 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1657 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1657
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SAUNDERS, M. BURRIS, SAMPLE & SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR MATHEMATICS, SCIENCES AND THE ARTS FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, EQUIPMENT, MAJOR MAINTENANCE, PROFESSIONAL FEES & SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1657 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1657, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1657 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1658 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1658 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1658

As Engrossed: H3/5/09 H3/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES PENNARTZ, NIX, ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, T. BAKER, BETTS, BLOUNT, BREEDLOVE, M. BURRIS, CASH, CLEMMER, COOK, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, J. DICKINSON, ENGLISH, EVERETT, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOUSE, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LOWERY, S. MALONE, MCCRARY, OVERBEY, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, L. SMITH, STEWART, TYLER, WAGNER, WILLIAMS, WOODS, WORD, *ALLEN, BAIRD, BARNETT, T. BRADFORD, CARROLL, CHEATHAM, COLE, L. COWLING, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, FLOWERS, GASKILL, HOBBS, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, INGRAM, LINDSEY, LOVELL, MOORE, RAGLAND, RICE, SAUNDERS, SUMMERS, WELLS, J. BROWN, COOPER, MAXWELL & B. WILKINS*

BY: SENATORS ALTES, WHITAKER, WILKINSON, *BROADWAY, ELLIOTT, LUKER, SALMON, MADISON, STEELE & D. WYATT*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH CENTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1658 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1658, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1658 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1659 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1659 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1659
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE FLOWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SOUTHEAST ARKANSAS COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, AND PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1659 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1659, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1659 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1660 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1660 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1660

As Engrossed: H3/5/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES FLOWERS, RAINEY & WORD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATIONS OF A HEALTHCARE CENTER *AND FOR CREATION OF A VOCATIONAL AND WORKFORCE EDUCATION COALITION*; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1660 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1660, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1660 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1669 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1669 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1669
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WORD, BLOUNT, RAINEY & WILLIAMS
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR CONSTRUCTING, RENOVATING AND ASSOCIATED COST FOR EXPANSION OF THE LIBRARY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1669 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1669, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1669 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1670 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1670 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1670
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WORD, BLOUNT, RAINEY & WILLIAMS
BY: SENATOR H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR CREATION OF THE ARKANSAS EVALUATION CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1670 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1670, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1670 held in Chamber

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1676 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1676 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1676
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE T. ROGERS
BY: SENATOR GLOVER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PHILLIPS COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR STUTTGART CAMPUS COMMUNITY CENTER CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1676 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No.1676, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1676 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1678 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1678 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1678
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BARNETT, LINDSEY, BAIRD, M. MARTIN, CARROLL, ENGLISH, CARNINE, SUMMERS, HOUSE & HOBBS
BY: SENATORS BLEDSOE AND PRITCHARD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR STUDY AND DEVELOPMENT OF PROJECTS OF REGIONAL SIGNIFICANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1678 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1678, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1678 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1679 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1679 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1679
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. SMITH, HOUSE & LINDSEY
BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR THE DAVID AND BARBARA PRYOR CENTER FOR ORAL AND VISUAL HISTORY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1679 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1679, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1679 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1689 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1689 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1689
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PROVIDING PRODUCTION REBATES FOR THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1689 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1689, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1689 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1693 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1693 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1693
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SUMMERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR AN ALCOHOL AND DRUG ABUSE TREATMENT PROGRAM GRANT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1693 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1693, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1693 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1697 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1697 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1697
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR THE SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, OPERATIONS AND MAINTENANCE FOR THE LONOKE FARM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1697 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1697, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1697 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1698 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1698 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1698
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR THE DONALD REYNOLDS INSTITUTE ON AGING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1698 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No.1698, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1698 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1699 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1699 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1699
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS CEMETERY BOARD FOR CEMETERY MAINTENANCE AND RESTORATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1699 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1699, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1699 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1702 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1702 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1702
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SHELBY AND REEP

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR THE INSTITUTE ON AGING - DRIVING SIMULATOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1702 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1702, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1702 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1708 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1708 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1708
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR THE PURCHASE OF DRAGON TECHNOLOGY FOR MEDICAL TRANSCRIPTION OF THE JAMES L. DENNIS DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1708 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1708, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1708 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1709 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1709 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1709
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR JAMES L. DENNIS DEVELOPMENTAL CENTER CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATIONS EXPENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1709 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1709, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1709 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1718 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1718 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1718
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES DAVENPORT AND M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR PORTABLE DOPPLER ECHOCARDIOGRAM EQUIPMENT FOR THE INSTITUTE ON AGING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1718 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1718, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1718 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1719 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1719 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1719

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR SUPPLEMENTING THE DISTRIBUTION OF FUNDS TO CITIES AND COUNTIES THROUGHOUT ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1719 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1719, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1719 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1720 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1720 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1720

As Engrossed: H3/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFROD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR GRANTS TO FIRE DEPARTMENTS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1720 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 1720, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1720 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1722 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1722 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1722

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT FOR ALTERNATIVE FUELS AND ENERGY GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1722 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1722, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1722 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1723 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1723 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1723

As Engrossed: H3/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR STATEWIDE GRANTS TO PUBLIC LIBRARIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1723 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1723, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1723 held in Chamber

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1724 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 1724 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1724

As Engrossed: H3/17/09

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REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M.*

MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT - LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY FOR FAIR GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1724 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1724, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast..... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1724 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1726 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baler, House Bill No. 1726 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1726

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE STATE ATHLETIC COMMISSION FOR GRANTS TO BOYS AND GIRLS CLUBS STATEWIDE FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, MAINTENANCE, PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT, PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1726 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1726, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast..... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1726 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1727 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1727 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1727

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS FOR OPERATING, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENTS, EQUIPMENT, RENOVATION, AND MAINTENANCE EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1727 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1727, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1727 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1728 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1728 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1728

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R.*

GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS WATERWAYS COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1728 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1728, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1728 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1729 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1729 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1729

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR A GRANT TO THE BOOKS FOR *ARKANSAS* STUDENTS' EDUCATION PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1729 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B.

Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1729, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1729 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1730 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1730 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1730

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR COMMUNITY GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1730 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1730, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1730 was ordered held in Chamber

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1731 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1731 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1731

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO

THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE - HISTORIC PRESERVATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES AND GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1731 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1731, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast..... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1731 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1732 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1732 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1732

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, ET *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J.,EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORITY FOR OPERATING EXPENSES AND GRANTS IN SUPPORT OF THE SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING AND MATHEMATICS (STEM) PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1732 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1732, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1732 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1733 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1733 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1733

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF COUNTY

OPERATIONS FOR HOMELESS SHELTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1733 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1733, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast..... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1733 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1738 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1738 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1738

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, ET AL*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO

THE ARKANSAS CRIME INFORMATION CENTER FOR ARKANSAS REAL-TIME SCRAP METAL LOGBOOK EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1738 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1738, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1738 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1739 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1739 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1739

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FOR A STATEWIDE 2-1-1 INFORMATION AND REFERRAL SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1739 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1739, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1739 was ordered held in the Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1740 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1740 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO.1740

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, ET AL*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR GRANTS TO THE ARKANSAS HUNGER RELIEF ALLIANCE TO

SUPPORT HUNGER RELIEF EFFORTS THROUGHOUT THE STATE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1740 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1740, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1740 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1741 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1741 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1741

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT – LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY FOR CAMP COUCHDALE FOR FACILITY IMPROVEMENTS AND BUILDING CONSTRUCTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1741 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1741, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1741 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1742 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1742 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1742

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SOUTHERN ARKANSAS UNIVERSITY FOR CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATING EXPENSES OF A NATURAL RESOURCES RESEARCH CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1742 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1742, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1742 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1743 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1743 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1743

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, ET AL*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR SKIN CANCER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1743 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1743, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1743 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1749 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1749 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1749

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS WATERWAYS COMMISSION FOR A REGIONAL INTERMODAL GRANT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1749 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1749, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1749 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1750 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1750 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1750

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR A REGIONAL INTERMODAL GRANT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1750 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1750, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1750 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1757 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1757 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1757
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVERETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR GRANTS TO COMMUNITY PROVIDERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1757 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1757, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1757 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1758 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1758 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1758
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES EVERETT, COOK, COOPER & DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE OZARKA COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, EQUIPMENT, PERSONAL SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1758 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1758, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1758 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1759 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1759 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1759
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVERETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1759 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1759, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1759 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1763 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1763 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1763
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES ABERNATHY, J. DICKINSON & OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1763 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1763, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1763 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1765 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1765 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1765
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE - HISTORIC PRESERVATION FOR GRANTS FOR RESTORATION, CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENTS AND EQUIPPING OF ARKANSAS'S BLACK BAPTIST INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1765 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1765, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1765 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1766 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1766 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1766
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - INSTITUTE ON AGING FOR TELEMEDICINE EQUIPMENT FOR NURSING HOME PATIENT CONSULTS AND EVALUATIONS BY PHYSICIANS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1766 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1766, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1766 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1767 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1767 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1767
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE W. LEWELLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES FOR GRANTS FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING EXPENSES, CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENTS AND EQUIPPING OF JOB TRAINING PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1767 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1767, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1767 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1768 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1768 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1768
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE POWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT HOPE FOR DEVELOPMENT OF A STUDENT SUCCESS AND WORKFORCE RESOURCE CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1768 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1768, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1768 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1771 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1771 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1771
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1771 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1771, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1771 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1776 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1776 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. *1776*

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1776 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1776, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1776 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1779 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1779 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1779
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR GRANTS FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS, CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPMENT FOR ADULT EDUCATION AND SENIOR CLINIC SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1779 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1779, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1779 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1781 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1781 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1781

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR OPERATIONS, EQUIPMENT AND CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS FOR THE ARKANSAS RESEARCH AND EDUCATION OPTICAL NETWORK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1781 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1781, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1781 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1787 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1787 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1787
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE RICH MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, EQUIPMENT, PERSONAL SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATING EXPENSE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1787 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1787, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1787 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1809 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1809 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1809
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GREENBERG AND PIERCE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR EXPENSES OF AN INPATIENT CHILDREN'S PLAYGROUND FOR THE PSYCHIATRIC RESEARCH INSTITUTE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1809 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1809, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1809 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1810 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1810 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1810
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - PARTNERS FOR INCLUSIVE COMMUNITIES FOR THE SICKLE CELL ANEMIA TASK FORCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1810 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1810, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1810 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1811 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1811 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1811
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - PARTNERS FOR INCLUSIVE COMMUNITIES FOR SICKLE CELL ANEMIA OPERATING EXPENSES AND GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1811 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1811, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1811 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1813 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1813 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1813

As Engrossed: H3/9/09 H3/13/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1813 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1813, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast..... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1813 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1815 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1815 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1815
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES RAINEY AND WORD
BY: SENATORS H. WILKINS AND CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FOR 1890 RESEARCH AND EXTENSION PROGRAMS MATCHING FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1815 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1815, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1815 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1821 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1821 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1821
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES RAGLAND AND WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR THE ARKANSAS ROCK AND ROLL, COUNTRY MUSIC, AND ENTERTAINERS HALL OF FAME; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1821 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1821, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1821 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1822 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1822 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1822
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES RAGLAND AND WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1822 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1822, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1822 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1823 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1823 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1823
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES RAGLAND AND WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR OPERATING, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENTS, PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT, RENOVATION AND MAINTENANCE EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1823 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1823, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1823 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1824 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1824 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1824
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE - HISTORIC PRESERVATION FOR GRANTS FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING, CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, EQUIPPING AND MAJOR MAINTENANCE EXPENSES FOR HISTORIC PRESERVATION PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1824 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1824, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1824 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1825 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1825 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. *1825*

As Engrossed: H3/13/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS FOR *CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS AND MILITARY FUNERAL HONORS;* AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1825 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1825, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1825 was ordered held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1829 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1829 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1829
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1829 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1829, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1829 held in Chamber.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1775 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1775 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1775

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF VOLUNTEERISM FOR A NON-PROFIT SUPPORT GRANT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1775 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1775, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1775 held in Chamber.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1418

As Engrossed: H2/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES BLOUNT, ALLEN, T. BAKER, M. BURRIS, CARROLL, CASH, CHEATHAM, COOK, DAVIS, J. EDWARDS, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, INGRAM, KIDD, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, MOORE, POWERS, PYLE, RAINEY, REEP, L. SMITH, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS & WORD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE *SERVICES* FOR THE SMALL MINORITY CONTRACTORS SURETY BONDING AND MENTOR PROTEGE TRAINING PILOT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1418 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1517
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCLEAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT BATESVILLE FOR A NURSING/ALLIED HEALTH FACILITY, CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS, MAINTENANCE, AND OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1517 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1543
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BREEDLOVE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR WATER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENT GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1543 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1560

As Engrossed: H3/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES *MAXWELL, LOWERY, J. ROEBUCK, STEWART, M. BURRIS, MOORE, REEP, POWERS, L. COWLING, HARRELSON, CHEATHAM, G. SMITH, RAINEY, PIERCE, SAUNDERS, SAMPLE, HARDY, COLE, MALOCH, REYNOLDS, ABERNATHY, T. BRADFORD, SHELBY & WORD*

BY: SENATORS P. MALONE, J. JEFFRESS, G. JEFFRESS, HORN, HENDREN, BROADWAY, T. SMITH, TEAGUE, J. TAYLOR & H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS GEOLOGICAL SURVEY – ARKANSAS LIGNITE RESOURCES PILOT PROGRAM FOR RESEARCH AND COMMERCIAL TESTING OF ARKANSAS' LIGNITE RESOURCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1560 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1561

As Engrossed: H3/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MAXWELL, *REEP, CHEATHAM & MOORE*

BY: SENATORS J. JEFFRESS AND G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO FOR PLANNING, RENOVATING, CONSTRUCTING, EQUIPPING AND FURNISHING A FOREST RESOURCES COMPLEX AND RELATED INFRASTRUCTURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1561 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1571
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOYT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT MORRILTON FOR CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENTS AND OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1571 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1621
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MAXWELL, MOORE, RAINEY, REEP & CHEATHAM
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR REMOVAL, STORAGE AND RESTORATION OF THE DELTA HERITAGE TRAIL RAILROAD BEDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1621 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1638
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES BLOUNT AND DAVIS
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE EAST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1631 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1650
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS FOR A STATE VETERANS' NURSING HOME; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1650 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1655
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE EAST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTING AND EQUIPPING A WORKFORCE TRAINING FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1655 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1690
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE MID-SOUTH COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATION OF A WELDING CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1690 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1691
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE MID-SOUTH COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR RENOVATION EXPENSES FOR AN ALLIED HEALTH CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1691 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1692
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE MID-SOUTH COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATION EXPENSES OF A DIESEL TECHNOLOGY TRAINING CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1692 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1721

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATION OF SENIOR CITIZEN CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1721 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1794
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HALL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR ANIMAL RESCUE SHELTERS FOR THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1794 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1795
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HALL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR GRANTS FOR ANIMAL RESCUE OR SHELTERS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1795 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1816
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HALL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1816 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1817
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HALL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1817 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1140
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES, GRANTS OR LOANS, AND COMMUNITY GRANTS FOR THE DEVELOPMENT AND OPERATION OF CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT PREVENTION PROGRAMS FOR THE STATE CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT PREVENTION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1140 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1166
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1166 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1194
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE DEPARTMENT FOR SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION DISABILITY DETERMINATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1194 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1197
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1197 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1218
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - MANAGEMENT SERVICES DIVISION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1218 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1241
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - REVENUE SERVICES DIVISION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1241 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1628
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT STIMULUS GRANTS FOR THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1628 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1224
As Engrossed: H3/26/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARRELSON AND *COOK*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EQUALIZE RETIREE GROUP HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUM COSTS UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR RETIRED STATE EMPLOYEES AND RETIRED PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES; TO PERMIT STATE CONTRIBUTIONS TO GROUP HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUM COSTS FOR PARTICIPANTS IN THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM WHO ARE NOT STATE EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1224 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1992

As Engrossed: H3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ABERNATHY AND *GEORGE*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF MISCELLANEOUS FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1992 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2003

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PERTAINING TO RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS AND ATTENDANCE AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2003 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2101
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BETTS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE PURPOSES OF THE PLANNING AND PREPARATION TIME A SCHOOL DISTRICT IS REQUIRED TO PROVIDE FOR CLASSROOM TEACHERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2101 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2125
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK AND KERR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW LAW ENFORCEMENT TO IMPOUND A MOTOR VEHICLE THAT DOES NOT HAVE THE MINIMUM LIABILITY INSURANCE REQUIRED BY LAW OR A CERTIFICATE OF SELF-INSURANCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2125 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2135
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS CAMPUS SECURITY ENHANCEMENT ACT; TO ASSIST POSTSECONDARY SCHOOLS IN PREVENTING, PREPARING FOR, RESPONDING TO, AND RECOVERING FROM ACTS OF VIOLENCE ON CAMPUS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2135 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2164
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE COMMISSION ON CLOSING THE ACHIEVEMENT GAP IN ARKANSAS; TO PROVIDE TRAINING FOR MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION ON CLOSING THE ACHIEVEMENT GAP IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2164 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2263
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LOVELL, WAGNER & J. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE REQUIREMENTS FOR CALCULATING AVERAGE DAILY MEMBERSHIP FOR THE PURPOSES OF ADMINISTRATIVE REORGANIZATION OF SMALL SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2263 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1491
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT FROM EXCISE TAXES MOTOR VEHICLES PROVIDED PURSUANT TO A MANUFACTURER'S VEHICLE WARRANTY OR EXTENDED MOTOR VEHICLE SERVICE CONTRACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1491 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1563
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES DISMANG, CARTER, J. BURRIS, CLEMMER, S. MALONE, BAIRD & ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AND ACT TO EXEMPT ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY PERSONNEL FROM INCOME TAX ON SERVICE PAY OR ALLOWANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1563 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1640
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HAWKINS AND PIERCE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT PERSONS ARRESTED FOR A FIRST OFFENSE DWI ARE NOT ENTITLED TO A RESTRICTED PERMIT BUT ARE ALLOWED AN IGNITIION INTERLOCK RESTRICTED LICENSE; TO INCREASE SUSPENSION TIME FOR A FIRST OFFENSE DWI; TO REDUCE INELIGIBIILTY TIME FOR AN IGNITION INTERLOCK RESTRICTED LICENSE FOR CERTAIN DWI OFFENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1640 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1911

As Engrossed: H3/11/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXTEND THE NET OPERATING LOSS CARRYFORWARD PERIOD FOR CALCULATING ARKANSAS INCOME TAX; TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES TO RELATED SECTIONS OF LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1911 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2065

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENHANCE THE QUALITY OF AD VALOREM TAX DATA USED FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING; TO AMEND THE METHODS UTILIZED BY COUNTIES TO REPORT AND REMIT PROCEEDS FROM THE UNIFORM RATE OF TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2065 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2127
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE THE INSTALLATION OF ELECTRIC SIGNS; TO PROVIDE FOR THE REGULATION AND LICENSING OF PARTIES INVOLVED IN THE INSTALLATION OF ELECTRIC SIGNS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2127 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2202
As Engrossed: H3/13/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES T. ROGERS, GLIDEWELL, RICE, CARTER, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DISMANG, GARNER, HARRELSON, HOPPER, D. HUTCHINSON, KERR, KING, LEA, S. MALONE, J. ROEBUCK, G. SMITH, B. WILKINS, CARROLL, NIX, *CLEMMER, SLINKARD & ADCOCK*
BY: SENATOR ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A BACK-TO-SCHOOL TAX-FREE HOLIDAY BY EXEMPTING ITEMS OF CLOTHING FROM SALES AND USE TAX DURING A LIMITED TIME PERIOD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2202 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 28
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS WHITAKER, R. THOMPSON, D. WYATT, GLOVER, LAVERTY, ELLIOTT, J. JEFFRESS, D. JOHNSON & TEAGUE

SENATE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND HONORING TEAMS OF THE ARKANSAS NATIONAL ARCHERY IN THE SCHOOLS PROGRAM THAT HAVE QUALIFIED TO REPRESENT THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AT THE NATIONAL ARCHERY IN THE SCHOOLS PROGRAM TOURNAMENT.

Senate Resolution No. 28 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 246 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 263 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 342 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 429 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 442 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 643 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 745 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 671 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 710 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 872 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 884 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 898 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 901 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 926 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 203 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 203 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Senate Bill No. 299 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 299 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 441 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 441 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 194, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 666, BY SENATOR BRYLES,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 194 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 666 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1735, BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 452, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 840, BY SENATOR SALMON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1091, BY REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1940, BY REPRESENTATIVE COOK,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2066, BY REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1372, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 3.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1606, BY REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 956, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1859, BY REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2004, BY REPRESENTATIVE HOPPER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2163, BY REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1999, BY REPRESENTATIVE LEA,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 863, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 1, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1959, BY REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 402
SENATE BILL NO. 894
SENATE BILL NO. 912
SENATE BILL NO. 913
SENATE BILL NO. 958
SENATE BILL NO. 984

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1249
HOUSE BILL NO. 1558
HOUSE BILL NO. 1581
HOUSE BILL NO. 1595
HOUSE BILL NO. 1647
HOUSE BILL NO. 1785
HOUSE BILL NO. 1807
HOUSE BILL NO. 1858
HOUSE BILL NO. 1860
HOUSE BILL NO. 1884
HOUSE BILL NO. 1894
HOUSE BILL NO. 1955
HOUSE BILL NO. 2070
HOUSE BILL NO. 2113

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1485 AS AMENDED NO. 2
HOUSE BILL NO. 1580 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 2020 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 2208 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS REQUESTED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1544

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED
SENATE BILL NO. 246
SENATE BILL NO. 263
SENATE BILL NO. 342
SENATE BILL NO. 429
SENATE BILL NO. 442
SENATE BILL NO. 643
SENATE BILL NO. 671
SENATE BILL NO. 710
SENATE BILL NO. 745
SENATE BILL NO. 872
SENATE BILL NO. 884
SENATE BILL NO. 898
SENATE BILL NO. 901
SENATE BILL NO. 926

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED
SENATE BILL NO. 203 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 299 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 441 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1140
HOUSE BILL NO. 1166
HOUSE BILL NO. 1194

HOUSE BILL NO. 1197
HOUSE BILL NO. 1218
HOUSE BILL NO. 1224
HOUSE BILL NO. 1241
HOUSE BILL NO. 1418
HOUSE BILL NO. 1491
HOUSE BILL NO. 1517
HOUSE BILL NO. 1543
HOUSE BILL NO. 1560
HOUSE BILL NO. 1561
HOUSE BILL NO. 1563
HOUSE BILL NO. 1571
HOUSE BILL NO. 1621
HOUSE BILL NO. 1628
HOUSE BILL NO. 1638
HOUSE BILL NO. 1640
HOUSE BILL NO. 1650
HOUSE BILL NO. 1655
HOUSE BILL NO. 1690
HOUSE BILL NO. 1691
HOUSE BILL NO. 1692
HOUSE BILL NO. 1721
HOUSE BILL NO. 1794
HOUSE BILL NO. 1795
HOUSE BILL NO. 1816
HOUSE BILL NO. 1817
HOUSE BILL NO. 1911
HOUSE BILL NO. 1992
HOUSE BILL NO. 2003
HOUSE BILL NO. 2065
HOUSE BILL NO. 2101
HOUSE BILL NO. 2125
HOUSE BILL NO. 2127
HOUSE BILL NO. 2135
HOUSE BILL NO. 2164
HOUSE BILL NO. 2202
HOUSE BILL NO. 2263

On motion of Senator Smith, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Thursday, April 2, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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EIGHTY-FIRST DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

April 2, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Imam Johnny Hasan, Islamic Center for Human Excellence, Little Rock, Arkansas.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 807 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 807

Amend Senate Bill No. 807 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 20-86-109(a), concerning matching funds for the Family Savings Initiative Act , is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) Any individual, business, organization, or other entity may contribute matching funds to a fiduciary organization.

(2) The funds shall be designated to the fiduciary organization to allocate to ~~all its~~ participants ~~on a proportionate basis~~ who meet the requirements in § 20-86-106.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 20-86-109, concerning matching funds for the Family Savings Initiative Act, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(g) The Department of Workforce Services may monitor the use of these funds by fiduciary organizations."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. KEY

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 807 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 944 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 944

Amend Senate Bill No. 944 as engrossed, S3/31/09:

Page 1, delete lines 9 through 13 and substitute the following:
"AN ACT TO STUDY VARIOUS ASPECTS OF ASTHMA MEDICATION USE AND REIMBURSEMENT WITHIN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 16 through 20 and substitute the following:
"TO STUDY VARIOUS ASPECTS OF ASTHMA MEDICATION USE AND REIMBURSEMENT WITHIN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Within thirty (30) days after the effective date of this act, the Department of Human Services shall invite a representative of each of the following entities to meet to study the issues in Section 2 of this act:

(1) The Department of Human Services;

(2) Two (2) members of the Pharmaceutical Research Manufacturer's Association (PhRMA);

(3) The Arkansas Medical Society;

(4) The Arkansas Pharmacists Association;

(5) The Arkansas Medical, Dental, and Pharmaceutical Association;

(6) The Arkansas Asthma Coalition;

(7) Arkansas Children's Hospital;

(8) The Arkansas Chapter of the American Academy of Pediatrics;

(9) The Arkansas Academy of Family Physicians; and

(10) The College of Pharmacy of the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences.

SECTION 2. The group created in Section 1 of this act shall study:

(1) The negative and positive effects of the clinical edit on asthma patients and their providers in the Arkansas Medicaid Program;

(2) Ways and means to increase Medicaid patient compliance with asthma medication usage in the Arkansas Medicaid Program;

(3) Effects of removing the restrictions on asthma medication in the Arkansas Medicaid Program; and

(4) Other issues related to asthma medication in the Arkansas Medicaid Program.

SECTION 3. On or before May 1, 2010, the Department of Human Services shall report on behalf of the group created in Section 1 of this act the findings of the group to the Senate Committee on Public Health, Welfare, and Labor and the House Committee on Public Health, Welfare, and Labor."

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 944 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 798 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 798

Amend Senate Bill No. 798 as originally introduced:

Page 3, line 28, delete "a site" and substitute "a site or sites"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 5 through 8 and substitute the following:
"accurate and unbiased information about emergency contraception or provide the rape survivor a medical referral to a site or sites where emergency contraception is available.

(b) A licensed or registered pharmacist in the State of Arkansas shall distribute medically and factually accurate and unbiased information concerning the availability and use of emergency contraception.

(c) The Arkansas State Board of Pharmacy shall promulgate rules to determine the distribution of the information required under this section."

AND

Page 4, line 18, delete "five thousand dollars ($5,000)" and substitute "one thousand dollars ($1,000)"
AND

Page 4, line 23, delete "five thousand dollars ($5,000)" and substitute "one thousand dollars ($1,000)"

AND

Page 4, line 27, delete "five thousand dollars ($5,000)" and substitute "two thousand dollars ($2,000)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 798 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 965 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 965

Amend Senate Bill No. 965 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 10 through 12, and substitute the following:

"AN ACT TO TRANSFER THE ARKANSAS WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD TO THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES; TO BRING THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD INTO COMPLIANCE WITH APPLICABLE FEDERAL LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 15 through 17, and substitute the following:

"TO TRANSFER THE ARKANSAS WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD TO THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES, AND TO BRING THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE BOARD INTO COMPLIANCE WITH APPLICABLE FEDERAL LAW."

AND

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. DO NOT CODIFY. Effective July 1, 2009, the Arkansas Workforce Investment Board established by § 15-4-2204 is transferred as a Type 1 transfer under § 25-2-104 to the Arkansas Department of Workforce Services.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 15-4-2204 is amended to read as follows:

15-4-2204. Arkansas Workforce Investment Board established.

(a) There is created the Arkansas Workforce Investment Board.

(b)(1) The board shall consist of: ~~not more than twenty-five (25) people appointed by the Governor.~~

(A) The Governor;

(B) Two (2) members to be appointed by the President Pro Tempore of the Senate;

(C) Two (2) members to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Representatives;

(D) The following members to be appointed by the Governor, subject to confirmation by the Senate:

(i) One (1) chief elected official nominated by the Arkansas Municipal League;

(ii) One (1) chief elected official nominated by the Association of Arkansas Counties;

(III) No fewer than two (2) representatives of labor organizations to be nominated by the Arkansas Labor Federation;

(iv) No fewer than two (2) representatives of individuals and organizations who have experience with respect to youth activities and Programs;

(v) No fewer than two (2) representatives of individuals and organizations who have experience and expertise in the delivery of workforce investment activities of which:

(a) One (1) member shall be a chief executive officer of a two-year college nominated by the Association of Two-year Colleges, and

(b) One (1) member shall represent a community-based organization;

(E) The Director of the Department of Workforce Education;

(F) The Director of the Department of Workforce Services;

(G) The Director of the Department of Human Services;

(H) The Director of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission;

(I) A representative of employment and training activities carried out by the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development;

(J) The Director of the Department of Higher Education;

(K) The Director of the Arkansas Rehabilitation Services of the Department of Workforce Education; and

(L) The Director of the Division of Services for the Blind of the Department of Human Services.

(2) A majority of the members of the board shall be representatives of business in Arkansas who:

(A) Are owners of businesses, chief ~~executive~~ executives or operating officers of businesses, and other business executives or employers with optimum policymaking or hiring authority, including members of the local workforce investment boards;

(B) Represent businesses with employment opportunities reflecting the employment opportunities of Arkansas; and

(C) Are appointed from among individuals nominated by Arkansas business organizations and business trade associations.

(c)(1) In no event shall the board consist of more than forty-three (43) members.

(2) A person may serve in dual capacity as a member of the board.

(d) In appointing members, the Governor shall take into consideration that the board represents the diverse regions of Arkansas, including without limitation urban, rural, and suburban areas.

(e) Members of the board who represent organizations, agencies, or other entities shall be individuals with optimum policymaking authority within their respective organizations, agencies, and entities.

(f)(1) Nonlegislative members shall be appointed for four-year staggered terms.

(2) The staggered terms shall be assigned by lot.

(3) The terms shall begin on July 1 of each year.

~~(c)~~(g) The Governor shall annually select on June 1 a chair for the board among the representatives of businesses described in subdivision (b)(1)(D) of this section.

~~(d)~~(h) In the event of a vacancy on the board, the vacancy shall be filled for the unexpired portion of the term by the appointment of a person meeting the same qualifications required for initial appointment.

~~(e)(1)~~(i)(1) By a majority vote of the total membership of the board cast during its first regularly scheduled meeting of each calendar year, the board may authorize payment to its members of a stipend not to exceed one hundred ten dollars ($110) per meeting attended. The board members shall receive no other compensation, expense reimbursement, or in-lieu-of payments as provided in § 25-16-902.

(2) The stipend shall be paid from the Arkansas Workforce Investment Fund.

(j) Legislative members shall receive in lieu of reimbursement for meals, lodging, and travel the same per diem and mileage allowance for each day of attending meetings of the board as is authorized by law for attending meetings of the interim committees of the General Assembly to be payable from the Arkansas Workforce Investment Fund.

~~(f)~~(k) A member of the board shall not:

(1) Vote on a matter under consideration by the board:

(A) Regarding the provision of services by the member or by an entity that the member represents; or

(B) That would provide direct financial benefit to the member or the immediate family of the member; or

(2) Engage in any other activity determined by the Governor or by law to constitute a conflict of interest.

~~(g)(1) The board shall hold its first meeting by July 15, 1999, at a place and time designated by the Governor.~~

~~(2) Subsequent meetings~~

(l) Meetings of the board shall be held at least quarterly or at the call of the chair or upon the written request of a majority of the members of the board.

~~(h) For purposes of complying with this section, the Governor may use any state entity that:~~

~~(1) Was in existence on December 31, 1997, and~~

~~(2) Was established pursuant to section 122 or title VII of the Job Training Partnership Act, as in effect on December 31, 1997; or~~

~~(3) Is substantially similar to the board described in subsection (a) of this section.~~

~~(i) The board shall establish a state level One-Stop Partner Council that shall include, but not be limited to:~~

~~(1) One (1) chief elected official nominated by the Arkansas Municipal League and one (1) chief elected official nominated by the Association of Arkansas Counties;~~

~~(2) No fewer than three (3) representatives of labor organizations who are to be nominated by the Arkansas labor federation;~~

~~(3) No fewer than two (2) representatives of individuals and organizations who have experience with respect to youth activities and programs;~~

~~(4) No fewer than three (3) representatives of individuals and organizations who have experience and expertise in the delivery of workforce investment activities of which at least:~~

~~(A) One (1) member shall be a chief executive officer of a two-year college nominated by the Association of Two-year Colleges;~~

~~(B) One (1) member shall be a director of an agency responsible to a local work force investment board for administrative workforce investment programs nominated by the Career Development Network Associations; and~~

~~(C) One (1) member shall represent community-based organizations;~~

~~(5) One (1) member who is a person with a disability and who is familiar with vocational rehabilitation and:~~

~~(A) Represents an organization of Arkansans with disabilities; or~~

~~(B) Complies with subdivision (b)(2) of this section;~~

~~(6) The Director of the Department of Workforce Education;~~

~~(7) The Director of the Arkansas Employment Security Department;~~

~~(8) The Director of the Department of Human Services;~~

~~(9) The Director of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission;~~

~~(10) A representative of employment and training activities carried out by the Department of Housing and Urban Development;~~

~~(11) The Director of the Department of Higher Education;~~

~~(12) The Director of the Arkansas Rehabilitation Services of the Department of Workforce Education;~~

~~(13) The Director of the Arkansas Development Finance Authority;~~

~~(14) The Director of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission;~~

~~(15) The Chair of the State Board of Education;~~

~~(16) The Chair of the State Board of Workforce Education and Career Opportunities;~~

~~(17) The Chair of the Arkansas Higher Education Coordinating Board; and~~

~~(18) The Chair of the Arkansas Transitional Employment Board.~~

SECTION 3. DO NOT CODIFY. Effective July 1, 2009, the terms of all current members of the Arkansas Workforce Investment Board shall expire, and the board shall thereafter be comprised of those persons designated or appointed under Section 2 of this act.

SECTION 4. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that the Arkansas Workforce Investment program provides important resources for economic development for Arkansas citizens; that the federal Workforce Investment Act of 1998 requires that Arkansas law precisely track federal requirements; and that this act is immediately necessary to ensure that the Arkansas Workforce Investment program continues to provide Arkansans with the opportunities made available through the federal act. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or

(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRACY STEELE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 965 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 798, BY SENATORS ELLIOTT AND SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 807, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 944, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 965, BY SENATOR STEELE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 798 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 807 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 944 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 965 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Hendren, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of recognizing Mr. Al Kettner.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

Senate Bill No. 9 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

House Bill No. 1646 was returned to the House as passed as amended.

House Bill No. 2002 was returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 536, BY SENATOR PRITCHARD,
SENATE BILL NO. 892, BY SENATOR BRYLES,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
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April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 844, BY SENATOR GILBERT BAKER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 4.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
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April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 985, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
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April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 441, BY SENATOR BAKER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
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April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1986, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2069, BY REPRESENTATIVE HYDE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2173, BY REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1623, BY REPRESENTATIVE STEWART,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
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April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 2169, BY REPRESENTATIVE GREEN,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2203, BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2231, BY REPRESENTATIVE FLOWERS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 2071, BY REPRESENTATIVE HYDE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2075, BY REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 2105, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1 and No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
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REGULAR SESSION

April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 194, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 370, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 417, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 478, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 630, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 725, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 726, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 730, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 732, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
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April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 453, BY SENATOR ALTES,
SENATE BILL NO. 506, BY SENATOR B. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 724, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
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April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 203, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
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April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 1007, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
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April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1725, BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1746, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. EDWARDS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2274, BY REPRESENTATIVE PATTERSON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 963 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
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Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 963

Amend Senate Bill No. 963 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 27, delete "(d)" and substitute "(d)(1)"

AND

Page 1, delete line 29 and substitute the following:
"the recipient's children for both day and evening classes.

(2) The Department of Workforce Services and the Arkansas Early Childhood Commission jointly shall promulgate rules to develop an evening child care program with extended hours under subdivision (d)(1) of this section."

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRACY STEELE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 963 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 79 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 79

Amend Senate Bill No. 79 as engrossed, S2/17/09:

Page 2, delete line 17 and substitute the following:
"diagnostic radiologist certified by or eligible for certification by the American Board of Radiology or an equivalent board approved by the Arkansas State Medical Board may"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 19 through 31

(SIGNED) SENATOR DAVID JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 79 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 814 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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Amendment No. 3 to SENATE BILL NO. 814

Amend Senate Bill No. 814 as engrossed, S3/31/09:

Delete Section 21

AND

Page 13, delete lines 18 through 22 and substitute:

"(6)(A) Prohibit discrimination in admissions policy on the basis of gender, national origin, race, ethnicity, religion, disability, or academic or athletic eligibility, except as follows:

(i) The open-enrollment public charter school may adopt admissions policies that are consistent with federal law, regulations, or guidelines applicable to charter schools;

~~(A)~~(ii) The open-enrollment public charter school may allow"

AND

Page 13, line 28, delete "~~(B)~~(ii)" and substitute "~~(B)~~(iii)"

AND

Page 13, delete lines 30 through 32 and substitute:
"public school district in accordance with this title;"

AND

Page 14, line 16, delete "the funding" and substitute "the foundation funding and enhanced educational funding"

AND

Page 15, Line 9, delete "of the"

AND

Page 15, line 10, delete "preceding school year" and substitute "preceding the school year"

AND

Page 17, line 10, delete "or offered" and substitute "~~or offered~~"

AND

Page 20, delete lines 4 and 5 and substitute:
"districts will receive the amount of funding for the current school year. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act"

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHANE BROADWAY

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 814 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 861 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 861

Amend Senate Bill No. 861 as engrossed, S3/31/09:

Page 9, delete line 36 and substitute the following language:
"by the division at no cost to the school district."

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHANE BROADWAY

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 861 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1489 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
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REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1489

Amend House Bill No. 1489 as engrossed, H2/27/09

Page 1, line 22, delete "Department of Arkansas State Police,"

AND

Page 1, line 23, delete ","

AND

Page 1, line 25, delete "jailer or" and substitute "jailer ~~or~~"

AND

Page 1, line 26, delete "correction officer" and substitute "~~correction officer~~"

AND

Page 2, line 1, delete ", correctional institution,"

AND

Page 3, delete line 8 and substitute:
"coroner and the State Medical Examiner shall be notified, and when previous medical history does not exist to explain the death, the Department of Arkansas State Police shall be notified."

(SIGNED) SENATOR D. JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1489 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 2022 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

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REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 2022

Amend House Bill No. 2022 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 9-10-104 is amended to read as follows:

9-10-104. Suit to determine paternity of child born outside of marriage.

Petitions for paternity establishment may be filed by:

(1) A biological mother;

(2) A putative father;

(3) A person for whom paternity is not presumed or established by court order, including a parent or grandparent of a deceased putative father; or

(4) The Office of Child Support Enforcement of the Revenue Division of the Department of Finance and Administration."

(SIGNED) SENATOR R. THOMPSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2022 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Wilkinson, House Bill No. 2013 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

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REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 2013

Amend House Bill No. 2013 as engrossed, H3/20/09:

Delete the title entirely and substitute:

“AN ACT TO PROVIDE NOTICE TO GRANDPARENTS AND OTHER ADULT RELATIVES OF A CHILD WHO HAS BEEN TAKEN INTO THE CUSTODY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES RELATED TO A CHILD MALTREATMENT MATTER; TO REQUIRE COURT REPORTS TO INCLUDE INFORMATION ABOUT AND RECOMMENDATIONS CONCERNING PLACEMENT AND VISITATION WITH A GRANDPARENT OR OTHER ADULT RELATIVE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.”

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO PROVIDE A MECHANISM FOR GRANDPARENTS
AND OTHER ADULT RELATIVES TO RECEIVE
NOTICE AND BE INCLUDED IN REPORTS
RELATED TO A CHILD IN THE CUSTODY OF THE
DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES."

AND

Delete all language following the enacting clause and substitute:

“SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 9-27-325, concerning hearings under the Arkansas Juvenile Code of 1989, is amended to add an additional subsection to read as follows:

(n)(1) The Department of Human Services shall exercise due diligence to identify and provide notice to all adult grandparents and other adult relatives of a juvenile transferred to the custody of the department.

(2) The notice provided under this subsection shall:

(A) Be within thirty (30) days after the juvenile is transferred to the custody of the department; and

(B) Include adult grandparents or adult relatives suggested by the parents.

(3) The notice provided under this subsection is not required if the adult grandparents or other adult relatives have:

(A) A pending charge or past conviction or plea of guilty or nolo contendere for family or domestic violence; or

(B) A true finding of child maltreatment in the Child Maltreatment Central Registry.

(4) The content of the notice under this subsection shall include:

(A) A statement that the juvenile has been or is being removed from the parent;

(B) The option to participate in the care of, placement with, and visitation with the child, including any options that may be lost by failing to respond to the notice;

(C) The requirements to become a provisional foster home and the additional services and supports that are available for children in a foster home; and

(D) If kinship guardianship is available, how the relative could enter into an agreement with the department.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 9-27-361(a)(2), concerning reports made to the court under the Arkansas Juvenile Code of 1989, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(C)(i) In cases in which a juvenile has been transferred to the custody of the department, the department's court report shall outline the efforts made by the department to identify and notify adult grandparents and other adult relatives that the juvenile is in the custody of the department.

(ii) The department's court report shall list all adult grandparents and other adult relatives notified by the department and the response of each adult grandparent or other adult relative to the notice, including:

(a) The adult grandparent or other adult relative's interest in participating in the care and placement of the juvenile;

(b) Whether the adult grandparent or other adult relative is interested in becoming a provisional foster parent or foster parent of the juvenile;

(c) Whether the adult grandparent or other adult relative is interested in kinship guardianship, if funding is available; and

(d) Whether the adult grandparent or other adult relative is interested in visitation.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 9-27-361(a)(3), concerning reports made to the court under the Arkansas Juvenile Code of 1989, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(3) The report prepared by the court-appointed special advocate shall include, but is not limited to:

(A) Any independent factual information that he or she feels is relevant to the case;

(B) A summary of the compliance of the parties with the court orders; ~~and~~

(C) Any information on adult relatives, including their contact information and the volunteer's recommendation about relative placement and visitation; and

~~(C)~~(D) Recommendations to the court.

SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 9-27-361(b)(3), concerning reports made to the court under the Arkansas Juvenile Code of 1989, is amended to add an additional subdivision to read as follows:

(3) The report prepared by the court-appointed special advocate shall include, but is not limited to:

(A) Any independent factual information that he or she feels is relevant to the case;

(B) A summary of the compliance of the parties with the court orders; ~~and~~

(C) Any information on adult relatives, including their contact information and the volunteer's recommendation about relative placement and visitation; and

~~(C)~~(D) The recommendations to the court."

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2013 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Trusty, House Bill No. 1172 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

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Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1172

Amend House Bill No. 1172 as engrossed, H3/26/09:

Page 2, delete lines 10 through 15, and substitute the following:

"Chief Fiscal Officer of the State certifies that additional funding has been provided to state general revenues from other funding sources and is available for use during fiscal year 2010 in an amount sufficient to replace the general revenue reduction for the fiscal year 2010 that would result from the allowance of the income tax credit provided in this act. The Chief Fiscal Office of the State will make the same determination for fiscal year 2011 and each fiscal year thereafter. At any time that the Chief Fiscal officer of the State determines that additional funding from sources other than state general revenues does not exist in an amount sufficient to replace the general revenue reduction for that fiscal year from the allowance of the income tax credit provided in this act, the income tax credit provided by this act will expire. The Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall provide notice to the Director of the Bureau of Legislative Research when the contingencies in this section have been met."

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHARON TRUSTY

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1172 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1372 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1372

Amend House Bill No. 1372 as engrossed, S3/17/09:

Page 2, delete lines 17 through 19 and substitute the following language:

"(ii) The manner of providing testimony under the subpoena shall be conducted by video conference testimony unless another manner is agreed upon by the board or commission and the person who is the subject of the subpoena."

AND

Page 2, line 28 delete "the"

AND

Page 2, line 33 delete "preceding" and substitute "proceeding"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1372 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1606 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

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REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1606

Amend House Bill No. 1606 as engrossed, H3/19/09:

Page 2, line 13, delete "June 1" and substitute "August 31"

AND

Page 4, delete lines 31 through 35 and substitute:

"(c)(1) The department may identify an education service cooperative as being in fiscal distress at any time a fiscal condition of the education service cooperative is discovered to have a detrimental negative impact on the continuation of educational services provided by the education service cooperative.

(2)(A) If the department identifies an education service cooperative as being in fiscal distress, the department shall notify the education service cooperative in writing of the identification of fiscal distress within ten (10) calendar days.

(B) The department shall identify in the notice each criteria"

AND

Page 5, line 2, delete "(3)" and substitute "(C)"

AND

Page 5, line 4, delete "(A)" and substitute "(i)"

AND

Page 5, line 6, delete "(B)" and substitute "(ii)"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 8 through 11 and substitute:

"(d) The identification of fiscal distress made by the department under this section may be appealed to the State Board of Education under § 6-13-1031, in which case the final order entered upon appeal is the final classification of fiscal distress."

AND

Page 5, line 13, delete "identification" and substitute "classification by the state board"

AND

Page 5, line 16, delete "identified" and substitute "classified"

AND

Page 5, line 28, delete "identified" and substitute "classified by the State Board of Education"

AND

Page 6, line 2, delete "identification" and substitute "classification"

AND

Page 6, delete lines 18 through 20 and substitute:

"(2) Every six (6) months during which the education service cooperative is classified as being in fiscal distress, the department shall submit to the state board a written evaluation on the fiscal status of the education service cooperative;"

AND

Page 6, delete lines 28 through 31

AND

Page 6, line 32, delete "(2)" and substitute "(1)"

AND

Page 7, delete lines 8 and 9 and substitute:

"(2) Impose reporting requirements on the education service cooperative.

(c) Within two (2) consecutive school years of the State Board of Education's final classification of fiscal distress, the Department of Education shall determine whether to recommend that the education service cooperative be removed from fiscal distress status."

AND

Page 7, delete lines 12 through 16 and substitute:

"(a) The Department of Education shall certify in writing to"

AND

Page 7, line 18, delete "should" and substitute "may"

AND

Page 7, line 21, delete "identification" and substitute "classification"

AND

Page 7, delete lines 24 through 33 and substitute:

"(b)(1) Within thirty (30) days of receiving the department's certification under subsection (a) of this section, an education service cooperative may petition the State Board of Education in writing for removal from fiscal distress.

(2) An education service cooperative may not petition the state board

for removal from fiscal distress status before the department makes the certification under subsection (a) of this section.

(c) Within sixty (60) days of receiving the petition for removal from fiscal distress, the state board shall deny the petition or remove the education service cooperative from fiscal distress status.

(d) If an education service cooperative fails to meet the department's requirements for removal from fiscal distress status within two (2) consecutive school years of being classified in fiscal distress, the state board shall:"

AND

Page 8, delete lines 4 through 7 and substitute:

"(B) The state board shall extend the classification of fiscal distress for one (1) additional year within which time the education service cooperative shall comply with all conditions for removal from fiscal distress status under this section."

AND

Page 8, line 8, delete "(f)" and substitute "(e)"

AND

Page 8, line 11, delete "(e)" and substitute "(d)"

AND

Page 8, line 19, delete "or decision." And substitute "of fiscal distress."

AND

Page 8, line 21, delete "identified" and substitute "classified"

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHANE BROADWAY

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1606 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, House Bill No. 1999 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

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Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1999

Amend House Bill No. 1999 as engrossed, H3/25/09:

Page 1, delete lines 20 through 28 and substitute the following language:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 6-17-702 is amended to read as follows:

6-17-702. Staff development sessions.

(a)(1)(A) ~~No~~ A school district shall not deny ~~certified~~ licensed personnel the opportunity to attend certified instructional staff development sessions conducted by bona fide professional organizations within the ~~State of Arkansas~~ state.

(B) ~~Certified~~ Licensed personnel may count up to two (2) days of ~~five and one-half (5½)~~ six (6) hours each of attendance at instructional professional development sessions conducted by bona fide professional organizations toward fulfillment of the ~~five (5)~~ ten (10) days of staff development required by the Standards for Accreditation of Arkansas Public Schools and School Districts, provided the sessions have been certified by the Department of Education.

(2) The State Board of Education ~~is hereby authorized to~~ may promulgate rules ~~and regulations~~ to implement the certification process for instructional staff development sessions.

(b) ~~No provision of this~~ This section ~~shall~~ does not ~~be interpreted as authorizing~~ authorize a ~~local~~ school district employee to refrain from attending meetings and workshops designed to implement restructuring mandated by § 6-15-1001 et seq."

AND

Page 1, line 33 delete "certified" and substitute "~~certified~~ licensed"

AND

Page 2, line 3 delete "certified" and substitute "~~certified~~ licensed"

AND

Page 2, line 5 delete "certified" and substitute "~~certified~~ licensed"

AND

Page 2, line 6 delete “Certified” and substitute “~~Certified~~ Licensed”

AND

Page 2, line 9 delete "Certified" and substitute "Licensed"

(SIGNED) SENATOR MARY ANNE SALMON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1999 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1959 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendments No. 1 and No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1959

Amend House Bill No. 1959 as originally introduced:

Page 11, line 18, delete "program;" and substitute "program; or"

AND

Page 11, delete lines 20 through 22 and substitute "accommodations."

AND

Page 11, line 27, delete "(b)(1)(B)(iii)" and substitute "(d)(1)(B)(iii)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE

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Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1959

Amend House Bill No. 1959 as originally introduced:

Page 11, delete lines 17 through 22 and substitute:
"transcript, unless exempted under an individualized education program."
AND

Page 11, line 27, delete "(b)(1)(B)(iii)" and substitute "(d)(1)(B)(iii)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1959 was ordered engrossed.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

April 2, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on April 2, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 460, - ACT 769,
Senate Bill No. 882, - ACT 770,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Resolution No. 24 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 24
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

SENATE RESOLUTION URGING THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES TO EXPAND THE AVAILABILITY OF SERVICES TO RELATIVE CAREGIVERS OF TRANSITIONAL EMPLOYMENT ASSISTANCE CHILD-ONLY CASES.

Senate Resolution No. 24 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Whitaker, Senate Resolution No. 28 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 28
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS WHITAKER, R. THOMPSON, D. WYATT, GLOVER, LAVERTY, ELLIOTT, J. JEFFRESS, D. JOHNSON & TEAGUE

SENATE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND HONORING TEAMS OF THE ARKANSAS NATIONAL ARCHERY IN THE SCHOOLS PROGRAM THAT HAVE QUALIFIED TO REPRESENT THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AT THE NATIONAL ARCHERY IN THE SCHOOLS PROGRAM TOURNAMENT.

Senate Resolution No. 28 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE
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April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 129, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 177, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 180, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 210, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 224, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 228, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 231, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 240, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Whitaker, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1004 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1004
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE ARKANSAS CONGRESSIONAL DELEGATION AND THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES TO SUPPORT HORSE PROCESSING FACILITIES.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1004 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1004 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 869 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 869 was withdrawn by the author, Senator J. Jeffress..

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 178 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 63 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 63

Amend Senate Bill No. 63 as originally introduced:

Page 3, line 32, delete "in writing"

AND

Page 3, line 33, delete "in"

AND

Page 3, line 34, delete "writing"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE M. BURRIS

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 63, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Madison, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 63 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 63

As Engrossed: H3/13/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 20 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 63 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 63 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 776 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 776

Amend Senate Bill No. 776 as engrossed, S3/12/09:
Page 4, delete lines 12 through 17 and substitute:
"(i) The parent is not fit to make decisions concerning the child; and
(ii) The marriage is not in the child's best interest."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE POWERS

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 776, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Madison, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 776 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 776
As Engrossed: S3/12/09 H3/26/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON
BY: REPRESENTATIVE POWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING JUVENILES, THE JUVENILE CODE, AND JUVENILE JUSTICE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 776 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 776, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 776 was ordered enrolled.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, Senate Bill No. 784 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 784 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Whitaker.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3

As Engrossed: S2/10/09 S2/12/09 S3/12/09 S3/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS, ET AL & REPRESENTATVE WOODS, ET AL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AMENDING THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO PROVIDE FOR A CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHT TO HUNT, FISH, TRAP, AND HARVEST WILDLIFE.

Subtitle

AMENDING THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO CREATE A CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHT TO HUNT, FISH, TRAP, AND HARVEST WILDLIFE.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:

That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election for Senators and Representatives, if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. (a)(1) Citizens of the state of Arkansas have a right to hunt, fish, trap, and harvest wildlife.

(2) The right to hunt, fish, trap, and harvest wildlife shall be subject only to regulations that promote sound wildlife conservation and management and are consistent with Amendment 35 of the Arkansas Constitution.

(b) Public hunting, fishing, and trapping shall be a preferred means of managing and controlling nonthreatened species and citizens may use traditional methods for harvesting wildlife.

(c) Nothing in this amendment shall be construed to alter, repeal, or modify:

(1) Any provision of Amendment 35 to the Arkansas Constitution;

(2) Any common law or statute relating to trespass, private property right, eminent domain, public ownership of property, or any law concerning firearms unrelated to hunting; or

(3) The sovereign immunity of the State of Arkansas.

/s/ Faris

Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker.

Total 29

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: D. Johnson, Madison, P. Malone, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 6

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast..... 29

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 178, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS

CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 949 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 949

As Engrossed: S3/16/09 S3/26/09 S3/31/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE CONSUMER-PATIENT RADIATION HEALTH AND SAFETY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 949 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 949 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 998 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 998

As Engrossed: S3/23/09 S3/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING CLASSIFIED PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEE PERSONNEL POLICIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 998 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 998 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 999 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 999

As Engrossed: S3/23/09 S3/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING LICENSED PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEE PERSONNEL POLICIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 999 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 999 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Malone, Senate Bill No. 779 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 779

As Engrossed: S3/19/09 S3/31/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. HUTCHINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING THE AVAILABILITY OF RECORDS OF CHILDREN'S ADVOCACY CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 779 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 779 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 860 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 860
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COOK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE COMMISSION FOR ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIC FACILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION TO DEVELOP RULES GOVERNING PUBLIC WORKS PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 860 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 860 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Capps, Senate Bill No. 959 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 959

As Engrossed: S4/1/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ABOLISH DORMANT BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS AND TO CLARIFY THE LAW CONCERNING ONGOING BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 959 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 959 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

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On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 839 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 839

As Engrossed: S3/26/09 S3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PREGNANT WOMEN IN DETENTION FACILITIES IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Pritchard spoke against the Bill.

Senator Salmon closed for her Bill.

Senate Bill No. 839 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, J. Jeffress, D. Johnson, Madison, P. Malone, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, R. Thompson.

Total 13

NEGATIVE: Altes, Bookout, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, J. Key, Miller, B. Pritchard, J. Taylor, Teague, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 14

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: G. Baker, Bledsoe, G. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Trusty, H. Wilkins.

Total 8

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....27

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 839, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, J. Jeffress, D. Johnson, Madison, P. Malone, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, R. Thompson.

Total 13

NEGATIVE: Altes, Bookout, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, J. Key, Miller, B. Pritchard, J. Taylor, Teague, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 14

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: G. Baker, Bledsoe, G. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Trusty, H. Wilkins.

Total 8

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 27

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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Senator Salmon moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 839 and Emergency Clause failed be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

The record pertaining to the vote by which Senate Bill No. 839 failed to pass and the emergency clause failed of adoption was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 2, 2009.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 943 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 943

As Engrossed: S3/31/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE PARENTS' ACCESS TO PUBLIC SCHOOL DATA ON ACHIEVEMENT GAPS AND ON PUBLIC SCHOOL PLANS TO CLOSE ACHIEVEMENT GAPS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 943 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Faris.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 943 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 987 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 987

As Engrossed: S3/31/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PLACE LIMITS ON THE AMOUNT AND DURATION OF CARRYOVER CATEGORICAL FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 987 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 987 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 995 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 995

As Engrossed: S3/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING EXPUNGEMENT; TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING POSSSESION OF FIREARMS BY CERTAIN PERSONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 995 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 995 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 664 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 664

As Engrossed: S3/31/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION TO ALLOW A SCHOOL DISTRICT TO ADVERTISE A BOND SALE BY A METHOD OTHER THAN NEWSPAPER PUBLICATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 664 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 664 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 862 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 862
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING AMOUNTS; TO PROVIDE RESOURCES FOR EDUCATIONAL ADEQUACY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 862 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 862 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 452 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 452
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS SALMON, MADISON, ELLIOTT & TEAGUE
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SAUNDERS, RAGLAND & HOUSE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE ON THE ASSESSMENT AND IMPROVEMENT OF ARKANSAS HISTORY EDUCATION IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 452 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 452 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 840 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 840

As Engrossed: S3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS OF THE ARKANSAS COMMISSION FOR COORDINATION OF EDUCATIONAL EFFORTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 840 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 840 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, Senate Bill No. 956 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 956
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW STUDENTS IN GRADE TEN (10) OR ABOVE TO PARTICIPATE IN COSMETOLOGY COURSES OFFERED IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 956 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 956 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Altes, House Bill No. 1942 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1942

As Engrossed: H/3/13/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A CITY THAT ADJOINS A BORDER CITY THAT IS SEPARATED BY A NAVIGABLE RIVER FROM A CITY IN ANOTHER STATE TO SELL CIGARETTES AT THE RATE USED BY THE BORDER CITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Key spoke against the Bill.

Senator Luker spoke in favor of the Bill.

Senator Altes closed for the Bill.

House Bill No. 1942 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 26

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Hendren, J. Key, Miller, B. Pritchard, Whitaker.

Total 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: G. Baker, Horn, H. Wilkins.

Total 3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....32

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1942, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 26

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Hendren, J. Key, Miller, B. Pritchard, Whitaker.

Total 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: G. Baker, Horn, H. Wilkins.

Total 3

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 32

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1942 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Malone, Senate Bill No. 827 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 827

As Engrossed: S3/23/09 S4/1/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS P. MALONE AND SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO TRANSFER THE STATE BOARD OF REGISTERED INTERIOR DESIGNERS TO THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF ARCHITECTS; TO TRANSFER THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS TO THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF ARCHITECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 827 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 827 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 337 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 337
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATORS FARIS AND BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FACILITIES FUNDING FOR THE ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND AND THE ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 337 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 337 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 863 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 863

As Engrossed: S3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

BY: REPRESENTATIVES FLOWERS AND COOK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE A PROCESS FOR ROUTINE INSPECTIONS AND REPORTING OF INSPECTIONS OF PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIC FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 863 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 863 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Capps, House Bill No. 2011 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2011

As Engrossed: H3/13/09 H3/19/09 H3/24/09 H3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WOODS, RAINEY, M. MARTIN, *MOORE, WEBB, GARNER, HOUSE, PENNARTZ, GLIDEWELL & RAGLAND*

BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS CYBERINFRASTRUCTURE TASK FORCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2011 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2011 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Capps, House Bill No. 2119 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2119
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WOODS
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE CONNECT ARKANSAS BROADBAND ACT, § 4-113-101 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2119 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 2119, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2119 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Smith, House Bill No. 1582 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1582

As Engrossed: H3/20/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. EDWARDS & SAUNDERS

BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE TO PROVIDE THAT CERTAIN CITY AND COUNTY TAXES ON AVIATION FUEL BE REMITTED DIRECTLY TO THE PUBLICLY-OWNED AIRPORT WHERE THE AVIATION FUEL WAS SOLD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1582 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1582 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 2187 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2187

As Engrossed: S4/1/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE BLOUNT

BY: *SENATOR ELLIOTT*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PROCEDURE FOR REMOVAL OF A DIRECTOR IN A CITY MANAGER FORM OF GOVERNMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2187 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, D. Johnson, J. Key, Madison, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 27

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Altes, Bryles, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, P. Malone, T. Smith, H. Wilkins.

Total 8

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 27

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2187 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Altes, House Bill No. 2045 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2045

As Engrossed: H3/13/09 H3/23/09 S4/1/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE DAVENPORT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE WEIGHT AND LENGTH OF EMERGENCY VEHICLES AND THE VEHICLES THAT ARE TOWED BY EMERGENCY VEHICLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2045 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2045 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 2005 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2005

As Engrossed: S4/1/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT A PERSON WHO HOLDS A MINERAL LEASE SHALL NOTIFY THE OWNER OF THE MINERAL RIGHTS UPON TRANSFERRING THE MINERAL LEASE TO ANOTHER PERSON; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2005 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2005 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 1483 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1483

As Engrossed: S4/1/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE ADMINISTRATION OF UNCLAIMED PROPERTY; PROVIDING AN EXEMPTION FOR AGRICULTURAL FARM SUPPLY COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1483 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1483 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 2082 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2082
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE PERSONS CONVICTED OF DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED TO ATTEND A VICTIM IMPACT PANEL; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2082 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2082 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 2265 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2265

As Engrossed: H3/27/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES NICKELS, CARTER & HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REPEAL ACT 218 OF 2009 WHICH PROVIDES CERTAIN APPEALS FROM THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION TO BE MADE TO THE COURT OF APPEALS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2265 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2265 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1706 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1706

As Engrossed: H3/9/09 S3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE PIERCE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE EXISTING PROCEDURES FOR CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BY LETHAL INJECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1706 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Capps, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, T. Smith, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 25

NEGATIVE: Bryles, Elliott, D. Johnson, Madison, Steele.

Total 5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: G. Baker, G. Jeffress, Laverty, Salmon, H. Wilkins.

Total 5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 30

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1706, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Capps, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Luker, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, T. Smith, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 25

NEGATIVE: Bryles, Elliott, D. Johnson, Madison, Steele.

Total 5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: G. Baker, G. Jeffress, Laverty, Salmon, H. Wilkins.

Total 5

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....30

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1706 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 178 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator Key, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1751 at this time.

On motion of Senator Key, House Bill No. 1751 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 3.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 3 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1751

Amend House Bill No. 1751 as engrossed, S4/1/09:

Page 2, line 29, delete "from outside" and substitute "from a medical facility outside"

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. KEY

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1751 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Malone, House Bill No. 1997 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1997
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HALL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH PROVISIONS OF LAW REGARDING THE DISTRIBUTION OF DRUG SAMPLES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1997 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1997 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Malone, House Bill No. 2244 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2244
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE HEALTH BENEFIT COVERAGE FOR AN ORTHOTIC DEVICE, AN ORTHOTIC SERVICE, A PROSTHETIC DEVICE, AND A PROSTHETIC SERVICE UNDER THE ARKANSAS HEALTH CARE CONSUMER ACT, § 23-99-401 ET SEQ.; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

On motion of Senator Malone, House Bill No. 2244 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

House Bill No. 2244 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE: Altes.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2244 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1473 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1473

As Engrossed: H3/16/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE, MAXWELL, ADCOCK, GARNER, ENGLISH, MCLEAN, J. DICKINSON, BARNETT, T. BAKER, J. BROWN, GEORGE, R. GREEN, HOUSE, HOYT, INGRAM, KIDD, NIX, PYLE, RAGLAND, G. SMITH, SUMMERS, B. WILKINS, LEA & *CLEMMER*

BY: SENATORS BROADWAY AND *MILLER*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO BE KNOWN AS JULI'S LAW; TO PROVIDE FOR THE COLLECTION OF A DNA SAMPLE FOLLOWING AN ARREST OR A CRIMINAL CHARGE FOR CERTAIN OFFENSES; TO ESTABLISH PROCEDURES FOR THE COLLECTION, MAINTENANCE, AND DISSEMINATION OF DNA SAMPLES SUBMITTED FOLLOWING AN ARREST OR A CRIMINAL CHARGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1473 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, D. Johnson, J. Key, B. Pritchard, T. Smith, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 21

NEGATIVE: Elliott, Madison, Steele, Teague, Whitaker.

Total 5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Crumbly, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, H. Wilkins.

Total 9

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....26

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1473 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

Senate Bill No. 471 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Senate Bill No. 473 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Senate Bill No. 474 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Senate Bill No. 479 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Senate Bill No. 617 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Senate Bill No. 695 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Senate Bill No. 709 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Senate Bill No. 711 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Senate Bill No. 712 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Senate Bill No. 727 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Senate Bill No. 728 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Senate Bill No. 761 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Senate Bill No. 102 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Senate Bill No. 257 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Senate Bill No. 265 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
Senate Bill No. 371 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.
House Bill No. 1103 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1486 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1547 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1564 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1567 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1574 was returned to the House as passed.

House Bill No. 1591 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1596 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1597 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1615 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1616 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1617 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1618 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1632 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1636 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1639 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1651 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1652 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1657 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1658 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1659 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1660 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1669 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1670 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1676 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1678 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1679 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1689 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1693 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1697 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1698 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1699 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1702 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1708 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1709 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1718 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1719 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1720 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1722 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1723 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1724 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1727 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1726 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1728 was returned to the House as passed.

House Bill No. 1729 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1730 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1731 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1732 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1733 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1738 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1739 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1740 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1741 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1742 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1749 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1750 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1757 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1758 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1759 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1763 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1765 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1766 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1767 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1743 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1768 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1771 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1775 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1776 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1779 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1781 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1787 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1809 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1810 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1811 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1813 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1815 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1821 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1822 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1823 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1824 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1825 was returned to the House as passed.
House Bill No. 1829 was returned to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1751, BY REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Key, House Bill No. 1751 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1799 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1799
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REGARDING DWI IGNITION INTERLOCK DEVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1799 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1799 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1913 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1913

As Engrossed: H3/24/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES LOWERY AND *HARRELSON*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A FORFEITURE PROCEDURE FOR TOBACCO PRODUCTS; TO ESTABLISH A TOBACCO CONTROL FUND; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1913 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bookout, Broadway, Capps, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Luker, Madison, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 23

NEGATIVE: Hendren.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bledsoe, Bryles, Crumbly, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, J. Key, Laverty, P. Malone, B. Pritchard, Teague, H. Wilkins.

Total 11

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....24

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1913 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1978 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1978

As Engrossed: H3/13/09 S4/1/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. EDWARDS, KERR AND *SAMPLE*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE VOLUNTARY ALTERNATIVE DRIVER'S LICENSES AND IDENTIFICATION CARDS FOR ENHANCED IDENTIFICATION AND SECURITY PURPOSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1978 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bookout, Broadway, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Madison, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 20

NEGATIVE: Altes, Hendren, J. Key, Teague.

Total 4

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bledsoe, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, G. Jeffress, Laverty, Luker, P. Malone, B. Pritchard, R. Thompson, H. Wilkins.

Total 11

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 24

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1978 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1751, BY SENATOR R. GREEN,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) SENATOR SUE MADISON
CHAIRMAN
SENATOR J. KEY
SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE
SENATOR JACK CRUMBLY
SENATOR DAVID JOHNSON

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 2260 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2260
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADD “AVIATION FUEL” TO THE DATA COLLECTED BY THE ARKANSAS ENERGY OFICE; TO DIRECT THE

ARKANSAS ENERGY OFICE TO ISSUE A RULE THAT REQUIRES AN ARKANSAS CITY OR COUNTY THAT ISSUES BUILDING PERMITS TO ADOPT THE 2004 ENERGY CODE FOR NEW BUILDING CONSTRUCTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 2260 was pulled down at this time.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1852 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1852

As Engrossed: H3/10/09 H3/12/09 H3/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES BREEDLOVE, HAWKINS, ALLEN, BETTS, T. BRADFORD, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, CHEATHAM, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, DALE, DAVIS, ENGLISH, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, HALL, HARRELSON, HOUSE, HOYT, KERR, LOVELL, OVERBEY, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REYNOLDS, RICE, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, G. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WORD, *CARROLL, CASH, DAVENPORT, GASKILL, LINDSEY, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, NIX, PATTERSON, J. ROEBUCK, WAGNER, WOODS, ADCOCK & DUNN*

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH AN ACADEMIC FACILITIES REVIEW BOARD; TO PROVIDE PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS WITH AN ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITY FOR A HEARING ON THE DETERMINATION

REGARDING STATE FINANCIAL PARTICIPATION FOR ACADEMIC FACILITIES PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1852 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1852 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1966 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1966
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CHEATHAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE A CREDIT OR REBATE ON THE LOCAL SALES AND USE TAX PAID ABOVE TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS ($2,500) ON THE PURCHASE OF A TRAILER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1966 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1966 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, House Bill No. 2151 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2151
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GREENBERG

A Bill for an Act to Be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW THE SERVING OF AN ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE FOR USE IN A RELIGIOUS CEREMONY OR RITE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2151 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 30

NEGATIVE: G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, T. Smith, Steele, Trusty.

Total 5

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2151 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Taylor, House Bill No. 1553 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1553

As Engrossed: S3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES T. BRADFORD, FLOWERS, WORD, MAXWELL & RAINEY

BY: SENATORS H. WILKINS AND J. TAYLOR

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENHANCE ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES IN RURAL AREAS OF ARKANSAS; TO EXPAND THE OPTIONS FOR CONSTRUCTING AND OPERATING MOTOR VEHICLE RACING FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1553 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE: Trusty.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1553 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Key, House Bill No. 2004 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2004

As Engrossed: H3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOPPER, *BETTS, COOK, J. EDWARDS, D. HUTCHINSON & STEWART*

BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ELIMINATE THE REQUIREMENT THAT MEMBERS OF THE NATIONAL GUARD OR RESERVE WHO ARE TEACHERS OR ADMINISTRATORS PAY FOR THE COST OF A SUBSTITUTE EMPLOYEE WHEN THE MEMBER IS ON MILITARY LEAVE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2004 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2004 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Key, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Key, House Bill No. 1751 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1751

As Engrossed: H3/4/09 H3/12/09 S3/18/09 S4/1/09 S4/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE AUTHORITY OF A CITY OF THE FIRST CLASS AND A CITY OF THE SECOND CLASS TO REGULATE AMBULANCE PATIENT TRANSPORTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1751 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1751 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1859 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1859
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES ABERNATHY AND BLOUNT
BY: SENATORS J. JEFFRESS AND BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF CERTAIN DOCUMENTS AND PROCEDURES RELATING TO CODE OF ETHICS PROCEEDINGS OF THE PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE STANDARDS BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1859 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1859, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1859 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 2163 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2163
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE ACCOUNTABILITY FOR ACHIEVEMENT GAPS IN SCHOOL DISTRICTS; TO PROVIDE INTERVENTION AND SUPPORT TO PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS TO ADDRESS THE SEVERITY OF ACHIEVEMENT GAPS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2163 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2163 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 957 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Elliott, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 957 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 940 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Elliott, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 940 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 877 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 877 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, Senate Bill No. 935 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 935 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 796 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Madison, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 796 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 195 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 100 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 100

JBC 04/01/09(1)

Amend Senate Bill No. 100 as originally introduced:

Page 2, insert a new line immediately following line 4 to read as follows:
" (3) A003N SENIOR INVESTMENT ANALYST 1 GRADE N910"

AND

Appropriately renumber the remaining Item Numbers in Section 1

AND

Page 3, line 1 delete "88" and substitute "89"

AND

Page 3, line 18, delete “$ 3,636,331” and substitute “$ 3,731,331”

AND

Page 3, line 20, delete “1,319,123” and substitute “1,352,373”

AND

Page 3, line 33, delete “$ 172,529,584” and substitute “$ 172,657,834”.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 100 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 496 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 496

JBC 03/31/09(1)
JBC 03/10/09(2)
JBC 02/25/09(2)

Amend Senate Bill No. 496 as originally introduced:

Immediately following SECTION 2, insert the following new sections:

" SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION – OFFICE OF CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Finance and Administration - Office of Child Support Enforcement, to be payable from the Child Support Enforcement Fund, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEAR 2008-2009
(01)	PULASKI COUNTY CIRCUIT CLERK	$20,820.00

SECTION 4. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of Behavioral Health Services, to be payable from the paying account as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEAR 2008-2009
(01)	UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - PHYSICAL PLANT	$175,260.13

SECTION 5. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY & TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department, to be payable from the State Highway and Transportation Department Fund, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEAR 2008-2009
(01)	NKENGE LAUDERDALE	$200,000.00

SECTION 6. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY & TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department, to be payable from the State Highway and Transportation Department Fund, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEAR 2008-2009
(01)	U.S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE - NATURAL RESOURCES CONSERVATION SERVICE	$13,364.19

SECTION 7. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY & TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department, to be payable from the State Highway and Transportation Department Fund, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEAR 2008-2009
(01)	SARAH BEDFORD	$ 175,000.00
(02)	DAVID BEDFORD, JR.	75,000.00
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	$ 250,000.00

SECTION 8. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY & TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department, to be payable from the State Highway and Transportation Department Fund pending approval for payment by the Arkansas State Claims Commission, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEAR 2008-2009
(01)	RICHARD RAMSAY TRUSTEE	$47,000.00

SECTION 9. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of Youth Services, to be payable from the Youth Services Fund Account, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEAR 2008-2009
(01)	SOUTH ARKANSAS YOUTH SERVICES	$ 28,380.00
(02)	SOUTH ARKANSAS YOUTH SERVICES 74,709.00	
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	$ 103,089.00

SECTION 10. APPROPRIATION - ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of Children and Family Services, to be payable from the Children and Family Services Fund Account, pending approval for payment by the Arkansas State Claims Commission, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEAR 2008-2009
(01)	ARKANSAS CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL	$25,293.80

SECTION 11. APPROPRIATION - APPROPRIATION - DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Arkansas State Police, to be payable from the Department of Arkansas State Police Fund, for the purpose of paying claims against the State of Arkansas to the payee set out herein:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEAR 2008-2009
(01)	ARIZONA PACIFIC TRANSPORT	$86,840.00"

AND

Appropriately renumber the remaining subsequent sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 496 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1818 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1818

JBC 04/01/09(50)

Amend House Bill No. 1818 as engrossed, H3/24/09:

Page 1, line 28, delete "$5,000,000" and substitute "$9,100,000"

And

Delete Section 2 in its entirety and substitute the following:
" SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. On the effective date of this Act, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall transfer on his or her books and those of the State Treasurer and the Auditor of the State the sum of nine million one hundred thousand dollars ($9,100,000) from the Arkansas Alternative Fuels Development Fund to the General Improvement Fund as a set aside within the 87th Session Projects Account, there to be used solely for the purpose of providing funding for the appropriation in Section 1 of this Act."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1818 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 714 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 714

JBC 04/01/09(51)

Amend Senate Bill No. 714 as originally introduced:

deleting on page one the sponsor(s) and substituting therefor "Joint Budget Committee".

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 714 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 79, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 814, BY SENATORS BROADWAY AND BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 861, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 963, BY SENATOR STEELE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

House Bill No. 1172, BY REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN ET AL,
House Bill No. 1372, BY REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK ET AL,
House Bill No. 1489, BY REPRESENTATIVE CARTER,
House Bill No. 1606, BY REPRESENTATIVE R. SAUNDERS,

House Bill No. 1999, BY REPRESENTATIVE R. COWLING,
House Bill No. 2013, BY REPRESENTATIVE M. BURRIS,
House Bill No. 2022, BY REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1959, BY REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1959 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Senate Bill No. 334 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

Senate Bill No. 947 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 334 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 934, BY SENATOR WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 246, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 263, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 342, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 429, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 442, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 643, BY SENATOR WHITAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 671, BY SENATOR BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 710, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 745, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 872, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 884, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,
SENATE BILL NO. 898, BY SENATOR MILLER ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 901, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 926, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:00 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 934
SENATE BILL NO. 246
SENATE BILL NO. 263
SENATE BILL NO. 342
SENATE BILL NO. 429
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SENATE BILL NO. 745
SENATE BILL NO. 872
SENATE BILL NO. 884
SENATE BILL NO. 898
SENATE BILL NO. 901
SENATE BILL NO. 926

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 2nd day of April, 2009 at 10:00 a.m..

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J.D. Lowery
Secretary

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 10 was returned from the House as concurred in.

Senate Bill No. 790 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 791 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 885 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 896 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 903 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 980 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 595 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 789 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 820 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 920 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 366 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 427 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 614 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 813 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 867 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 29
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

SENATE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE APRIL 6 — 10, 2009, AS "NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF JUNIOR AUXILIARIES WEEK" IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Senate Resolution No. 29 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 30
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

SENATE RESOLUTION TO HONOR THE OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT OF GREENE COUNTY TECH'S SENIOR HIGH BOYS BASKETBALL TEAM AS 2009 CLASS 5A STATE BASKETBALL CHAMPIONS.

Senate Bill No. 30 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1007
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLS

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION TO AMEND AMENDMENT 82 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF ARKANSAS TO AUTHORIZE THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO ESTABLISH CRITERIA BEFORE AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS FOR PROSPECTIVE EMPLOYERS PLANNING AN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROJECT.

House Joint Resolution No. 1007 was read the first time, rules suspended, read 2nd time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1060
As Engrossed H1/29/09 H2/5/09 H2/17/09 H2/20/09 H2/26/09 H3/4/09 H3/12/09 H3/20/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PENNARTZ, *R. GREEN, GLIDEWELL, COOK, TYLER, CASH, J. ROEBUCK, J. BURRIS, L. SMITH, WILLIAMS, DUNN, INGRAM, WEBB, BETTS, BREEDLOVE, CARROLL, CLEMMER, ENGLISH, GASKILL, HOUSE, NIX, PERRY, POWERS, SAUNDERS, SLINKARD, WAGNER, S. MALONE, KIDD, KING, LEA, WELLS, PATTERSON, LINDSEY, PYLE, HARRELSON, WOODS, WORD, BARNETT, ADCOCK, HOBBS, HOPPER, L. COWLING, RAINEY, BAIRD, BLOUNT, J. BROWN, DALE, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, GARNER, GEORGE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, MOORE, RICE, G. SMITH, STEWART, OVERBEY & J. ROGERS*
BY: SENATORS G. BAKER, WILKINSON & ALTES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH AN INVESTMENT TAX CREDIT FOR THE REHABILITATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF CENTRAL BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1060 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1686
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES EVERETT, ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, BAIRD, BARNETT, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, CASH, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, DALE, R. GREEN, HAWKINS, HOPPER, HOYT, KIDD, LEA, LOVELL, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MCLEAN, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, SAMPLE, SUMMERS, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS & WOODS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE AN INCOME TAX CREDIT TO TAXPAYERS PERFORMING OVERTIME WORK IN COUNTIES DECLARED A DISASTER AREA BY THE GOVERNOR AS THE RESULT OF THE JANUARY 2009 ICE STORM IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1686 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2033
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A TASK FORCE ON WATER QUALITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2033 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2261
As Engrossed: H4/1/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COLE
BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION THAT OFFER AN ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE DEGREE TO CHANGE THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION MATH REQUIREMENT FROM "APPLIED MATHEMATICS, INTERMEDIATE ALGEBRA, OR HIGHER" TO "AN APPLICABLE AND APPROPRIATE NONREMEDIAL MATH COURSE"

House Bill No. 2261 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1450
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS

AN ACT TO ENHANCE THE SAFETY OF CHILDREN BY REQUIRING CENTRAL REGISTRY CHECKS FOR ALL PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES AND BUS DRIVERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1450 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2228
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CASH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENACT THE FAIR DEBT COLLECTION PRACTICES ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2228 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2243

As Engrossed: H3/31/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLS

BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE *SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM; TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS SCHOLARSHIP LOTTERY ACT WHICH SUPPLEMENTS FUNDING FOR THE ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 2243 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

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Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1175

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS TOBACCO CONTROL BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1175 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1521
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - DONALD W. REYNOLDS CENTER ON AGING, COLLEGE OF PUBLIC HEALTH, ARKANSAS BIOSCIENCES INSTITUTE AND THE AREA HEALTH EDUCATION CENTER IN HELENA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1521 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1080
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS IN SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1080 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1656
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY, HOYT, DALE, WELLS, GEORGE, LEA & PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY FOR EXPANSION, IMPROVEMENTS AND EQUIPPING LAKE POINT CONFERENCE CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1656 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1662
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GEORGE, WELLS, HOYT, DALE, OVERBEY, LEA & PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY FOR CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING OF AN ACADEMIC/ADVISING CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1662 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1674
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WELLS, DALE, GEORGE, HOYT, LEA, OVERBEY & PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY FOR EXPANSION, IMPROVEMENTS, EQUIPPING, AND OTHER ASSOCIATED COSTS FOR THE OZARK CAMPUS STUDENT SERVICES CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1674 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1788
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY, ADCOCK, T. BAKER, CHEATHAM, D. CREEKMORE, DUNN, EVERETT, R. GREEN, HAWKINS, W. LEWELLEN, PYLE, REEP, SAUNDERS & WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS BUILDING AUTHORITY FOR PURCHASE OF LAND AROUND THE STATE CAPITOL COMPLEX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1788 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 47 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 47 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 47
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 47 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 47, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 47 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 81 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 81 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 81
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS FIRE PROTECTION LICENSING BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 81 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 81, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 81 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 326 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 326 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 326

As Engrossed: S3/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 326 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 326, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 326 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 328 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 328 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 328

As Engrossed: S2/26/09 S3/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 328 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 328, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 328 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 418 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 418 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 418

As Engrossed: S2/23/09 S3/10/09 S3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 418 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 418, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 418 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1140 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1140 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1140
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES, GRANTS OR LOANS, AND COMMUNITY GRANTS FOR THE DEVELOPMENT AND OPERATION OF CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT PREVENTION PROGRAMS FOR THE STATE CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT PREVENTION BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1140 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1140, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1140 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1166 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1166 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1166
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS COURT OF APPEALS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1166 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1166, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1166 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1194 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1194 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1194
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE DEPARTMENT FOR SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION DISABILITY DETERMINATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1194 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1194, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1194 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1197 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1197 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1197
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1197 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1197, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast..... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1197 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1218 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1218 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1218
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - MANAGEMENT SERVICES DIVISION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1218 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1218, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1218 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1241 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1241 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1241
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - REVENUE SERVICES DIVISION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1241 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1241, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1241 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1628 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1628 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1628
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT STIMULUS GRANTS FOR THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1628 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1628, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1628 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 340 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 340 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 340
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR GRANTS TO LEVEE DISTRICTS FOR THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 340 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 340, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 340 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 466 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 466 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 466
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR SENIOR CITIZEN CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 466 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 466, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 466 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 483 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 483 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 483

As Engrossed: S3/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MILLER

BY: REPRESENTATIVES EVERETT AND COOPER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE OZARKA COLLEGE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 483 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 483, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 483 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 484 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 484 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 484

As Engrossed: S3/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MILLER

BY: REPRESENTATIVES EVERETT AND COOPER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE BLACK RIVER TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 484 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 484, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 484 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 485 at this time.

On motion of Senator Miller, Senate Bill No. 485 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 485

As Engrossed: S3/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MILLER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES - COMMUNITY GRANTS FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 485 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 485, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 485 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 507 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 507 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 507

As Engrossed: S3/4/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR *GRANTS TO HISTORIC STATE PARKS*; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 507 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 507, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 507 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 510 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 510 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 510
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 510 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 510, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 510 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 511 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 511 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 511
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR RURAL FIRE PROTECTION GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 511 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 511, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 511 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 556 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 556 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 556
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 556 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 556, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 556 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 557 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 557 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 557
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN
BY: REPRESENTATIVES SLINKARD, SUMMERS & CARNINE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR FEASIBILITY STUDY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 557 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 557, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt

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Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 557 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 558 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 558 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 558
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 558 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 558, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 558 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 559 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 559 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 559

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIC FACILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING EXPENSES AND PURCHASE OF EQUIPMENT FOR A SCHOOL BUS SAFETY EQUIPMENT GRANT PILOT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 559 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 559, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 559 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 560 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 560 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 560
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 560 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 560, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 560 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 561 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 561 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 561
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR HENDREN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 561 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 561, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 561 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 565 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 565 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 565

As Engrossed: S3/9/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 565 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 565, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 565 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 566 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 566 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 566
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR JOB TRAINING GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 566 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 566, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 566 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 593 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 593 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 593
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 593 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 593, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 593 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 594 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 594 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 594

As Engrossed: S3/4/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 594 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 594, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 594 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 604 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 604 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 604
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE EAST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES, CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENTS, EQUIPMENT, RENOVATION, AND MAINTENANCE EXPENSES GENERAL IMPROVEMENT APPROPRIATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 604 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 604, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 604 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 605 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 605 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 605

As Engrossed: S3/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE MID-SOUTH COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR MID-SOUTH COMMUNITY COLLEGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 605 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 605, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 605 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 606 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 606 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 606
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR LUKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES FOR COMMUNITY BASED AND JUVENILE DELINQUENCY PREVENTION PROGRAMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 606 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 606, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 606 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 674 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 674 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 674
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MILLER
BY: REPRESENTATIVES COOPER AND EVERETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS, PERSONAL SERVICES, CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATION FOR DRUG COURTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 674 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 674, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 674 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 683 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 683 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 683
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GRANTS TO RECREATION CENTERS AND STATE PARKS FOR IMPROVEMENTS AND AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT MODIFICATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 683 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 683, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 683 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 696 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 696 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 696
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR REGIONAL WASTE WATER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 696 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 696, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 696 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 697 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 697 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 697
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE NORTHWEST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, EQUIPMENT, FURNISHINGS, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 697 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 697, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 697 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 698 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 698 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 698
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BOOKOUT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR CONSTRUCTING AND EQUIPPING THE WINTHROP PAUL ROCKEFELLER ARKANSAS STATE POLICE HALL OF HONOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 698 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 698, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 698 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 741 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 741 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 741
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 741 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 741, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 741 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 749 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 749 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 749
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 749 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 749, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 749 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 750 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 750 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 750
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 750 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 750, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 750 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 751 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 751 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 751
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 751 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 751, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 751 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1418 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1418

As Engrossed: H2/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES BLOUNT, ALLEN, T. BAKER, M. BURRIS, CARROLL, CASH, CHEATHAM, COOK, DAVIS, J. EDWARDS, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, INGRAM, KIDD, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, MOORE, POWERS, PYLE, RAINEY, REEP, L. SMITH, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS & WORD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE *SERVICES* FOR THE SMALL MINORITY CONTRACTORS SURETY BONDING AND MENTOR PROTEGE TRAINING PILOT PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1418 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1418 , the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1418 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1517 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1517 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1517
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MCLEAN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT BATESVILLE FOR A NURSING/ALLIED HEALTH FACILITY, CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS, MAINTENANCE, AND OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1517 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1517, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1517 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1543 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1543 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1543
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BREEDLOVE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR WATER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENT GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1543 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1543, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1543 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1560 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1560 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1560

As Engrossed: H3/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES *MAXWELL, LOWERY, J. ROEBUCK, STEWART, M. BURRIS, MOORE, REEP, POWERS, L. COWLING, HARRELSON, CHEATHAM, G. SMITH, RAINEY, PIERCE, SAUNDERS, SAMPLE, HARDY, COLE, MALOCH, REYNOLDS, ABERNATHY, T. BRADFORD, SHELBY & WORD*

BY: SENATORS P. MALONE, J. JEFFRESS, G. JEFFRESS, HORN, HENDREN, BROADWAY, T. SMITH, TEAGUE, J. TAYLOR & H. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS GEOLOGICAL SURVEY – ARKANSAS LIGNITE RESOURCES PILOT PROGRAM FOR RESEARCH AND COMMERCIAL TESTING OF ARKANSAS' LIGNITE RESOURCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1560 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1560, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1560 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1561 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1561 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1561

As Engrossed: H3/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MAXWELL, *REEP, CHEATHAM & MOORE*

BY: SENATORS J. JEFFRESS AND G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO FOR PLANNING, RENOVATING, CONSTRUCTING, EQUIPPING AND FURNISHING A FOREST RESOURCES COMPLEX AND RELATED INFRASTRUCTURE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1561 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1561, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1561 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1571 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1571 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1571
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOYT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT MORRILTON FOR CONSTRUCTION, IMPROVEMENTS AND OPERATING EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1571 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1571, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1571 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1621 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1621 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1621
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES MAXWELL, MOORE, RAINEY, REEP & CHEATHAM
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PARKS AND TOURISM FOR REMOVAL, STORAGE AND RESTORATION OF THE DELTA HERITAGE TRAIL RAILROAD BEDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1621 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1621, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1621 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1638 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1638 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1638

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES BLOUNT AND DAVIS

BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE EAST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1638 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1638, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1638 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1650 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1650 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1650
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ENGLISH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS FOR A STATE VETERANS' NURSING HOME; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1650 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1650, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1650 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1655 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1655 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1655
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE DUNN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE EAST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTING AND EQUIPPING A WORKFORCE TRAINING FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1655 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1655, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1655 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1690 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1690 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1690
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE MID-SOUTH COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATION OF A WELDING CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1690 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1690, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1690 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1691 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1691 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1691
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE MID-SOUTH COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR RENOVATION EXPENSES FOR AN ALLIED HEALTH CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1691 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1691, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1691 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1692 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1692 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1692
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE INGRAM

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE MID-SOUTH COMMUNITY COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION AND RENOVATION EXPENSES OF A DIESEL TECHNOLOGY TRAINING CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1692 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1692, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1692 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1721 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1721 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1721

As Engrossed: H3/12/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR CONSTRUCTION AND OPERATION OF SENIOR CITIZEN CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1721 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1721, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1721 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1735 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1735 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1735

As Engrossed: H3/12/09 H3/18/09 S4/1/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE, EQUIPMENT AND LIBRARY RESOURCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1735 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B.

Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1735, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1735 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1794 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1794 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1794

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HALL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR ANIMAL RESCUE SHELTERS FOR THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1794 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1794, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1794 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1795 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1795 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1795
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HALL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR GRANTS FOR ANIMAL RESCUE OR SHELTERS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1795 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1795, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1795 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1816 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1816 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1816
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HALL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1816 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1816, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1816 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1817 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1817 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1817
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HALL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1817 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1817, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1817 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 665 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 665 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 665

As Engrossed: S3/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR NECROSPSY ROOM RENOVATIONS FOR THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT - LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 665 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 665, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 665 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 100, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 496, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 100 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 496 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 714, BY SENATOR B. JOHNSON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1818, BY REPRESENTATIVE HOYT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1818 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

Senate Bill No. 579 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 580 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 585 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 587 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 588 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 597 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 598 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 599 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

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Senate Bill No. 602 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 607 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 609 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

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Senate Bill No. 613 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 615 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 616 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 618 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 619 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 620 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 621 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 622 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 623 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 624 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 625 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 629 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 642 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 645 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 646 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 654 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 647 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 648 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 649 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 650 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 651 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 652 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 653 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 540 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

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Senate Bill No. 555 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 589 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 590 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 591 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 562 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 571 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 572 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 573 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

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Senate Bill No. 577 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 578 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 367 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 368 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 372 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 374 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 397 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 398 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 405 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 406 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 428 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 433 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 434 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 435 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 436 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 439 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 443 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 455 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 492 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 497 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 501 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 502 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 503 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

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Senate Bill No. 537 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

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Senate Bill No. 539 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 655 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 656 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 657 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 661 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 662 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 667 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 668 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 669 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 670 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 672 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 673 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 675 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 677 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 678 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 682 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 684 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 685 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 686 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 687 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 688 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 689 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 690 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 691 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 692 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 693 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 694 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 699 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 700 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 703 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 704 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 706 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 708 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 713 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 715 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 731 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

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SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE

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SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3

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HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1483 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1553 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1646 AS AMENDED NO. 1
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1735 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1751 AS AMENDED NO. 2
HOUSE BILL NO. 1978 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 2005 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 2045 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 2187 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1004

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SENATE BILL NO. 920

SENATE BILL NO. 980

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE

AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 334 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILL NO. 947 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE

AS CONCURRED IN

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1080

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HOUSE BILL NO. 2033

HOUSE BILL NO. 2228

HOUSE BILL NO. 2243

HOUSE BILL NO. 2261

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED

TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1007

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 10:00 a.m., Friday, April 3, 2009 .

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATET

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EIGHTY-SECOND DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

April 3, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 10:30 o'clock a.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Miller.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 964 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 964

Amend Senate Bill No. 964 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete the title entirely and substitute:

"AN ACT TO ALLOW A PERSON WHO HAS AN ILLNESS THAT CAUSES HAIR LOSS OR IS UNDERGOING TREATMENT FOR AN ILLNESS THAT CAUSES HAIR LOSS TO USE A PRIOR DRIVER'S LICENSE PHOTOGRAPH UNDER LIMITED CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"TO ALLOW A PERSON WHO HAS AN ILLNESS THAT CAUSES HAIR LOSS OR IS UNDERGOING TREATMENT FOR AN ILLNESS THAT CAUSES HAIR LOSS TO USE A PRIOR DRIVER'S LICENSE PHOTOGRAPH UNDER LIMITED CIRCUMSTANCES."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 3 through 8 and substitute:

"(3)(A) If a licensee has an illness that causes hair loss or is undergoing treatment for an illness that causes hair loss, the Office of Driver Services shall give the licensee the option to use the photograph from the most recent driver's license on file with the office instead of having a new photograph taken if the licensee establishes that his or her hair loss is related to that illness or treatment.

(B) To establish the relationship between the licensee's illness or treatment and the resulting hair loss, the licensee shall provide a statement from his or her treating physician.

(C) This option can only be provided for one (1) renewal of the license to prevent obsolete photographs from being used."

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEELE

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 964 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 915 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 915

Amend Senate Bill No. 915 as engrossed, S4/1/09:

Delete all language after the enacting clause and substitute:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 27-50-1203(a)(2), regarding the Arkansas Towing and Recovery Board, is amended to read as follows:

(2)(A) Four (4) members shall be appointed from the towing industry and shall be licensed by the board to engage in nonconsent towing, with one (1) each of the members being a resident of each of the four (4) congressional districts.

(B) Two (2) members who are permitted to engage in the consent-only business shall be appointed from the state at large.

(C) ~~Two (2) members~~ One (1) member who ~~are~~ is not associated with the towing industry shall be appointed from the state at large.

(D) One (1) member shall be appointed from the insurance industry.

(E) One (1) member shall be engaged in the trucking industry and shall be selected from a list of six (6) names submitted by the Arkansas Trucking Association.

SECTION 2. NOT TO BE CODIFIED. The Governor shall appoint a member to the Arkansas Towing and Recovery Board as provided under this act on or before July 1, 2009, to replace the term of one (1) of the members who is not associated with the towing industry and who is appointed under § 27-50-1203(a)(2)(C).

SECTION 3. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that the Arkansas Towing and Recovery Board serves an important and valuable role in this state; that the board requires restructuring to fulfill its functions and advance its goals; and that this act is immediately necessary because the ideal time to commence this restructuring is on the expiration the term of another member and before the beginning of the state's fiscal year. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on June 22, 2009."

(SIGNED) SENATOR SALMON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 915 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 915, BY SENATOR SALMON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 915 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 964, BY SENATOR STEELE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 964 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

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ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 459, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL 1450, BY REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS,
HOUSE BILL 1959, BY REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY,
HOUSE BILL 2261, BY REPRESENTATIVE COLE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1555, BY REPRESENTATIVE BETTS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 195, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 197, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 201, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 266, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 416, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 496, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

SENATE BILL NO. 603, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 628, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 666, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 46, BY JOINT BUDGET,
SENATE BILL NO. 276, BY JOINT BUDGET,
SENATE BILL NO. 278, BY JOINT BUDGET,
SENATE BILL NO. 289, BY JOINT BUDGET,
SENATE BILL NO. 297, BY JOINT BUDGET,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 2, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 308, BY JOINT BUDGET,
SENATE BILL NO. 390, BY JOINT BUDGET,
SENATE BILL NO. 391, BY JOINT BUDGET,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 807, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 944, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 965, BY SENATOR STEELE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 968, BY SENATOR STEELE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1930, BY REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2033, BY REPRESENTATIVE M. BURRIS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2127, BY REPRESENTATIVE GARNER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1951, BY REPRESENTATIVE PYLE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1640, BY REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2258, BY REPRESENTATIVE WELLS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2266, BY REPRESENTATIVE LEA,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1058, BY REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Resolution No. 29 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 29
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

SENATE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE APRIL 6 — 10, 2009, AS "NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF JUNIOR AUXILIARIES WEEK" IN THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Senate Resolution No. 29 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Resolution No. 26 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 26
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

SENATE RESOLUTION REQUESTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON CHILDREN AND YOUTH CONDUCT AN INTERIM STUDY ON THE ISSUE OF GRANDPARENTS RAISING GRANDCHILDREN AND THE FEASIBILITY OF PROVIDING A SUBSIDY TO LOW TO MODERATE INCOME GRANDPARENTS RAISING GRANDCHILDREN.

Senate Resolution No. 26 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 985 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 985

Amend Senate Bill No. 985 as engrossed, S3/30/09:

Page 1, line 11, delete "OR OTHERWISE REGULATE"

AND

Page 2, delete line 13 and 14 and substitute the following:
"Chapter;
(5) The National Pharmacists Association of Arkansas; and
(6) The Arkansas State Board of Nursing."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 27 through 29 and substitute the following:
"(d) If a recommendation for appointment under subsection (b) of this section is not received within the time allotted for the appointment, the appointing authority may make the appointment without a recommendation.
(e) The health-related agencies, boards, and commissions for which recommendations may be considered under this section include:"

AND

Page 3, line 3, delete "(e)" and substitute "(f)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 985 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, Senate Bill No. 1007 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 1007

Amend Senate Bill No. 1007 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 9, delete “CONCERNING” and substitute “PROVIDING FOR AN INTERIM STUDY CONCERNING”

AND

Page 1, delete lines 16 through 20 and substitute the following:
Delete the subtitle in its entirety and substitute:

"PROVIDING FOR AN INTERIM STUDY
CONCERNING GRANTS AND FINANCIAL
ASSISTANCE TO RURAL ENTERPRISE
COMMUNITIES OR OTHER LOCAL ENTITIES
FORMED UNDER THE UNITED STATES
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE."

AND

Page 1, delete everything following the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. NOT TO BE CODIFIED. (a) The Senate Interim Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, and Economic Development and the House Interim Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, and Economic Development shall study the feasibility of designating rural enterprise communities or other local entities formed under the United States Department of Agriculture as entities eligible to receive state funds for the purpose of providing grants or financial assistance for services and technical assistance to improve the quality of life in rural areas.

(b) The Senate Interim Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, and Economic Development and the House Interim Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, and Economic Development shall provide a report concerning the findings of the study under this section to the following by November 1, 2010:

(1) The President Pro Tempore of the Senate; and

(2) The Speaker of the House of Representatives."

(SIGNED) SENATOR CRUMBLY

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 1007 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 1007, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 844 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 844

Amend Senate Bill No. 844 as engrossed, S3/30/09:

Page 6, delete lines 34 through 36 and substitute the following:

"~~(c) Nothing in this chapter shall be deemed to limit the authority of or prohibit any person licensed under any other act in this state from engaging in the practice for which he or she is~~"

AND

Page 7, delete lines 1 through 6 and substitute the following:

"~~licensed nor to prevent students who are enrolled in accredited physical therapy or physical therapist assistant education programs from performing acts of physical therapy incidental to their courses of study.~~"

AND

Page 7, line 7, delete "(d)" and substitute "(c)"

AND

Page 8, line 4, delete "(d)(6)(A)" and substitute "(c)(6)(A)"

AND

Page 8, line 9, delete "(d)(6)(A)" and substitute "(c)(6)(A)"

AND

Page 8, line 14, delete "(d)(7)(A)" and substitute "(c)(7)(A)"

AND

Page 8, line 19, delete "(d)(7)(A)" and substitute "(c)(7)(A)"

AND

Page 8, delete line 24 and substitute the following:
"(c)(2), (c)(3), (c)(5), (c)(6), and (c)(7) of this section."

AND

Page 14, delete line 33 and substitute the following:
"review and approval of continuing education programs.

SECTION 10. Arkansas Code Title 17, Chapter 93, Subchapter 3 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

17-93-314. Applicability to other licensed persons.

(a) This chapter does not limit the authority of or prohibit a person licensed under any other act in this state from engaging in the practice for which he or she is licensed, including without limitation physicians licensed under §§ 17-81-101 et seq., 17-91-101 et seq., 17-95-101 et seq., or 17-96-101 et seq.

(b) This chapter does not restrict a physician's ability to practice physical medicine and rehabilitation when licensed under §§ 17-91-101 et seq., 17-95-101 et seq., 17-96-101 et seq., or 17-81-101 et seq."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 844 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Glover, House Bill No. 2105 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1 and Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 2105

Amend House Bill No. 2105 as engrossed, H3/12/09:

Add Representative Reynolds as cosponsor of the bill

AND

Page 2, line 32, delete "(2) The" and substitute "(2)(A) Except as provided in subdivision (b)(2)(B) of this section, the ~~The~~"

AND

Page 3, delete line 4 and substitute "Department of Correction for pension purposes.

(B)(i) Twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000) of the fifty thousand dollars ($50,000) provided in subdivision (b)(2)(A) of this section shall be paid by the appropriate state department agency fund account.

(ii) The appropriate state department agency shall transfer the necessary funds to the Arkansas State Claims Commission fund accounts for payment."

AND

Page 3, line 5, delete "the total" and substitute "twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000) of the total"

AND

Page 4, line 16, delete "(c) The" and substitute "(c)(1) Except as provided in subdivision (c)(2) of this section the ~~The~~"

AND

Page 4, delete line 21 and substitute "Miscellaneous Revolving Fund Account.

(2)(A) Seventy-five thousand dollars ($75,000) of the one hundred fifty thousand dollars ($150,000) provided in subdivision (c)(1) of this section shall be paid by the appropriate state department agency fund account.

(B) The appropriate state department agency shall transfer the necessary funds to the Arkansas State Claims Commission fund accounts for payment."

AND

Page 6, delete line 13 and substitute "children twenty-two (22) years of age or older or to the surviving parents.

SECTION 4. NOT TO BE CODIFIED. The provisions of this act are retroactive to July 1, 2008."

(SIGNED) SENATOR GLOVER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 2105

Amend House Bill No. 2105 as engrossed, H3/12/09:

Page 6, line 7, delete "(3)" and substitute "(3)(A)"

AND

Page 6, line 8, delete "annually." and substitute "annually.

(B) Upon a change of beneficiary, the employer shall notify the previous beneficiary within thirty (30) days after the change of beneficiary occurred."

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2105 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Smith, House Bill No. 2075 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 2075

Amend House Bill No. 2075 as engrossed, H3/30/09:

Page 2, delete line 9 and substitute the following:

"(i) By one (1) of the following in connection with a group health plan:"

(SIGNED) SENATOR SMITH

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2075 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Taylor, House Bill No. 1623 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1623

Amend House Bill No. 1623 as engrossed, H3/4/09:

Page 4, delete lines 9 through 21 and substitute the following:

"(19) Records pertaining to the issuance, renewal, expiration, suspension, or revocation of a license to carry a concealed handgun, or a present or past licensee under § 5-73-301 et seq., including without limitation all records provided to or obtained by any local, state, or federal governments, their officials, agents, or employees in the investigation of an applicant, licensee, or past licensee

and all records pertaining to a criminal or health history check conducted on the applicant, licensee, or past licensee except that:

(A) Information or other records regarding an applicant, licensee, or past licensee may be released to a law enforcement agency for the purpose of assisting in a criminal investigation or prosecution, or for determining validity of or eligibility for a license;

(B) Names of an applicant, licensee, or past licensee may be released as contained in investigative or arrest reports of law enforcement that are subject to release as public records; and

(C) The name and the corresponding zip code of an applicant, licensee, or past licensee may be released upon request by a citizen of Arkansas."

(SIGNED) SENATOR TAYLOR

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1623 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Miller, House Bill No. 2071 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 2071

Amend House Bill No. 2071 as engrossed, H3/19/09:

Add Senators Miller and Salmon as cosponsors of the bill

AND

Page 2, line 1, delete "(b)(1)" and substitute "(b)(1)(A)"

AND

Page 2, delete line 7 and substitute:
"section.

(B) However, during the period that the contract for the sale of real property is binding on its parties and except for a conveyance by an oil, gas, or mineral lease executed by the seller, the seller shall not convey an interest in the mineral rights or mineral development of the real property unless the buyer and the seller agree otherwise in writing."

(SIGNED) SENATOR PAUL MILLER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2071 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 441 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 441

Amend Senate Bill No. 441 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 9 through 15 and substitute the following:

"AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT A CANDIDATE FOR ELECTED OFFICE INCLUDE IN HIS OR HER REPORT OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS A SEPARATE STATEMENT REGARDING LOANS RECEIVED BY THE CAMPAIGN; TO REQUIRE THAT A CANDIDATE FOR ELECTED OFFICE REPORT ALL PERSONAL LOANS MADE BY THE CANDIDATE TO HIS OR HER CAMPAIGN; TO AMEND A PORTION OF THE ARKANSAS CODE THAT RESULTED FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1990; TO AMEND A PORTION OF THE ARKANSAS CODE THAT RESULTED FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Page 1, delete line 27 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 7-6-201(17), resulting from Initiated Act 1 of 1990 and Initiated Act 1 of 1996, concerning the definition of surplus campaign funds, is amended to read as follows:

(17) “Surplus campaign funds” means any balance of campaign funds over expenses incurred as of the day of the election except for:

(A) Carryover funds; and

(B) Any funds required to ~~reimburse~~ repay loans made by the candidate ~~for~~ from his or her personal funds ~~contributed~~ to the campaign or to repay loans made by financial institutions to the candidate and applied to the campaign.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 7-6-203(c), resulting from Initiated Act 1 of 1990 and Initiated Act 1 of 1996, concerning the limitations on campaign contributions not applying to the candidate's own contributions to his or her campaign, is amended to read as follows:

(c) The limitation shall not apply to ~~a candidate's own contribution~~ loans made by a candidate from his or her own personal funds to the campaign, contributions made by a candidate from his or her personal funds to the campaign, or to personal loans made by financial institutions to the candidate and applied to his or her campaign.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 7-6-207(b)(1)(A), resulting from Initiated Act 1 of 1990 and Initiated Act 1 of 1996, concerning the"

AND

Page 1, delete line 36 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 7-6-208(b)(1)(A), resulting from Initiated Act 1 of 1996, concerning the requirement"

AND

Page 2, delete line 8 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 5. Arkansas Code § 7-6-209(b)(1)(A), resulting from Initiated Act 1 of 1996, concerning the"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 18 and 19 and substitute the following:

"(a)(1) The transfer of a candidate's own personal funds to his or her campaign shall be reported as either a loan from the candidate to his or her campaign or a contribution from the candidate to his or her campaign.

(2) In the even the transfer of such funds is reported as a loan from the candidate to his or her campaign, the campaign funds may be used to repay the candidate for the funds loaned by the candidate to his or her campaign.

(3) In the event the transfer of the funds is reported as a contribution from the candidate to his or her campaign, the campaign funds may not be used to reimburse the candidate for the funds contributed by the candidate to his or her campaign."

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE TYLER

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 441, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Baker, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 441 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 441

As Engrossed: H3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT A CANDIDATE FOR ELECTED OFFICE INCLUDE IN HIS OR HER REPORT OF CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS A SEPARATE STATEMENT REGARDING LOANS RECEIVED BY THE CAMPAIGN; TO REQUIRE THAT A CANDIDATE FOR ELECTED OFFICE REPORT ALL PERSONAL LOANS MADE BY THE CANDIDATE TO HIS OR HER CAMPAIGN; TO AMEND A PORTION OF THE ARKANSAS CODE THAT RESULTED FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1990; TO AMEND A PORTION OF THE ARKANSAS CODE THAT RESULTED FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES*.

Senate Bill No. 441 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 441 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 947 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 947

Amend Senate Bill No. 947 as engrossed, S3/17/09:

Add Representatives Abernathy, Allen, T. Baker, Barnett, Blount, M. Burris, Cook, Cooper, Davenport, Davis, Dunn, J. Edwards, Everett, Flowers, Gaskill, George, Hall, Hawkins, Hoyt, D. Hutchinson, Kidd, W. Lewellen, Overbey, Pennartz, Ragland, Saunders, Shelby, G. Smith, L. Smith, Tyler, Wells, Williams, Woods, Word as cosponsors of the bill

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE HARDY

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 947, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Elliott, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 947 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 947

As Engrossed: S3/17/09 H4/1/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT, ALTES, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, D. JOHNSON, MADISON, MILLER, TEAGUE, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, H. WILKINS, HENDREN, T. SMITH, J. TAYLOR, R. THOMPSON & D. WYATT

BY: *REPRESENTATIVES HARDY, ABERNATHY, ALLEN, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BLOUNT, M. BURRIS, COOK, COOPER, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GASKILL, GEORGE, HALL, HAWKINS, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, KIDD, W. LEWELLEN, OVERBEY, PENNARTZ, RAGLAND, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, TYLER, WELLS, WILLIAMS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: THE COLORECTAL CANCER PREVENTION, EARLY DETECTION, AND TREATMENT ACT OF 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 947 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 947 was ordered enrolled.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 892 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 892

As Engrossed: S3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS CONCERNING PRIVATE CLUB ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE LICENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 892 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 892 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 963 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 963

As Engrossed: S4/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE CHILD CARE SERVICES FOR TEMPORARY ASSISTANCE TO NEEDY FAMILY RECIPIENTS ENROLLED IN DAY OR EVENING CLASSES IN A TWO-YEAR COLLEGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 963 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT: J. Key, .

Total 1

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 963 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Malone, House Bill No. 2224 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, Senate Bill No. 79 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 79

As Engrossed: S2/17/09 S4/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO REGULATE RADIOLOGIST ASSISTANTS AND RADIOLOGY PRACTITIONER ASSISTANTS; AND FOR OTHER* PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 79 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 79 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 536 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 536

As Engrossed: S3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR B. PRITCHARD

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE RATE OF TAX FOR ALCOPOPS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

Senate Bill No. 536 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, B. Pritchard, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Trusty.

Total 18

NEGATIVE: Bryles, Madison.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Altes, Broadway, Horn, D. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 15

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 20

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 536 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1951 at this time.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1951 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1951

Amend House Bill No. 1951 as engrossed, H3/24/09:

Page 12, line 30, delete "and a massage therapy clinic"

AND

Page 14, delete lines 18 through 22

AND

Page 14, line 23, delete "(k)(1)" and substitute "(j)(1)"

AND

Page 16, line 29, delete "department" and substitute "board"

AND

Page 16, line 31, delete "department" and substitute "board"

AND

Page 17, line 4, delete "orthopedic massage,"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN

The Amendment was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1951 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Smith, House Bill No. 2069 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2069
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HYDE
BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO TRANSFER THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE FEDERAL SURPLUS PROPERTY PROGRAM FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2069 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 2069, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2069 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 814 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 814

As Engrossed: S3/30/09 S3/31/09 S4/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS BROADWAY & BRYLES

BY: REPRESENTATIVES COOK, BETTS & *ABERNATHY*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PUBLIC SCHOOL EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 814 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 814, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 814 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 861 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 861

As Engrossed: S3/31/09 S4/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

BY: REPRESENTATIVE COOK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 6 CONCERNING ACADEMIC FACILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 861 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 861 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 2260 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2260
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADD "AVIATION FUEL" TO THE DATA COLLECTED BY THE ARKANSAS ENERGY OFICE; TO DIRECT THE ARKANSAS ENERGY OFICE TO ISSUE A RULE THAT REQUIRES AN ARKANSAS CITY OR COUNTY THAT ISSUES BUILDING PERMITS TO ADOPT THE 2004 ENERGY CODE FOR NEW BUILDING CONSTRUCTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2260 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: Hendren.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Teague.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2260 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator B. Johnson, House Bill No. 1746 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1746

As Engrossed: H3/11/09 H3/13/09 H3/16/09 H3/24/09 H3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. EDWARDS, WILLS, HOYT, WEBB & *DALE*

BY: SENATORS B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON & STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO CREATE THE TASK FORCE ON WATER SOURCE PROTECTION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1746 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1746, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1746 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Steele, House Bill No. 2173 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2173
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE ON SICKLE CELL DISEASE; TO PROVIDE FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF ITS MEMBERS; TO DESCRIBE ITS MISSION AND RESPONSIBILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2173 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2173 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, House Bill No. 2203 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2203

As Engrossed: H3/18/09 H3/20/09 H3/25/09 H3/30/09 S4/1/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WILLIAMS, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BLOUNT, M. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CLEMMER, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, FLOWERS, GARNER, GREENBERG, HARDY, HOBBS, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LOVELL, MAXWELL, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, PENNARTZ, PIERCE, PYLE, RAINEY, RICE, T. ROGERS, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, TYLER, WEBB, WOODS & WORD

BY: SENATORS H. WILKINS, BROADWAY, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, D. JOHNSON, T. SMITH, STEELE, R. THOMPSON & D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE REFUND ANTICIPATION LOAN ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2203 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2203 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 1927 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1927

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE ARKANSAS STATE MEDICAL BOARD TO DISCIPLINE PHYSICIANS FOR ETHICAL VIOLATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1927 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1927 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1489 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1489

As Engrossed: H2/27/09 S4/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE CARTER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REGARDING WHICH OFFICIALS ARE NOTIFIED OF CERTAIN DEATHS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1489 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1489 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, House Bill No. 2013 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2013

As Engrossed: H3/20/09 S4/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO PROVIDE NOTICE TO GRANDPARENTS AND OTHER ADULT RELATIVES OF A CHILD WHO HAS BEEN TAKEN INTO THE CUSTODY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES RELATED TO A CHILD MALTREATMENT MATTER; TO REQUIRE COURT REPORTS TO INCLUDE INFORMATION ABOUT AND RECOMMENDATIONS CONCERNING PLACEMENT AND VISITATION WITH A GRANDPARENT OR OTHER ADULT RELATIVE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 2013 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2013 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1372 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1372

As Engrossed: S3/16/09 S3/17/09 S4/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK AND *HARRELSON*

BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO GRANT SUBPOENA POWER TO THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND THE PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE

STANDARDS BOARD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1372 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE: Teague.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1372, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE: Teague.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1372 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1606 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1606

As Engrossed: H3/3/09 H3/19/09 S4/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FISCAL ACCOUNTABILITY FOR EDUCATION SERVICE COOPERATIVES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1606 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1606 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Salmon, House Bill No. 1999 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1999

As Engrossed: H3/25/09 S4/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE LEA

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING TEACHER PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT CREDIT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1999 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1999 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, House Bill No. 2252 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2252
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE KING

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE SALES OPPORTUNITIES FOR ARKANSAS SMALL FARM WINERIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2252 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2252 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 2274 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2274

As Engrossed: H3/24/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE PATTERSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE EXECUTIVE HEAD OF THE ARKANSAS FORESTRY COMMISSION TO APPOINT AN INSTITUTIONAL LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 2274 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2274 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bookout, House Bill No. 1975 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1975
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING BONDS OF REDEVELOPMENT DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1975 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1975, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1975 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Steele, House Bill No. 2057 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2057
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REEP

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROTECT EMERGENCY RESPONSE WORKERS; TO PROVIDE FOR EVALUATIONS OF THE MEDICAL RECORDS OF INDIVIDUALS SUSPECTED OF INFECTING AN EMERGENCY RESPONSE WORKER WITH A LIFE-THREATENING DISEASE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2057 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2057 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Steele, House Bill No. 2195 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2195
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE PENNARTZ

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS MENTAL HEALTH PARITY ACT, § 23-99-501 ET SEQ.; TO MAKE CERTAIN AMENDMENTS TO THE ACT CONSISTENT WITH FEDERAL LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2195 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2195 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 839 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, Senate Bill No. 304 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 304 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, Senate Bill No. 430 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 430 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 1007 was referred for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS 72201

ROBBIE WILLS, SPEAKER
TIM MASSANELLI, PARLIAMENTARIAN JO RENSHAW, CLERK

April 3, 2009

The Honorable Ann Cornwell
Secretary of Senate
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

The House of Representatives respectfully requests the return to the House, of House Bill 1408.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JO RENSHAW
Chief Clerk

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1408 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 1408 was ordered returned to the House as requested.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS 72201

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April 3, 2009

The Honorable Ann Cornwell
Secretary of Senate
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

The House of Representatives respectfully requests the return to the House, of House Bill 1885.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JO RENSHAW
Chief Clerk

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1885 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 1885 was ordered returned to the House as requested.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 568, BY JOINT BUDGET,
SENATE BILL NO. 626, BY JOINT BUDGET,
SENATE BILL NO. 627, BY JOINT BUDGET,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 626 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 847 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
ARKANSAS SENATE

State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate
State Capitol, Room 320
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

April 3, 2009

Jo Renshaw, Clerk
House of Representatives
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, AR

Dear Ms. Renshaw

On motion of Senator Shane Broadway, Senate Bill No. 847 is being transmitted back to the House of Representatives.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Retirement Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 129 at this time.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 129 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 129

As Engrossed: S2/18/09 S4/1/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A ONE-TIME AD HOC BENEFIT INCREASE FOR RETIRANTS, SURVIVORS, AND BENEFICIARIES OF RETIRANTS IN THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

Senate Bill No. 129 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 129 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 177 at this time.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 177 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 177

As Engrossed: S4/1/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS CONCERNING MEMBERS BENEFITS UNDER THE LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 177 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 177, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 177 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 180 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 180

As Engrossed: S2/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE EARLY RETIREMENT PROVISIONS UNDER THE LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 180 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 33

NEGATIVE: Hendren, Teague.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 180 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 210 at this time.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 210 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 210

As Engrossed: S2/5/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE RESCISSION OF TERMINATION PROVISIONS IN THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM TO BENEFIT MEMBERS WHO CHOOSE TO RETURN TO WORK; TO REDUCE THE AMOUNT OF TIME REQUIRED UPON A RETURN TO WORK FOR BENEFITS TO REACCRUE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 210 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 210, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 210 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 224 at this time.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 224 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 224

As Engrossed: S2/5/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LUMP-SUM DEATH BENEFIT UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; TO GRANDFATHER RETIREES FROM CERTAIN PROVISIONS OF ACT 296 OF 2007; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 224 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 224, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 224 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 228 at this time.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 228 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 228

As Engrossed: S2/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE PROVISIONS OF ARKANSAS CODE §24-7-710 AND MAKE CONSISTENT THE SURVIVOR BENEFITS UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 228 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 228, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 228 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 231 at this time.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 231 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 231

As engrossed: S2/10/09 S2/18/09 S3/4/09 S4/1/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITIONS OF SALARY AND INTEREST TO EXCLUDE NONRECURRING PAYMENTS FROM THE CALCULATION OF FINAL AVERAGE SALARY IN THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 231 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 231, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 231 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 240 at this time.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 240 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 240

As Engrossed: S3/10/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCLUDE THE NATIONAL BOARD CERTIFICATION BONUSES AS SALARY FOR THE PURPOSES OF RETIREMENT BENEFITS UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 240 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 240 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1224 at this time.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1224 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1224

As Engrossed: H3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HARRELSON AND *COOK*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EQUALIZE RETIREE GROUP HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUM COSTS UNDER THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR RETIRED STATE EMPLOYEES AND RETIRED PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES; TO PERMIT STATE CONTRIBUTIONS TO GROUP HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUM COSTS FOR PARTICIPANTS IN THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM WHO ARE NOT STATE EMPLOYEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1224 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1224 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

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On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 453 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 hto SENATE BILL NO. 453

JBC 04/02/09(7)

Amend Senate Bill No. 453 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 29, between the words "renovation" and "and" insert ", furnishing, equipment,"

AND

Page 1, line 30, delete "$2,500,000" and substitute "$9,500,000".

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 453 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 506 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 506

JBC 04/02/09(12)

Amend Senate Bill No. 506 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 33 through 36 and insert therefore:
" (A) For a grant for expenses of the Winthrop Rockefeller Institute including the Biannual Strategic Policy Forum; conferences on Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics; Accelerate Arkansas support and initiatives; conservation/sustainability and energy workshops; strategic planning and development of conferencing capabilities and locale amenities of the Institute in order to facilitate local, national, and international conferences and meetings on policy matters including but not limited to the above subject matter, the sum of .....$650,000.

(B) For a grant for expenses to support a partnership between the Winthrop Rockefeller Institute and the University of Arkansas Clinton School of Public Service for purposes including but not limited to stipends for staff and students to be assigned to the Institute for assessment and strategic planning; expense-sharing for conferences and/or meetings arising from consultation and cooperation between the Clinton School and the Institute; and to support other collaborative initiatives between the Clinton School and the Institute, the sum of .....$150,000."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 506 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 724 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 724

JBC 04/02/09(19)

Amend Senate Bill No. 724 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 29, delete "programs" and substitute "programs and summer programs"

AND

Page 1, line 29, delete "districts" and substitute "districts and communities for"

AND

Page 1, line 30, delete "development" and substitute "development and elementary advancement"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 724 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1725 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1725

JBC 04/02/09(18)

Amend House Bill No. 1725 as engrossed, H3/12/09:

Add an additional SECTION immediately following SECTION 1 to read as follows:

" SECTION 2. APPROPRIATION. GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT GRANTS. There is hereby appropriated to the Department of Finance and Administration - Disbursing Officer, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, for grants to planning and development districts the following:

(A) For the Northwest Arkansas Economic Development District, Inc., the sum of …..... $2,000,000.

(B) For the North Central Arkansas Economic Development District, Inc., the sum of…..... $2,000,000.

(C) For the Northeast Arkansas Economic Development District, Inc., the sum of…..... $2,000,000.

(D) For the Southeast Arkansas Economic Development District, Inc., the sum of…..... $2,000,000.

(E) For the Southwest Economic Development District of Arkansas, Inc., the sum of…..... $2,000,000.

(F) For the Western Arkansas Economic Development District, Inc., the sum of…..... $2,000,000.

(G) For the West Central Arkansas Economic Development District, Inc., the sum of…..... $2,000,000.

(H) For the Central Arkansas Economic Development District, Inc., the sum of…..... $2,000,000."

AND

Page 2, line 19, insert "Section 1 of" between "in" and "this"

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent SECTION numbers of the bill.

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1725 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 203 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 203

JBC 03/26/09(85)

Amend Senate Bill No. 203 as originally introduced:

Page 4, line 5, delete "105,063" and substitute "205,063"

AND

Page 4, line 6, delete "$ 15,863,619" and substitute "$ 15,963,619"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 203, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 203 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 203

As Engrossed: H3/27/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL, THE BUREAU OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH, AND THE INTERIM COMMITTEES OF THE ARKANSAS GENERAL ASSEMBLY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 203 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 203, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 203 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 194 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 194 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 194

As Engrossed: S1/28/09 S2/18/09 S4/1/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 194 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 194, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 194 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 417 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 417 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 417

As Engrossed: S3/12/09 S3/23/09 S/3/25/09 S3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 417 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 417, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 417 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1080 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1080 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1080
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE BOARD OF EXAMINERS IN SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY AND AUDIOLOGY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1080 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1080, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1080 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1175 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1175 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1175
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS TOBACCO CONTROL BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1175 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1175, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1175 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1521 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1521 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1521

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - DONALD W. REYNOLDS CENTER ON AGING, COLLEGE OF PUBLIC HEALTH, ARKANSAS BIOSCIENCES INSTITUTE AND THE AREA HEALTH EDUCATION CENTER IN HELENA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1521 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1521, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1521 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 370 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 370 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 370

As Engrossed: S3/31/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WEBB, ADCOCK, GREENBERG, WILLS & HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR LITTLE ROCK ZOO IMPROVEMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 370 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 370, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 370 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 478 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 478 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 478

As Engrossed: S3/3/09 S3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR IMPROVEMENTS TO THE ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR MATHEMATICS, SCIENCES AND THE ARTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 478 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 478, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 478 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 630 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 630 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 630

As Engrossed: S3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR MATHEMATICS, SCIENCES AND THE ARTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 630 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 630, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 630 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 714 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 714 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 714

As Engrossed: S4/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT – STATE FORESTRY COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 714 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 714, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 714 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 725 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 725 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 725
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FOR A STATEWIDE 2-1-1 INFORMATION AND REFERRAL SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 725 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 725, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 725 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 726 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 726 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 726
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE - HISTORIC PRESERVATION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 726 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 726, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 726 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 730 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 730 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 730
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES FOR COLORECTAL CANCER SCREENING AND RESEARCH FOR THE 2009-2010 FISCAL YEAR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 730 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 730, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 730 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 732 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 732 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 732
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FOR CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENTS, EQUIPMENT, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 732 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 732, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 732 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1656 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1656 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1656
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY, HOYT, DALE, WELLS, GEORGE, LEA & PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY FOR EXPANSION, IMPROVEMENTS AND EQUIPPING LAKE POINT CONFERENCE CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1656 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1656, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1656 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1662 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1662 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1662
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES GEORGE, WELLS, HOYT, DALE, OVERBEY, LEA & PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY FOR CONSTRUCTION AND EQUIPPING OF AN ACADEMIC/ADVISING CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1662 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1662, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1662 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1674 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1674 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1674
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES WELLS, DALE, GEORGE, HOYT, LEA, OVERBEY & PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY FOR EXPANSION, IMPROVEMENTS, EQUIPPING, AND OTHER ASSOCIATED COSTS FOR THE OZARK CAMPUS STUDENT SERVICES CENTER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1674 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1674, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1674 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1788 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1788 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1788
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES OVERBEY, ADCOCK, T. BAKER, CHEATHAM, D. CREEKMORE, DUNN, EVERETT, R. GREEN, HAWKINS, W. LEWELLEN, PYLE, REEP, SAUNDERS & WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS BUILDING AUTHORITY FOR PURCHASE OF LAND AROUND THE STATE CAPITOL COMPLEX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1788 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1788, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1788 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

April 3, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on April 3, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 246, - ACT 799,
Senate Bill No. 263, - ACT 800,
Senate Bill No. 342, - ACT 801,
Senate Bill No. 429, - ACT 802,
Senate Bill No. 643, - ACT 803,
Senate Bill No. 671, - ACT 804,
Senate Bill No. 710, - ACT 805,
Senate Bill No. 745, - ACT 806,
Senate Bill No. 826, - ACT 807,
Senate Bill No. 872, - ACT 808,
Senate Bill No. 884, - ACT 809,
Senate Bill No. 897, - ACT 810,
Senate Bill No. 898, - ACT 811,
Senate Bill No. 901, - ACT 812,
Senate Bill No. 926, - ACT 813,
Senate Bill No. 972, - ACT 814,
Senate Bill No. 993, - ACT 815,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL 358, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10,
BY SENATOR WHITAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 63, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 366, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 427, BY SENATORS BRYLES AND WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 595, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 614, BY SENATOR BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 776, BY SENATOR MADISON,

SENATE BILL NO. 789, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 790, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 791, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 813, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 820, BY SENATOR WHITAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 867, BY SENATOR FARIS ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 896, BY SENATOR ALTES,
SENATE BILL NO. 885, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 903, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 920, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 980, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:05 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 10,
SENATE BILL NO. 63,
SENATE BILL NO. 366,
SENATE BILL NO. 427,
SENATE BILL NO. 595,
SENATE BILL NO. 614,
SENATE BILL NO. 776,
SENATE BILL NO. 789,
SENATE BILL NO. 790,
SENATE BILL NO. 791,

SENATE BILL NO. 813,
SENATE BILL NO. 820,
SENATE BILL NO. 867,
SENATE BILL NO. 896,
SENATE BILL NO. 885,
SENATE BILL NO. 903,
SENATE BILL NO. 920,
SENATE BILL NO. 980,

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 3rd day of April, 2009 at 9:05 a.m..

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Sarah Agee
Secretary

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 31
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

SENATE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND HONORING ROY REED FOR HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE HISTORY OF ARKANSAS AND TO JOURNALISM.

Senate Resolution No. 31 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1623, BY REPRESENTATIVE STEWART ET AL,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1951, BY REPRESENTATIVE PYLE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2071, BY REPRESENTATIVE HYDE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2075, BY REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2105, BY REPRESENTATIVE ROEBUCK ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 844, BY SENATOR G. BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 985, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 453, BY SENATOR ALTES ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 724, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 506, BY SENATOR B. JOHNSON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1725, BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1784
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES REEP, HARDY, MALOCH & G. SMITH
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SAU-TECH FOR EXPANSION AND RENOVATION OF EXISTING ARKANSAS ENVIRONMENTAL ACADEMY BUILDINGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1784 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1772

As Engrossed: H3/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WILLS AND *MALOCH*

BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS LOTTERY COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1772 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1756

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLS

BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1756 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1755
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLS
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORITY FOR ORGANIZATION AND OPERATION OF THE CYBERINFRASTRUCTURE CENTER FOR APPLIED TECHNOLOGY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1755 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1754
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLS
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION FOR THE ARKANSAS TECHNICAL CAREERS STUDENT LOAN FORGIVENESS PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1754 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1734

As Engrossed: H3/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, D. RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - ARKANSAS CHILD ABUSE/RAPE/DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COMMISSION FOR STATEWIDE GRANTS TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SHELTERS, CRISIS CENTERS AND CHILD ADVOCACY CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1734 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1688

As Engrossed: H3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS FOR ELECTION EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1688 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1572

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOYT AND T. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE FOR GRANTS TO CEMETERY ORGANIZATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1572 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1947
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS CAPITAL GAINS REDUCTION ACT OF 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1947 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1929
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ASSESS TREBLE DAMAGES AGAINST AN EMPLOYER WHO PAYS AN EMPLOYEE AND FAILS TO DEDUCT AND WITHHOLD ANY AMOUNT OF THE EMPLOYEE'S WAGES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1929 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1905
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES L. COWLING, DAVENPORT, HOUSE, KING, LEA, LINDSEY, LOVELL, S. MALONE, POWERS & COLE
BY: SENATORS TEAGUE AND D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO GRADUALLY REDUCE THE SALES AND USE TAX ON UTILITIES THAT ARE USED BY QUALIFYING AGRICULTURAL STRUCTURES AND QUALIFYING AGRICULTURE, HORTICULTURE, AND AQUACULTURE EQUIPMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1905 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1862
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CARNINE AND J. ROEBUCK
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE INDIVIDUALS WITH NATIONAL BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL TEACHING STANDARDS CERTIFICATION ARE ELIGIBLE FOR PAYMENTS WHILE THEY CONTRIBUTE TO THE SUCCESS OF THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1862 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1748
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE BREEDLOVE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENCOURAGE AND PROMOTE THE USE OF RENEWABLE SOLAR ENERGY BY ALLOWING A DEDUCTION FROM GROSS INCOME FOR THE PURCHASE AND USE OF A SOLAR ENERGY SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1748 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1225
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COOPER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE PERIOD OF TIME FOR WHICH A CONSUMER SELLER OF A USED MOTOR VEHICLE, TRAILER, OR SEMITRAILER MAY DEDUCT THE VALUE OF THE USED USED MOTOR VEHICLE, TRAILER, OR SEMITRAILER FROM THE CONSIDERATION PAID FOR A NEW USED MOTOR VEHICLE, TRAILER, OR SEMITRAILER FOR PURPOSES OF DETERMINING THE GROSS RECEIPTS AND USE TAX OWED ON THE NEW USED MOTOR VEHICLE, TRAILER, OR SEMITRAILER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1225 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1770
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE, CASH, NIX, CLEMMER & EVERETT
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - ARKANSAS CHILD ABUSE/RAPE/DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COMMISSION FOR STATEWIDE GRANTS TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SHELTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1770 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1368
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1368 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1347
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1347 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1220
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING EXPENSES AND GRANTS FOR THE PURPOSE OF MONITORING AND EVALUATING PROGRAM EXPENDITURES FROM THE PROGRAM ACCOUNTS OF THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT PROGRAM FUND FOR THE ARKANSAS TOBACCO SETTLEMENT COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1220 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1192
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1192 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1156
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1156 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1138
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1138 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1120
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1120 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2067
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 21-1-402 TO PROVIDE FOR EXCEPTIONS TO THE PROHIBITION ON STATE EMPLOYMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2067 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1202
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOYT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS PERTAINING TO CREDITED SERVICE FOR PAID AND VOLUNTEER HOURS UNDER THE ARKANSAS LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1202 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 727 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 636 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 637 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 638 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 659 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 695 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 709 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 711 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 712 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 371 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 474 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 479 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 617 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 632 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 633 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 634 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 635 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 345 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 889 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 209 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 182 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 164 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 1005 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 853 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 854 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 855 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 856 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 857 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 870 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 65 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 138 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 770 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 772 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 812 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 850 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 852 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 499 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 500 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 778 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 825 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 876 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 803 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 803 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

Senate Bill No. 904 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 904 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Senate Bill No. 955 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, Senate Bill No. 955 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 3, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 626, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 79
SENATE BILL NO. 129
SENATE BILL NO. 177
SENATE BILL NO. 180
SENATE BILL NO. 194
SENATE BILL NO. 210
SENATE BILL NO. 224
SENATE BILL NO. 228
SENATE BILL NO. 231
SENATE BILL NO. 240
SENATE BILL NO. 370
SENATE BILL NO. 417
SENATE BILL NO. 478
SENATE BILL NO. 536

SENATE BILL NO. 630
SENATE BILL NO. 714
SENATE BILL NO. 725
SENATE BILL NO. 726
SENATE BILL NO. 730
SENATE BILL NO. 732
SENATE BILL NO. 814
SENATE BILL NO. 861
SENATE BILL NO. 892
SENATE BILL NO. 963

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1080
HOUSE BILL NO. 1175
HOUSE BILL NO. 1224
HOUSE BILL NO. 1521
HOUSE BILL NO. 1656
HOUSE BILL NO. 1662
HOUSE BILL NO. 1674
HOUSE BILL NO. 1746
HOUSE BILL NO. 1788
HOUSE BILL NO. 1927
HOUSE BILL NO. 1975
HOUSE BILL NO. 2057
HOUSE BILL NO. 2069
HOUSE BILL NO. 2173
HOUSE BILL NO. 2195
HOUSE BILL NO. 2252
HOUSE BILL NO. 2260
HOUSE BILL NO. 2274

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1372 AS AMENDED NOS. 1, 2 & 3
HOUSE BILL NO. 1489 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1606 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1999 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 2013 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 2203 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS REQUESTED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1408
HOUSE BILL NO. 1885

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 65
SENATE BILL NO. 138
SENATE BILL NO. 164
SENATE BILL NO. 182
SENATE BILL NO. 209
SENATE BILL NO. 345
SENATE BILL NO. 371
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SENATE BILL NO. 637
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SENATE BILL NO. 659
SENATE BILL NO. 695
SENATE BILL NO. 709
SENATE BILL NO. 711
SENATE BILL NO. 712
SENATE BILL NO. 727
SENATE BILL NO. 770
SENATE BILL NO. 772
SENATE BILL NO. 778
SENATE BILL NO. 812
SENATE BILL NO. 825
SENATE BILL NO. 850
SENATE BILL NO. 852
SENATE BILL NO. 853
SENATE BILL NO. 854
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SENATE BILL NO. 857
SENATE BILL NO. 870
SENATE BILL NO. 876
SENATE BILL NO. 889
SENATE BILL NO. 1005

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 803 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 904 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 955 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1120
HOUSE BILL NO. 1138

HOUSE BILL NO. 1156
HOUSE BILL NO. 1192
HOUSE BILL NO. 1202
HOUSE BILL NO. 1220
HOUSE BILL NO. 1225
HOUSE BILL NO. 1347
HOUSE BILL NO. 1368
HOUSE BILL NO. 1572
HOUSE BILL NO. 1688
HOUSE BILL NO. 1734
HOUSE BILL NO. 1748
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HOUSE BILL NO. 1947
HOUSE BILL NO. 2067

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Monday, April 6, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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EIGHTY-FIFTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

April 6, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

Senator Teague requested leave for Senator David Johnson. Leave granted.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Wilkinson.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 377 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 377

Amend Senate Bill No. 377 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete line 4 and substitute the following:

"and keeping gainful employment.

SECTION 2. NOT TO BE CODIFIED.

(a)(1) The House Committee on Judiciary and Senate Committee on Judiciary shall study the issue of providing a streamlined method of restoring a citizen's rights after completing a criminal sentence.

(2) The House Committee on Judiciary and the Senate Committee on Judiciary should invite the House Committee on Public Health, Welfare and Labor, the Senate committee on Public Health, Welfare and Labor, the House of Representatives Committee on Education, and the Senate Committee on Education to participate in the study.

(b) The House Committee on Judiciary and the Senate Committee on Judiciary shall include in their study:

(1) Methods for ensuring that criminal arrest records are not a bar to state funding for higher education job training opportunities;

(2) Methods for ensuring that institutions of higher education are prohibited from excluding students with criminal records from admittance in the institution of higher education based solely on having a criminal record;

(3) Determining whether institutions of higher education admission policies unfairly discriminate against students with criminal records;

(4) Methods for encouraging state correctional facilities to provide educational and training programs tied to high growth labor market needs;

(5) The feasibility of limiting the practice of employers and other non-law enforcement agencies from inquiring about or using information about a prospective employee's arrest which did not lead to a conviction and report on "best practices" based on research;

(6) The option of providing state tax credits for employers hiring low-income individuals with a state criminal record;

(7) The cost analysis and benefits of providing six (6) months of free bonding for employers who hire persons with criminal records;

(8) A report from the Office of Personnel Management for the previous five (5) years including:

(A) State employment policies of hiring persons with criminal records;

(B) Number of persons with criminal records that have applied for a state position;

(C) Number of persons with criminal records that have:

(i) Been offered a position with a state agency; and

(ii) Not been offered a position with a state agency; and

(D) Types of jobs person with criminal records have applied for and are working in;

(9) Who may lawfully obtain the criminal records of a person and under what circumstances;

(10) The penalty for violating state law on the dissemination of information of a person's criminal records and for dissemination of erroneous information and information not resulting in a conviction in Arkansas and other states;

(11) The number of arrests that did not lead to a conviction or a conviction that was sealed, expunged, erased, or purged for the previous five (5) years;

(12) The number of criminal records sealed, expunged, erased, or purged for the previous five (5) years;

(13) The number of persons denied an occupational license in the last five (5) years and the reason for the denial; and

(14) The rationale of the five-year waiting period to be eligible to receive an occupational license and how it compares to other states.

(c)(1) The House Committee on Judiciary and the Senate Committee on Judiciary may submit recommendations and proposed legislation to the Arkansas Legislative Council, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and the President Pro Tempore of the Senate for the Eighty-Eighth General Assembly.

(2) The House Committee on Judiciary and the Senate Committee on Judiciary shall conclude their study by December 1, 2010."

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. ELLIOTT

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 377 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 839 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 839

Amend Senate Bill No. 839 as engrossed, S3/30/09:

Page 2, line 13, delete "facility" and substitute "facility when the prisoner or detainee is known to be in the third trimester of pregnancy"

AND
Delete Section 2 in its entirety

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections

(SIGNED) SENATOR M. SALMON

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 839 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 377, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 377 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

Senate BILL NO. 839, BY SENATOR SALMON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 839 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 886, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 910, BY SENATOR SALMON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 904, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 955, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1956, BY REPRESENTATIVE WORD,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1992, BY REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2003, BY REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2065, BY REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2135, BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2164, BY REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 964, BY SENATOR STEELE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 178, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR J. KEY
VICE-CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Taylor, Senate Bill No. 768 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 768 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Taylor.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, Senate Bill No. 157 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 157 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, Senate Bill No. 106 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 106 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Whitaker.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, Senate Bill No. 893 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 893 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Whitaker.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 411 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Madison, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 411 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 774 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Madison, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 774 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 777 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Madison, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 777 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 787 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Madison, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 787 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 829 was withdrawn from the Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Madison, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 829 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 865 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Madison, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 865 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 899 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Madison, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 899 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 900 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Madison, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 900 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 902 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Madison, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 902 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 929 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Madison, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 929 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 930 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Madison, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 930 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 931 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Madison, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 931 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 973 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Madison, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 973 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Resolution No. 31 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 31
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR MADISON

SENATE RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING AND HONORING ROY REED FOR HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE HISTORY OF ARKANSAS AND TO JOURNALISM.

Senate Resolution No. 31 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Resolution No. 30 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE RESOLUTION NO. 30
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

SENATE RESOLUTION TO HONOR THE OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT OF GREENE COUNTY TECH'S SENIOR HIGH BOYS BASKETBALL TEAM AS 2009 CLASS 5A STATE BASKETBALL CHAMPIONS.

Senate Resolution No. 30 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT
BY: REPRESENTATIVE L. SMITH

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RECOGNIZING THE URGENT NEED FOR HEALTH CARE FOR AMERICA NOW.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 was read the third time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 968 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 968

Amend Senate Bill No. 968 as originally introduced:

Delete everything after the enacting clause and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code Title 20, Chapter 77, Subchapter 1 is amended to add an additional section to read as follows:

20-48-705. Membership of nonprofit organizations.

A nonprofit organization licensed or certified by the Division of Developmental Disabilities Services of the Department of Human Services to serve adults shall include an individual with developmental disabilities as an ex officio member of the nonprofit organization's board of directors or other governing body."

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRACY STEELE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 968 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1555 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1555

Amend House Bill No. 1555 as engrossed, H3/24/09:
Page 2, line 16, delete "June 20" and substitute "July 31"

AND

Page 2, line 20, delete "June 30" and substitute "August 31"

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHANE BROADWAY

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1555 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1058 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1058

Amend House Bill No. 1058 as engrossed, S2/17/09:

Page 1, delete line 34 and substitute "evidence of the alleged perpetrator is identified that is capable of producing a deoxyribonucleic acid"

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHANE BROADWAY

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1058 was ordered engrossed.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 807 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 807

As Engrossed: S4/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE INDIVIDUAL DEVELOPMENT ACCOUNT PROGRAM UNDER THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 807 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 807 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 965 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 965

As Engrossed: S4/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR STEELE

BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO TRANSFER THE ARKANSAS WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD TO THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES; TO BRING THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE WORKFORCE INVESTMENT BOARD INTO COMPLIANCE WITH APPLICABLE FEDERAL LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

Senate Bill No. 965 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill..... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 965, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 965 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 944 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 944

As Engrossed: S/3/19/09 S3/31/09 S4/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO STUDY VARIOUS ASPECTS OF ASTHMA MEDICATION USE AND REIMBURSEMENT WITHIN THE ARKANSAS MEDICAID PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

Senate Bill No. 944 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J.

Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill..... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 944 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 985 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 985

As Engrossed: S3/30/09 S4/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO PROVIDE APPOINTMENT RECOMMENDATIONS FOR ARKANSAS STATE BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS THAT LICENSE HEALTH PROFESSIONS TO ENSURE THAT STATE HEALTH-RELATED AGENCIES, BOARDS, AND COMMISSIONS ARE COMPOSED TO REFLECT THE DIVERSITY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

Senate Bill No. 985 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Teague, R. Thompson, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 28

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Horn, B. Pritchard, J. Taylor, Trusty, Whitaker.

Total 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 985 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 459 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 459

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE DATA COLLECTION BY THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOL COMPUTER NETWORK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 459 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill..... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 459, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 459 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, Senate Bill No. 358 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 358

As Engrossed: S3/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW REASONABLE ACCOMMODATION FOR A STUDENT WHO HAS DIFFICULTY WITH SENSORY

PROCESSING IN REACTION TO OVERSENSITIVITY TO FULL SPECTRUM LIGHT WHEN TAKING STATE REQUIRED TESTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 358 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill..... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 358 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, House Joint Resolution No. 1007 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1007
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLS

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION TO AMEND AMENDMENT 82 OF THE CONSTITUTION OF ARKANSAS TO AUTHORIZE THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO ESTABLISH CRITERIA BEFORE AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS FOR PROSPECTIVE EMPLOYERS PLANNING AN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROJECT.

Subtitle

TO AMEND AMENDMENT 82 OF THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO ESTABLISH CRITERIA BEFORE AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS FOR PROSPECTIVE EMPLOYERS PLANNING AN ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROJECT.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVE OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND BY THE SENATE, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:

That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators, if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. Amendment 82(d) of the Constitution of Arkansas is amended to read as follows:

(d) ~~In order for the~~ <u>The</u> General Assembly to may authorize the issuance of bonds bearing the full faith and credit of the State of Arkansas~~, the prospective employer must be planning an economic development project that will invest more than five hundred million dollars ($500,000,000) in capital expenditures and plan on hiring over five hundred (500) new employees~~ <u>if the prospective employer planning an economic development project is eligible under criteria established by law.</u>

House Joint Resolution No. 1007 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34
Necessary to the passage of the bill..... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Joint Resolution No. 1007 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 844 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 844

As Engrossed: S3/25/09 S3/30/09 S4/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

BY: REPRESENTATIVES TYLER, CASH, CHEATHAM, L. COWLING, GASKILL, HAWKINS, KIDD, SAUNDERS & B. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS REVISIONS TO THE ARKANSAS PHYSICAL THERAPY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 844 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 844 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 152, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 2022 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2022

As Engrossed: S4/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING VISITATION RIGHTS OF A PATERNAL GRANDPARENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill..... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2022 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 2169 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2169

As Engrossed: H3/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE R. GREEN

BY: SENATOR R. THOMPSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS TITLE INSURANCE ACT, § 23-103-401 ET SEQ.; TO AMEND THE LAWS AFFECTING TITLE INSURANCE AGENTS AND COMPANIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2169 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2169 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Altes, House Bill No. 2066 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2066

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE TIMELY AND ACCURATE RECEIPT OF DATA NEEDED TO CALCULATE AND ADJUST FOUNDATION FUNDING AMOUNTS DISTRIBUTED TO PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES

House Bill No. 2066 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill..... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 2066, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2066 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 2261 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2261

As Engrossed: H4/1/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE COLE

BY: SENATOR TEAGUE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION THAT OFFER AN ASSOCIATE OF APPLIED SCIENCE DEGREE TO CHANGE THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION MATH REQUIREMENT FROM "APPLIED MATHEMATICS, INTERMEDIATE ALGEBRA, OR HIGHER" TO "AN APPLICABLE AND APPROPRIATE NONREMEDIAL MATH COURSE"

House Bill No. 2261 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill..... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2261 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 2191 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2191

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE PATTERSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DELTA GEOTOURISM INCENTIVE ACT OF 2007 TO STIMULATE THE ECONOMY OF THE LOWER MISSISSIPPI RIVER DELTA BY EXPANDING THE GEOGRAPHICAL QUALIFICATIONS FOR A GEOTOURISM TAX CREDIT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2191 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2191 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1959 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1959

As Engrossed: S4/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ABERNATHY, BARNETT, BETTS, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, J. BURRIS, M. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARTER, COOK, L. COWLING, DALE, DAVENPORT, J. DICKINSON, DUNN, HOPPER, D. HUTCHINSON, LINDSEY, RAGLAND, REEP, J. ROGERS, SAUNDERS, SLINKARD, SUMMERS, TYLER, B. WILKINS & WOODS

BY: SENATORS J. JEFFRESS, ALTES, G. BAKER, BLEDSOE, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CRUMBLY, HENDREN, G. JEFFRESS, SALMON, STEELE & D. WYATT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL END-OF-COURSE ASSESSMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1959 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 33

NEGATIVE: Hendren.

Total..... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill..... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1959, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 33

NEGATIVE: Hendren.

Total..... 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause..... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1959 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1450 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1450
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE REYNOLDS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENHANCE THE SAFETY OF CHILDREN BY REQUIRING CENTRAL REGISTRY CHECKS FOR ALL PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES AND BUS DRIVERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1450 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1450 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Glover, House Bill No. 2105 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2105

As Engrossed: H3/12/09 S4/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK, NIX, B. WILKINS, *HOBBS, G. SMITH, KERR, LEA, DALE, BETTS, PENNARTZ, CARNINE, STEWART, GASKILL, COOK, D. HUTCHINSON, POWERS, WEBB, J. DICKINSON, CARROLL, BREEDLOVE, HARRELSON, MCLEAN, MCCRARY, WAGNER, DUNN, BARNETT, CASH, PYLE, M. BURRIS, GLIDEWELL, SLINKARD, T. ROGERS, SHELBY, ABERNATHY, EVERETT, INGRAM, BAIRD, HYDE, RICE, J. EDWARDS, R. GREEN, HOUSE, D. CREEKMORE, BLOUNT, ADCOCK, PIERCE, DAVIS, L. SMITH, RAINEY, J. BROWN, KIDD, PERRY, OVERBEY, LOVELL, T. BAKER & REYNOLDS*

BY: SENATORS GLOVER AND P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE THE DEATH BENEFITS FOR COVERED PUBLIC EMPLOYEES KILLED IN THE LINE OF DUTY; TO ALLOW COVERED PUBLIC EMPLOYEES TO CHOOSE A DESIGNATED BENEFICIARY FOR DEATH BENEFITS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2105 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2105 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Smith, House Bill No. 2075 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2075

As Engrossed: H3/24/09 H3/30/09 S4/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HAWKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO ADDRESS INSURANCE MATTERS AFFECTING THE STATE OF ARKANSAS; TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 23-89-216, AS ENACTED BY ACT 485 OF 2009; TO ADDRESS ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS AND ENFORCEMENT OF THE COMPREHENSIVE HEALTH INSURANCE POOL PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 2075 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J.

Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill..... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2075 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Taylor, House Bill No. 1623 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1623

As Engrossed: H3/4/09 S4/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES STEWART, WOODS, *M. BURRIS,* ADCOCK, BARNETT, *CHEATHAM, COLE,* FLOWERS, HOUSE, KERR, *M. MARTIN,* NIX, PERRY, SAMPLE, *G. SMITH,* WELLS, *ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BREEDLOVE, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CLEMMER, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, ENGLISH, GARNER, GEORGE, R. GREEN, HALL, HAWKINS, HOBBS, D. HUTCHINSON, KING, LEA, S. MALONE, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MOORE, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PIERCE, PYLE, REEP, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, SAUNDERS, SLINKARD, TYLER, B. WILKINS*

BY: SENATORS J. TAYLOR & BLEDSOE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT PROHIBITING THE RELEASE OF THE IDENTITIES OR OTHER INFORMATION CONCERNING CONCEALED HANDGUN LICENSEES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1623 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1623, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause..... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1623 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Smith, House Bill No. 1951 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1951

As Engrossed: H3/17/09 H3/20/09 H3/24/09 S4/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE PYLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE MASSAGE THERAPY ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1951 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 32

NEGATIVE: Broadway, R. Thompson.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1951, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 32

NEGATIVE: Broadway, R. Thompson.

Total 2

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1951 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1940 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1940
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE COOK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF TITLE 6 RELATED TO SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARDS OF DIRECTORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1940 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill..... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1940 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1986 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1986

As Engrossed: H3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK AND *HARRELSON*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW FOR ALTERNATIVE METHODS FOR PROVIDING TESTIMONY UNDER SUBPOENA FROM A STATE AGENCY; TO PROVIDE A METHOD TO CHALLENGE A SUBPOENA; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1986 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1986 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 1930 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1930

As Engrossed: H3/25/09 H3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO REQUIRE A HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN TO OFFER COVERAGE FOR HEARING AIDS IN AN AMOUNT OF NOT LESS THAN ONE THOUSAND FOUR HUNDRED DOLLARS ($1,400) PER EAR EVERY THREE (3) YEARS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1930 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 31

NEGATIVE: Altes, Hendren, J. Key.

Total..... 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill..... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1930 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, House Bill No. 2127 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2127

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE GARNER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REGULATE THE INSTALLATION OF ELECTRIC SIGNS; TO PROVIDE FOR THE REGULATION AND LICENSING OF PARTIES INVOLVED IN THE INSTALLATION OF ELECTRIC SIGNS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2127 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2127 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Key, House Bill No. 2033 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2033

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE A TASK FORCE ON WATER QUALITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2033 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill..... 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2033 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 946 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATI0N, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Key, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 946 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 127 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 127 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Faris.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 1006 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Key, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 1006 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 823 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 823 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Faris.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, House Bill No. 1640 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1640

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES HAWKINS AND PIERCE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT PERSONS ARRESTED FOR A FIRST OFFENSE DWI ARE NOT ENTITLED TO A RESTRICTED PERMIT BUT ARE ALLOWED AN IGNITIION INTERLOCK RESTRICTED LICENSE; TO INCREASE SUSPENSION TIME FOR A FIRST OFFENSE DWI; TO REDUCE INELIGIBIILTY TIME FOR AN IGNITION INTERLOCK RESTRICTED LICENSE FOR CERTAIN DWI OFFENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1640 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, J. Key, Laverty, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 27

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: B. Johnson, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, T. Smith, Trusty, H. Wilkins.

Total 8

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 27

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1640 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Teague, House Bill No. 2147 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2147

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOVELL

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO SET OUT THE PROCEDURE FOR EQUALIZATION BOARDS TO FOLLOW WHEN CHANGING PROPERTY VALUES IN A YEAR WHEN A COUNTY IS NOT COMPLETING REAPPRAISAL; TO CONSULT WITH THE ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DEPARTMENT TO UTILIZE DATA COMPILED UNDER THE ASSESSMENT COORDINATION DEPARTMENT'S SALES RATIO STUDY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Miller spoke for the Bill.

House Bill No. 2147 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, D. Wyatt.

Total 26

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Hendren, Whitaker.

Total 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Glover, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson.

Total 6

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....29

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 2147, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 26

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Hendren, Whitaker.

Total..... 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Glover, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson.

Total..... 6

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 29

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause..... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2147 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, House Bill No. 1091 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1091

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO MEET IN EXECUTIVE SESSION ON AN APPEAL OF THE SUSPENSION OR EXPULSION OF A PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

On motion of Senator Bryles, House Bill No. 1091 pulled down at this time.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
ARKANSAS SENATE
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

April 6, 2009

Jo Renshaw
Chief Clerk
House of Representatives
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Renshaw:

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate of Senate Bill 107.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

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On motion of Senator Luker, Senate Bill No. 837 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 837 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Luker.

On motion of Senator Teague, Senate Bill No. 158 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Teague, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 158 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 152 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 152

Amend Senate Bill No. 152 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 16, delete "4" and substitute "5"

AND

Page 2, line 22, delete "71" and substitute "74"

AND

Page 2, line 30, delete "10" and substitute "11"

AND

Page 2, line 32, delete "1" and substitute "2"

AND

Page 3, line 16, delete "320" and substitute "326"

AND

Delete SECTION 3 and SECTION 4 of the bill in their entirety and substitute the following:

" SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of Medical Services, to be payable from the paying account as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Human Services - Division of Medical Services - Operations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010
(01)	REGULAR SALARIES	$ 15,397,111
(02)	EXTRA HELP	126,892
(03)	PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	4,647,573
(04)	OVERTIME	5,000

(05) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	3,446,243
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	246,340
© PROF. FEES	355,132
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	195,000
(E) DATA PROC.	0
(06) DATA PROCESSING SERVICES	299,600
(07) AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT OF 2009	458,025
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	$ 25,176,916

SECTION 4. APPROPRIATION - GRANTS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of Medical Services, to be payable from the paying account as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for grant payments of the Department of Human Services - Division of Medical Services - Grants for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010	
(01)	PRIVATE NURSING HOME CARE	$ 592,888,856
(02)	INFANT INFIRMARY	27,450,775
(03)	PUBLIC NURSING HOME CARE	221,068,656
(04)	PRESCRIPTION DRUGS	444,995,868
(05)	HOSPITAL AND MEDICAL SERVICES	3,321,028,598
(06)	CHILD AND FAMILY LIFE INSTITUTE	2,100,000
(07)	ARKIDS B PROGRAM	156,402,779
(08)	PRIVATE NURSING HOME CARE – ARRA OF 2009	134,694,759
(09)	INFANT INFIRMARY – ARRA OF 2009	4,901,102
(10)	PUBLIC NURSING HOME CARE – ARRA OF 2009	40,875,288
(11)	PRESCRIPTION DRUGS - ARRA OF 2009	94,544,574
(12)	HOSPITAL AND MEDICAL SERVICES - ARRA OF 2009	646,455,077
(13)	ARKIDS B PROGRAM - ARRA OF 2009	27,377,439
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	$5,714,783,771".

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 152 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 205 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 5.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 5 to SENATE BILL NO. 205

Amend Senate Bill No. 205 as engrossed, S3/30/09:
Page 2, line 4, delete "$143,445" and substitute "$185,000"

AND

Page 3, line 8, delete "$ 2,376,458" and substitute "$ 2,418,013"

AND

Page 3, line 10, delete "639,146" and substitute "678,878"

AND

Page 3, line 19, delete "$ 3,612,435" and substitute "$ 3,693,722"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 205 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 290 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 290

Amend Senate Bill No. 290 as engrossed, S3/26/09:
Add the following new SECTION immediately following SECTION 30 to read as follows:

"SECTION 31. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. STATE FUND RESTRICTIONS. No state funds shall be used for abortion referral in public schools, or for abortion services. Funds shall be expended in accordance with Arkansas Code Annotated § 6-18-703.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010."

And

Appropriately renumber subsequent SECTIONS of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 290 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 291 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 4.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 4 to SENATE BILL NO. 291

JBC 04/02/09 a.m.(1), 04/02/09 p.m.(3), 04/03/09(10)

Amend Senate Bill No. 291 as engrossed, S3/30/09:

Page 7, delete line 21 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"rata basis until the available funds are exhausted. Pro rata basis is defined as providing each district qualifying for additional funding under subsections (c) through (f) a proportionate share based on how each district's additional funding amount bears to the total additional funding amounts for all qualifying districts. If any funding and"

And

Page 7, line 24, delete "a pro rata" and substitute "an equal"

And

Page 13 delete lines 16 through 36 in their entirety

And

Page 14, delete lines 1 through 5 in their entirety and substitute the following:

" ~~(a) Regardless of any provision of law to the contrary, beginning with the 2007-2008 school year, no school district shall receive state funding for those students in the district's prior year three quarter average daily membership who were enrolled and attending a public school with an internet, long-distance or virtual technology curriculum based program which was not part of a public school district and the public school program was funded by a federal voluntary public school choice grant administered by the Department of Education.~~

~~(b) Prior to July 1, 2007, the Department of Education shall notify the Arkansas State Board of Education of the maximum number of students that the State Board of Education shall allow to enroll and attend any open- enrollment charter school that uses internet, long-distance or virtual technology as the primary method of teaching. It is the intent of this language that the Department shall not establish and certify a number of students to the State Board of Education that exceeds the number of students for which school districts were not able to receive state funding because of the requirements of paragraph (a). However, to the extent there are any revenue savings caused by the closure of any open-enrollment charter school in existence on July 1, 2006, the State Board of Education may increase the maximum number of students allowed to enroll and attend an internet, long-distance or virtual technology open-enrollment charter school to the extent the maximum number of students does not exceed five hundred (500) students.~~

~~(c) The provisions of this special language shall not restrict, affect or impair any other provision of law or rule concerning public school districts or public charter schools except as provided in paragraph (a) and (b).~~

(a) Regardless of any provision of any law to the contrary, no internet, long-distance or virtual technology open-enrollment charter school shall receive state funding for more than five hundred (500) students.

(b) Regardless of any provision of law to the contrary, no school district shall receive state funding for the 2009-2010 school year for those students who are included in the district's average daily membership for the previous school year but who are attending any open-enrollment charter school that uses internet, long-distance, or virtual technology as the primary method of teaching."

And

Page 15, delete lines 9 through 11 in their entirety and substitute the following:

"The Arkansas Department of Education shall ~~report on the feasibility of this action to the House and Senate Committees on Education by February 1, 2007~~ submit this data annually to the National Education Association in accordance with that organization's deadlines for submission for their report "Rankings and Estimates" which includes state-by-state teacher salary comparisons."

And

Add the following new SECTION immediately following SECTION 30 to read as follows:

"SECTION 31. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. STATE FUND RESTRICTIONS. No state funds shall be used for abortion referral in public schools, or for abortion services. Funds shall be expended in accordance with Arkansas Code Annotated § 6-18-703.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010."

And

Appropriately renumber subsequent SECTIONS of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 291 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 705 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 705

Amend Senate Bill No. 705 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 26 through 28 in their entirety and substitute the following:

"Department of Education Public School Fund Account, for grants and aid to local school districts for the International Baccalaureate Program by the Department of Education for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the sum of . . . . . .$75,000."

And

Add a new SECTION immediately following SECTION 1 to read as follows:

"SECTION 2. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE

ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. MANDATORY FUNDING PROVISION. The Department of Education shall allocate, budget and commit for expenditure funds available in the Department of Education Public School Fund Account and the Educational Adequacy Fund in the amount of seventy-five thousand dollars ($75,000) to provide funding for grants and aid to local school districts for the International Baccalaureate Program as appropriated in SECTION 1 of this act.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010."

And

Appropriately renumber subsequent SECTIONS of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read for the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 705 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 46 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 46

Amend Senate Bill No. 46 as originally introduced:

Page 2 line 31 delete "16,000" and substitute "41,000"

AND

Page 2 line 34 delete "$ 240,919" and substitute "$ 265,919"

AND

Immediately following SECTION 3 insert the following new section:

" SECTION 4. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. PROFESSIONAL FEES. Twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000) of the available appropriation in the Professional Fees Line Item of this Act shall be made available to the board for the purpose of contracting an independent or private investigator to perform any investigative task as needed or may be required by law.

Physical Therapy board members may not act as investigators nor do investigative work required by the board."

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent sections of this act.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 46 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 276 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 276

Amend Senate Bill No. 276 as originally introduced:

Page 2, insert an additional item between item number 4 and item number 5 to read as follows:

" (5)	G101C	DHS AREA MANAGER	10	GRADE C129"

AND

Page 2, delete line 10 in its entirety

AND

Page 3, delete line 9, line 10, and line 11 in their entirety and substitute the following:

" (41)	C075C	DHS PROGRAM ASSISTANT	193	GRADE C110
(42)	C073C	ADMINISTRATIVE SPECIALIST II	4	GRADE C109
(43)	C066C	PATIENT ACCOUNT SPECIALIST	2	GRADE C109"

AND

Appropriately renumber all ITEM NUMBERS in SECTION 1

AND

Delete SECTION 3 of the bill in its entirety and substitute the following:
" SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of Children and Family Services, to be payable from the paying account as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Human Services - Division of Children and Family Services for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010
(01) REGULAR SALARIES	$ 39,527,340
(02) EXTRA HELP	175,000
(03) PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	13,490,692
(04) OVERTIME	5,000
(05) MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A) OPER. EXPENSE	10,026,003
(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	30,000
(C) PROF. FEES	11,846,888
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	0
(E) DATA PROC.	0
(06) AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT OF 2009	984,760
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	$ 76,085,683"

AND

Page 4, delete line 17, line 18, and line 19 in their entirety and substitute the following:

"(01) STATE RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT	$ 1,330,000
(02) FOSTER CARE	17,296,516
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	$ 18,626,516"

AND

Page 4, delete line 30 in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(01) TANF/FOSTER CARE	$ 39,703,936
(02) TANF/FOSTER CARE - ARRA OF 2009	2,002,318
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	$ 41,706,254".

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 276 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 278 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 278

Amend Senate Bill No. 278 as originally introduced:

Page 2, insert additional items between item number 6 and item number 7 to read as follows:

“	(7)	E015C	SPECIAL EDUCATION SUPERVISOR	1	GRADE C123
	(8)	E016C	PUBLIC SCHOOL PROGRAM COORD	1	GRADE C123”

AND

Page 2, line 11, delete “9” and substitute “7”

AND

Page 2, insert additional items between item number 9 and item number 10 to read as follows:

"	(10)	L033C	PSYCHOLOGICAL EXAMINER	1	GRADE C121
	(11)	E026C	EDUCATION & INSTRUCTION COORD	1	GRADE C120"

AND

Page 3, line 4, delete "159" and substitute "161"

AND

Appropriately renumber all ITEM NUMBERS in SECTION 1

AND

Page 3, line 24, delete "5,796,268" and substitute "5,993,093"

AND

Page 3, line 26, delete "1,936,222" and substitute "1,985,429"

AND

Page 3, line 29, delete "2,966,258" and substitute "3,148,933"

AND

Page 3, line 32, delete " 0 " and substitute "167,325"

AND

Page 3, line 34, delete "$ 11,147,952" and substitute "$ 11,743,984"

AND

Page 4, line 31, delete "$ 19,675,113" and substitute "$ 20,750,113"

AND

Insert an additional section immediately following SECTION 12 to read as follows:
" SECTION 13. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. REGULAR SALARIES - CONTINGENT EDUCATIONAL SERVICES POSITIONS. If it has been determined by the Director of the Department of Human Services that the Division of Youth Services cannot continue a contract with a private provider for educational services and deems it necessary to utilize Division staff to provide the required educational services, the Division is authorized, to seek the approval of the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, the Governor and the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee, to utilize the contingent educational services positions contained in this Act and to make the appropriate transfers from the Residential Services Appropriation line item contained in this Act to Regular Salaries, Personal Services Matching, and various Maintenance and General Operations classifications.

There is hereby established for the Division of Youth Services - Contingent Educational Services Positions for the 2009-2010 fiscal year, the following maximum number of regular employees whose salaries shall be governed by the provisions of the Uniform Classification and Compensation Act (Arkansas Code 21-5-201 et seq.), or its successor, and all laws amendatory thereto. Provided, however, that any position to which a specific maximum annual salary is set out herein in dollars, shall be exempt from the provisions of said Uniform Classification and Compensation Act. All persons occupying positions authorized herein are hereby governed by the provisions of the Regular Salaries Procedures and Restrictions Act (Arkansas Code 21-5-101), or its successor.

CONTINGENT POSITIONS - EDUCATIONAL SERVICES

ITEM NO.	CLASS CODE	TITLE	MAXIMUM NO. OF EMPLOYEES	MAXIMUM ANNUAL SALARY RATE FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010
(01)	E004C	SCHOOL PRINCIPAL	1	GRADE C126
(02)	E017C	ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL	2	GRADE C123
(03)	E035C	CERTIFIED MASTERS TEACHER	80	GRADE C119
(04)	E032C	EDUCATIONAL COUNSELOR	3	GRADE C119
(05)	C058C	EDUCATION PARAPROFESSIONAL	34	GRADE C111

GRAND TOTAL CONTINGENT EMPLOYEES 120

If the Division requests continuation of a "Contingent Educational Services Position" position(s) as established herein during the next fiscal year, the position(s) must be

requested as a new position(s) in the Division's budget request.
The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010."

AND

Appropriately renumber all SECTION numbers of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 278 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 289 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 289

Amend Senate Bill No. 289 as originally introduced:

Delete SECTION 3 of the bill in its entirety and substitute the following:
" SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of Developmental Disabilities Services, to be payable from the paying account as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Human Services - Division of Developmental Disabilities Services for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010
(01)	REGULAR SALARIES	$ 78,895,549
(02)	EXTRA HELP	1,089,645
(03)	PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	29,395,645
(04)	OVERTIME	849,302
(05)	EXTRA SALARIES	27,000
(06)	MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
(A)	OPER. EXPENSE	28,102,214

(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	110,615
(C) PROF. FEES	2,478,698
(D) CAP. OUTLAY	3,856,998
(E) DATA PROC.	0
(07) GRANTS/PATIENT SERVICES	6,752,051
(08) FOSTER GRANDPARENTS STIPENDS	289,851
(09) DATA PROCESSING SERVICES	719,883
(10) VOCATIONAL TRAINEES	283,000
(11) CHILDREN AND ADOLESCENT SERVICES	67,529
(12) PURCHASE OF SERVICES	7,924,514
(13) AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT OF 2009	1,078,762 (14)
GRANTS/PATIENT SERVICES - ARRA OF 2009	6,821,238
TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	$ 168,742,494"

AND

Insert an additional section immediately following SECTION 9 of the bill to read as follows:

" SECTION 10. APPROPRIATION - AUTISM TREATMENT AND COORDINATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of Developmental Disabilities Services, to be payable from the Developmental Disabilities Services Fund Account, for grant payments of the Department of Human Services - Division of Developmental Disabilities Services for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM NO.	FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010
(01) AUTISM TREATMENT AND COORDINATION GRANTS AND AID	$ 1,500,000"

AND

Appropriately renumber all SECTION numbers of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 289 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 297 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 297

Amend Senate Bill No. 297 as originally introduced:

Page 3, line 11, delete "42" and substitute "62"

AND

Page 3, line 17, delete "29" and substitute "9"

AND

Delete SECTION 3 of the bill in its entirety and substitute the following:
" SECTION 3. APPROPRIATION - STATE OPERATIONS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Department of Human Services - Division of Behavioral Health, to be payable from the Mental Health Services Fund Account, for personal services and operating expenses of the Department of Human Services - Division of Behavioral Health - State Operations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010
(01)	REGULAR SALARIES	$ 41,872,487
(02)	EXTRA HELP	2,668,889
(03)	PERSONAL SERVICES MATCHING	14,627,517
(04)	OVERTIME	2,086,342
(05)	MAINT. & GEN. OPERATION	
	(A) OPER. EXPENSE	28,483,894
	(B) CONF. & TRAVEL	209,227
	(C) PROF. FEES	9,159,461
	(D) CAP. OUTLAY	500,000
	(E) DATA PROC.	0
(06)	GRANTS/PATIENT SERVICES	16,856,179
(07)	MENTAL HEALTH CTR TRANSFER	2,653,236
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	$ 119,117,232"

AND

Page 9, line 24, delete "$ 21,324,072" and substitute "$ 21,824,072".

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 297 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 308 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 308

Amend Senate Bill No. 308 as engrossed, S3/16/09:
Page 3, line 13, delete "232,201" and substitute "284,586"

AND

Page 3, line 21, delete "$ 3,608,849" and substitute "$ 3,661,234"

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 308 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 390 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 390

Amend Senate Bill No. 390 as engrossed, S3/25/09:
Delete SECTIONS 4 and 5 in their entirety

And

Appropriately renumber subsequent SECTIONS of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 390 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 391 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 391

Amend Senate Bill No. 391 as engrossed, S3/25/09:
Delete SECTIONS 4 and 5 in their entirety
And

Appropriately renumber subsequent SECTIONS of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 391 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 568 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 568

Amend Senate Bill No. 568 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 11, delete "WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN"

AND

Page 1, delete line 12 in its entirety

AND

Page 1, line 13, delete "OF 2007" and substitute "FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010"

AND

Page 1, line 18, delete "SUPPLEMENTAL" and substitute "GENERAL IMPROVEMENT"

AND

Page 1, delete Section 1 in its entirety and substitute the following:
" SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas Public Defender Commission, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, for professional fees, the sum of .....$250,000."

AND

Page 2, delete Section 4 in its entirety and substitute the following:
" SECTION 4. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly, that the Constitution of the State of Arkansas prohibits the appropriation of funds for more than a one (1) year period; that the effectiveness of this Act on July 1, 2009 is essential to the operation of the agency for which the appropriations in this Act are provided, and that in the event of an extension of the Regular Session, the delay in the effective date of this Act beyond July 1, 2009 could work irreparable harm upon the proper administration and provision of essential governmental programs. Therefore, an

emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act being necessary for the immediate preservation of the public peace, health and safety shall be in full force and effect from and after July 1, 2009."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 568 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 626 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2, and Amendment No. 1 was withdrawn.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 626

Amend Senate Bill No. 626 as originally introduced:

Delete SECTION 3 in its entirety and substitute the following:

" SECTION 3. Of those moneys accruing to the 87th Session Projects Account of the General Improvement Fund as set out in Section 2 of this Act, the State Treasurer shall first set-aside $89,247,860. Such funds set-aside and made available under this section shall be used for any project or portion thereof enumerated within subsection (a) or (d) so long as the projects enumerated in subsection (a)(2) through (a)(9) are fully funded by June 30, 2011, but not to exceed the amount set out in subsection (a) for the project. The Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall notify the Arkansas Legislative Council of the release of funds for projects enumerated in subsection (a) at the same time that the Department of Finance and Administration is notified.

(a)(1) For transfers, from time to time, to the various fund and fund accounts in the Revenue Stabilization Law as amended, or for transfers, from time to time, for projects in the Executive Discretionary Division (d), upon approval by the Arkansas Legislative Council or Joint Budget Committee, a sum not to exceed forty million dollars ($40,000,000);

(2) Department of Correction, for lease payments for Department Facilities, $12,500,000;

(3) Department of Education - General Education Division, APSCN - for Repayment of Loan to Teacher Retirement System, $5,800,586;

(4) Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department, for a transfer to the

State Highway and Transportation Department Fund for construction, reconstruction, and improvements of roads, $10,000,000;

(5) Arkansas Agriculture Department, for a grant for expenses associated with land acquisition, construction, habitat restoration, research and maintenance of watershed property around Lake Maumelle in order to continue good water quality for the citizens of Central Arkansas as well as serving the interests of all the citizens of Arkansas in the development of habitat restoration, research and the maintenance of such lands $4,000,000;

(6) Arkansas Building Authority, for maintenance, renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade and repair projects for all state-owned real property, $6,000,000;

(7) Arkansas Agriculture Department, for the Livestock and Poultry Commission for grants for construction and renovation of County and District Fairs, $847,200;

(8) University of Arkansas, for classroom updates, operations, personal services, construction renovations, furnishings, capital outlay, maintenance, equipment and associated costs for the Arkansas School for Mathematics, Sciences and the Arts $1,000,000;

(9) Arkansas Agriculture Department, from funds received from a transfer from the Arkansas Alternative Fuels Development Fund for Dairy Stabilization Program payments, milk production and quality incentives, grants and aid, and maintenance and operating expenses, $9,100,000.

(b) Then the Treasurer of State shall first make monthly allocations on the basis of sixty five and four hundred twenty two thousands percent (65.422%) of the total available funds to the Executive Discretionary Division as set out in subsection (d) and the remainder of the total available funds to the Legislative Division listed in subsection (c). The Legislative Division funds shall be used to provide funds to each project enumerated in (c) of this section in proportion that each project's allocation bears to the total of the allocations of all projects enumerated in subsection (c). During the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the funds made available to the Legislative Division shall be allocated to the various projects enumerated in subsection (c) of this section up to an amount not to exceed 75% of the total funds available for allocation to all projects enumerated subsection (c). The remaining 25% of the funds made available for allocation to the Legislative Division projects enumerated in subsection (c) of this section, or so much thereof as is available, shall be set aside within the Legislative Division of the 87th Session Projects Account and allocated to the Legislative Division projects enumerated in subsection (c) of this section during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2011. Additional funds that may be received by the General Improvement Fund after the projects in subsection (c) have been fully funded shall remain in the General Improvement Fund for such purpose as may be enacted by law, but shall not be a part of the 87th Session Projects Account. Funds made available to the Executive Discretionary Division may be used for any project or portion thereof enumerated within the Executive Discretionary Division but not to exceed the amount set out in subsection (d) for the project. The Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall notify the Legislative Council of the Governor's released funds for projects at the same time that the Department of Finance and Administration is notified.

(c) LEGISLATIVE DIVISION. The Legislative Division shall consist of the following projects and with the maximum allocations as set out herein:

Arkansas Agriculture Department

For Camp Couchdale for improvements to facilities, maintenance, sewer system connection, facility renovation, roof replacement, equipment including but not limited to Heating, Ventilation and Air

Conditioning Units, road re-surfacing and construction of buildings which are used to support statewide Future Farmers of America activities
HB1741.....$100,000
SB644.....$77,000
For grants for personal services, operating expenses, maintenance, construction and renovation costs for State Fair and Livestock Shows
SB509.....$55,000
For grants to County and District Fairs for construction, renovation, maintenance and purchase of equipment
HB1724.....$750,000
For personal services and operating expenses for the Fireboat Training Program
SB632.....$25,000
For the Arkansas Association of Conservation Districts to conduct eight (8) workshops in north

Arkansas to assist people and local governments in chainsaw safety, first aid, evaluating timber salvage potential, reforestation and wildfire hazard mitigation in response to ice storm damage
SB542.....$30,000
For the purpose of reducing the current long term debt associated with the implementation of the Arkansas Boll Weevil Eradication Program
HB1564.....$220,000
For show premiums, refunds, and reimbursements of the Arkansas Agriculture Department - Livestock and Poultry Commission
SB328.....$30,000
Arkansas Crime Information Center
For expenses of the Arkansas Real-Time Scrap Metal Logbook of the Arkansas Crime Information Center
HB1738.....$150,000
Arkansas Department of Aeronautics
For airport improvement grants for construction, renovation, personal services and operating expenses, purchase of equipment and major maintenance
SB651.....$37,000
Arkansas Department of Emergency Management
For construction, renovation, land acquisition, maintenance and operation expenses for buildings, grounds and property
SB645.....$30,000
For grants for Emergency Management Programs for construction, renovation, maintenance and the purchase of equipment
SB689.....$50,000
For grants for emergency services providers for construction, renovation, personal services and operating expenses, purchase of equipment, and major maintenance
SB571.....$10,000
Arkansas Natural Resources Commission
For grants for capital improvements, equipment,

operating expenses and personal services for Fire Protection Services
SB575.....$150,000
For grants for construction, repairs, purchase of equipment, administrative costs, professional fees and services and other related costs associated with airport water line extensions and fire hydrant installations
SB492.....$20,000
For grants for construction, repairs, purchase of equipment, land acquisition, fees, administrative costs, improvements, professional fees and services, and other related costs for water and waste water projects, levee repair, rehabilitation and maintenance projects, flood control and drainage projects, and irrigation projects
SB481.....$250,000
SB512.....$110,000
SB558.....$155,000
SB591.....$200,000
SB615.....$100,000
SB741.....$100,000
For grants to Levee Districts for planning, evaluations, study and action plans when it is determined that a Levee is out of compliance and needs repair
SB340.....$25,000
For regional waste water grants
SB696.....$50,000
For water and sewer improvement grants and assistance
SB585.....$40,000
For grants to cities, counties, planning and development districts, and other eligible entities for land acquisition, improvements, construction, renovation, major maintenance, and purchase of equipment, industrial site development costs including, construction, renovation, and equipment acquisition, development of intermodal facilities, including port and waterway projects, rail spur construction and road and highway improvements, environmental mitigation projects, and construction and improvement of water and sewer systems
SB723.....$50,000
Arkansas Northeastern College
For construction, renovation, major maintenance, maintenance, and purchase of equipment
SB709.....$500,000
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$100,000
Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission
For grants for personal services and operating expenses, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation, and maintenance expenses for Hunters Feeding the Hungry
SB642.....$200,000
Arkansas State Highway and Transportation Department

For grants to counties and municipalities for operating, construction, improvements, renovation and maintenance of public roadways
SB620.....$100,000
Arkansas State University
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$100,000
For the acquisition, reconstruction, remodeling, personal services and operating expenses of heritage sites
SB347.....$1,025,000
For the evaluation, planning and expenses of a Johnny Cash Heritage Site program
SB433.....$50,000
Arkansas State University - Beebe
For renovations of the England classroom center
SB405.....$200,000

For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$100,000
Arkansas State University - Mountain Home
For construction, equipment, maintenance and operation expenses of the Army Reserve Officer Training Corps Climbing Tower project
SB675.....$25,000
For costs associated with constructing, equipping, landscaping, finishing and parking for a community development center
SB487.....$404,000
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$100,000
Arkansas State University - Newport
For capital improvements, operations, construction and renovations to Arkansas State University in Newport, Arkansas
SB472.....$200,000
For Marked Tree Technical Center for costs associated with constructing, equipping, furnishing, landscaping, and other critical costs of a classroom building
SB427.....$46,000
For Marked Tree Technical Center for critical maintenance, library holdings, technology and equipment purchases
SB428.....$46,000
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$100,000
Arkansas Tech University
For the expansion, improvements, equipping, and other associated costs for Arkansas Tech University's McEver Hall
SB652.....$100,000
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical

maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$100,000
Black River Technical College
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$100,000
Bureau of Legislative Research
For committee expenses, operating expenses, per diem and mileage for the Arkansas Blue Ribbon Committee on Highway Finance
SB742.....$200,000
For task force operating expenses and expense reimbursement for members of the Task Force on Racial Profiling
SB693.....$25,000
Cossatot Community College of the University of Arkansas
For construction, equipment, maintenance and operation expense

SB547.....$150,000
For construction, renovation, purchase of equipment, improvements and major maintenance for a Classroom Facility for Mathematics, Science and Astronomy
SB491.....$98,000
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$100,000
Crowley's Ridge Technical Institute
For personal services and operating expenses, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation, and maintenance expenses
SB719.....$40,000
Department of Arkansas Heritage - Arts Council
For grants for personal services, operating, and capital expenses for Arts Councils including expenses for an Artist in Residency Program
SB712.....$50,000
Department of Arkansas Heritage - Historic Preservation
For grants for personal services, operating, construction, renovation, equipping and major maintenance expenses for historic preservation projects
HB1824.....$75,000
For grants for professional fees and operating expenses for planning and implementing statewide exhibits and events
HB1574.....$25,000
For new construction, renovation, improvements, and equipping National Register of Historic Places properties
SB680.....$50,000
For operating expenses and grants associated with historic preservation projects
HB1731.....$50,000
For personal services and operating expenses, costs of Arkansas Civil War Sesquicentennial Commission meetings, expenses associated with a website,

podcast, design and publication of Arkansas Civil War Sesquicentennial materials which would include Arkansas's Black History, costs for a moderated discussion of the legacy and impact of the Civil War in Arkansas telecasted on AETN which also includes Arkansas's Black History, and the cost of other associated activities at the Old State House

HB1574.....$130,765

Department of Arkansas State Police

For constructing and equipping the Winthrop Paul Rockefeller Arkansas State Police Hall of Honor

SB461.....$100,000

SB554.....$200,000

SB573.....$5,000

SB649.....$50,000

For grants and aid for drug task force operations and related programs

SB522.....$75,000

For grants to Police Departments for communication capabilities enhancements and equipment upgrades, including the implementation of a Trunking Radio System

HB1617.....$75,000

Department of Community Correction

For maintenance and operation, personal services, construction and renovation for Drug Courts

SB674.....$769,000

Department of Education

For a grant for improvements to facilities of the Arkansas River Education Services Cooperative

SB692.....$20,000

For a grant to the Arkansas Science Fair Association for personal services, operating expenses, scholarships, prizes and the purchase of equipment for Arkansas regional and/or state science fairs

SB580.....$25,000

For grants for personal services and operating expenses of after school programs for low income and rural school districts providing early childhood development, literacy, physical activity, nutrition, and emergency relief programs for children

SB374.....$142,000

SB724.....$60,000

Department of Education - Arkansas State Library

For a grant for personal services, operating expenses, professional fees and purchase of equipment for the Encyclopedia of Arkansas History and Culture Project

SB479.....$132,000

For a grant to the Books for Arkansas Students' Education (BASE) Program which provides free books about Arkansas' natural, cultural, and political history as well as books by Arkansas writers to public high schools across the state using a point system based on free and reduced lunch statistics

HB1729.....$20,000

For grants to public libraries for personal services and operating expenses, land acquisition, improvements, construction, renovation, major maintenance, and purchase of equipment

SB529.....$25,000

SB550.....$20,000

For statewide grants to public libraries

HB1723.....$750,000

Department of Education - Division of Public School Academic Facilities and Transportation

For personal services, operating expenses, and purchase of equipment for a School Bus Safety Equipment Grant Pilot Program

SB559.....$140,000

Department of Finance and Administration - Disbursing Officer

For a grant to learning facilities and educational programs that promote skill building, physical fitness, character development and life-enhancing values for children through the game of golf

SB617.....$100,000

For construction, equipping, maintenance, operations and personal services of the Arkansas Sports Hall of Fame

SB758.....$75,000

For grants to fire departments

HB1720.....$4,000,000

For grants to the Arkansas Hunger Relief Alliance to support hunger relief efforts throughout the state

HB1740.....$1,000,000

For Planning and Development Grants

HB1725.....$2,000,000

For supplementing the distribution of funds apportioned to each city or incorporated town in the same proportion as authorized in Arkansas Code 19-5-601

HB1719.....$2,500,000

For supplementing the funds made available to each of the seventy-five counties by the same distribution as authorized in Arkansas Code

HB1719.....$2,500,000

For the design, purchase and construction of improvements for the big cat display exhibit, giraffe barn and exhibit, veterinary hospital, design, printing, and installation of educational animal graphics, and general grounds maintenance, as well as other costs associated with equipping or providing for the improvements

SB370.....$350,000

For the North Central Arkansas Economic Development Districts, Inc.

HB1725.....$400,000

For the Northeast Arkansas Economic Development

Districts, Inc.
HB1725.....$50,000
For the Southeast Arkansas Economic Development Districts, Inc.
HB1725.....$576,235
For the Southwest Arkansas Economic Development Districts, Inc.
HB1725.....$225,000
For the West Central Arkansas Economic Development Districts, Inc.
HB1725.....$475,000
For the Central Arkansas Economic Development Districts, Inc.
HB1725.....$650,000

For a grant to the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences for construction, equipping, renovation, improvements, upgrading, and personal, operating and programmatic expenses and materials for a prostate cancer program
HB1405.....$50,000
For a grant to the Arkansas Spinal Cord Commission for construction, equipping, renovation, improvements, upgrading, and personal, operating and programmatic expenses and materials for a spinal treatment program
HB1405.....$125,000
For a grant to the Arkansas Department of Heritage for construction, equipping, renovation, improvements, upgrading, repair, and personal, operating and programmatic expenses and materials for museums
HB1405.....$150,000
For a grant to the Arkansas Educational Television Network for costs associated with construction, equipping, renovation, improvements, upgrading, repair, and personal, operating and programmatic expenses and materials for digital conversion
HB1405.....$100,000
For a grant to the Arkansas Natural Resources Commission for expenses and associated costs for the Sparta Aquifer Project to benefit the state
HB1405.....$50,000
For a grant to SAU - Tech for construction, equipping, renovation, improvements, upgrading, repair, and personal, operating and programmatic expenses and materials for the Fire Academy
HB1405.....$75,000
For a grant to the Department of Human Services Division of Behavioral Health for construction, equipping, renovation, improvements, upgrading, repair, and personal, operating and programmatic expenses and materials for psychiatric residential

treatments centers across the state
HB1405.....$200,000
For a grant for construction, renovation and improvements for a River Trail System
HB1405.....$125,000
For a grant to the University of Arkansas at Fayetteville for personal services and operating expenses, capital outlay and professional fees for recycling and green initiatives
HB1405.....$100,000
For a grant to DHS-Behavioral Health for grants for drug and alcohol addiction prevention and Prevention Resource Centers for personal services and operating expenses, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation and maintenance expenses
HB1405.....$32,000

For a grant the Human Services Department for grants for repairs, technology, training, infrastructure needs and expenses for county hospitals
HB1405.....$2,000
for a grant to U of A Fayetteville for construction, equipping, improvements, maintenance, and operating expenses of the Pryor Center
HB1405.....$50,000
Department of Health
For a grant to an organization dedicated to increasing the awareness of skin cancer by educating Arkansas citizens about the risk, detection, prevention and effective treatment of skin cancer
HB1743.....$20,000
For operating, reimbursement and stipend expenses of the Antony Hobbs, III Task Force on Automated External Defibrillators
HB1288.....$20,000
Department of Higher Education
For grants and aid for the operational costs of the Arkansas Association of Two-Year Colleges Workforce Training Consortium to provide services to two-year colleges statewide
SB439.....$400,000
For operating expenses and personal services for outreach programs to promote awareness of scholarships and grants for scholarships for Historically Black Colleges and Universities
SB682.....$125,000
Department of Human Services
For a grant to a domestic violence shelter for crisis intervention, safe shelter, support services, personal services and operating expenses, and social and legal advocacy services
SB727.....$20,000
For a grant to an organization for training, job readiness, and adult literacy services of former prisoners to be re-introduced into society

SB727.....$15,000
For a grant to an organization for youth summer employment programs for tutoring, mentoring, educational, social, recreational, personal services and operating expenses
SB727.....$15,000
For grants for repairs, technology, training, infrastructure needs and expenses for county
SB532.....$40,000
Department of Human Services - Division of Administrative Services
For grants and assistance to community organizations for maintenance and general operations, personal services, and construction expenses
SB600.....$492,000
Department of Human Services - Division of Aging and Adult Services
For a grant for hospice providers for construction, renovation, personal services, operating, purchase of equipment, and major maintenance expenses
SB577.....$25,000
For a pilot program for the Arkansas Area Agency on Aging to serve week-end frozen home delivered meals to eligible recipients in Arkansas
SB717.....$120,000
For grants for construction, renovation, personal services and operating expenses, purchase of equipment, and major maintenance of Senior Citizen Centers
SB519.....$125,000
SB528.....$80,000
SB556.....$140,000
SB577.....$40,000
SB589.....$50,000
SB593.....$25,000
SB650.....$120,000
For grants for personal services and operating expenses, construction, renovation, and the purchase of equipment to older Arkansan services providers to provide various community-based senior services, including but not limited to, congregate and home-delivered meals, client representation, information and assistance, socialization, adult day care and transportation
SB621.....$60,000
For grants to Area Agencies on Aging for construction, renovation, personal services and operating expenses, purchase of equipment, and major maintenance of Senior Citizen Centers
SB466.....$115,000
Department of Human Services - Division of Behavioral Health
For a grant for Community Mental Health Centers for uncompensated care
HB1658.....$92,000
For a transfer to the Drug Abuse Prevention and Treatment Fund for behavioral health services and community based services to the citizens of the State of Arkansas
HB1605.....$100,000

For a transfer to the Drug Abuse Prevention and Treatment Fund for behavioral health services to the citizens of the State of Arkansas

SB474.....$120,000

SB475.....$227,000

SB590.....$110,000

For an alcohol and drug abuse treatment program capital improvement grant for personal services and operating expenses, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation and maintenance expenses

HB1693.....$150,000

For grants for drug and alcohol addiction prevention and Prevention Resource Centers for personal services and operating expenses, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation and maintenance

SB672.....$500,000

For grants for personal services, maintenance and operating expenses for violence and intervention programs

SB552.....$20,000

For grants to Alcohol Abuse Rehabilitation and Treatment Centers for personal services and operating expenses, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation and maintenance expenses

SB639.....$20,000

For grants to Alcohol and Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Programs and Prevention Resource Centers for personal services and operating expenses, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation and maintenance expenses

SB520.....$202,000

For grants to Alcohol and Substance Abuse Prevention and Treatment Programs, Prevention Resource Centers, Hospice and Handicap Care for personal services and operating expenses, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation and maintenance

SB648.....$320,000

For grants to domestic violence and rape crisis centers for personal services and operating expenses, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation and maintenance expenses

SB531.....$15,000

For maintenance, personal services and operating expenses for grants for prevention and treatment programs, community programs serving disabled individuals, and other community development programs

SB501.....$20,000

Department of Human Services - Division of Developmental Disabilities Services

For grants to community programs serving developmentally disabled individuals for personal services and operating expenses, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation, and maintenance expenses

SB578.....$170,000
SB588.....$100,000
For personal services and operating expenses, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation, and maintenance expenses
SB715.....$50,000
Department of Human Services - Division of Volunteerism
For a grant for a statewide membership-based nonprofit association for continued development to promote and support statewide capacity building and nonprofit workforce development through training for organizational improvements, products and services to improve efficiency, and a network for professional and organizational engagement
SB371.....$50,000
For a grant for personal services and operating expenses to an eligible entity that provides non-profit support throughout the State of Arkansas
HB1775.....$100,000
Department of Human Services - Division of Youth Services
For grants to community based programs and juvenile delinquency prevention programs for personal services and operating expenses, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation, and maintenance
SB606.....$50,000
For grants to community based youth program providers for personal services and operating expenses, construction, improvements, purchase of equipment, renovation, and maintenance expenses
SB687.....$200,000
Department of Parks and Tourism
For grants for construction, renovation, maintenance and purchase of equipment for parks and recreational facilities
HB1730.....$160,000
For grants for equipment, maintenance and operating expenses, construction and personal services for an Aviation Cadet Museum
SB737.....$80,000
For grants to cities and counties for maintenance and operation, construction and personal services for community recreation activities, ball parks, sports complexes and parks
SB716.....$20,000
For grants for interpretive displays, educational materials and operating expenses for historic State parks
SB507.....$20,000
Department of Parks and Tourism - Arkansas History Commission
For a grant to the Black History Commission for grants and aid, personal services and operating expenses for the Curtis H. Sykes Memorial Grant Program
SB562.....$50,000
For programmatic and operational expenses to support the Black History Commission
SB597.....$35,000

Department of Rural Services

For community improvement grants to counties, for operating, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation, and maintenance expenses associated with county fairs and rodeos

SB513.....$25,000
SB586.....$30,000
SB635.....$60,000
SB646.....$35,000
SB722.....$205,000

For Enhanced Community Services Grants

SB463.....$507,000

For grants for construction, renovation, equipping and upgrades of public buildings and facilities owned by Counties, Municipalities or subdivisions

SB510.....$20,000

For grants for maintenance and operations, construction, repairs and equipment for Museums

SB502.....$20,000

For grants for operating expenses, construction and renovations for public libraries in counties with a population of twenty-six thousand (26,000) people or less

SB513.....$35,000

For grants for operating expenses, improvements, renovations and construction for jails in counties with a population of ten thousand (10,000) people or less

SB513.....$100,000

For grants for operating expenses, maintenance, renovation, equipment and improvements for after school programs

SB553.....$10,000

For grants to Arkansas' Boys and Girls Clubs for operating, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation, and maintenance expenses associated with providing youth program activities

SB635.....$25,000
SB646.....$25,000
SB670.....$35,000

For grants to cities and counties for construction, renovation, major maintenance for infrastructure, parking lots, signage, and operating expenses

SB502.....$135,000

For grants to counties, municipalities, or subdivisions thereof, or other eligible entities for operating, construction, improvement, equipment, renovation, and maintenance expenses associated with the provision of fire protection, search and rescue, emergency medical services and emergency management programs

SB523.....$50,000

For grants to counties, municipalities, or subdivisions thereof, or other eligible entities for operating, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation and maintenance expenses associated with the provision of fire protection, search and rescue,

emergency medical services and emergency management programs
SB511.....$150,000
For grants to counties, municipalities, or subdivisions thereof, or other eligible entities for operating, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation, and maintenance expenses associated with public buildings, community centers, memorials, parks, amphitheaters, recreation centers, and cemeteries
HB1727.....$50,000
SB480.....$292,000
SB502.....$305,000
SB541.....$25,000
SB553.....$20,000
SB592.....$200,000
SB611.....$47,000
SB688.....$102,000
SB750.....$40,000
For grants to counties, municipalities, or subdivisions thereof, or other eligible entities for operating, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation, and maintenance expenses associated with public buildings, court houses, community centers, memorials, parks, amphitheaters, recreation centers, and cemeteries
SB679.....$807,000
For grants to counties, municipalities, or subdivisions thereof, or other eligible entities for operating, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation, and maintenance expenses associated with the provision of fire protection, search and rescue, emergency medical services and emergency management programs
SB480.....$201,000
SB502.....$60,000
SB513.....$60,000
SB553.....$50,000
SB560.....$195,000
SB622.....$60,000
SB635.....$25,000
SB646.....$100,000
SB655.....$200,000
SB670.....$53,000
SB722.....$60,000
For grants to eligible entities for operating, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation, and maintenance expenses associated with public buildings, community centers, memorials, parks, amphitheaters, recreation centers, and cemeteries
SB726.....$10,000
For grants to fire departments, counties, municipalities, or subdivisions thereof, or other eligible entities for operating, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation, and maintenance expenses associated with public buildings, community centers, memorials, parks, amphitheaters,

recreation centers, and cemeteries
SB514.....$20,000
SB565.....$212,000
SB586.....$170,000
For grants to fire departments, counties, municipalities, or subdivisions thereof, or other eligible entities for operating, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation, and maintenance expenses associated with public buildings, community centers, memorials, parks, amphitheaters, recreation centers, fire protection and cemeteries
SB570.....$242,000

For grants to fire departments, counties, municipalities, or subdivisions thereof, or other eligible entities for operating, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation, and maintenance expenses associated with public buildings, community centers, memorials, parks, amphitheaters, 30 recreation centers, fire protection
SB473.....$300,000
For grants to fire departments, or counties, or municipalities, or subdivisions thereof, or other eligible entities for operating, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation, and maintenance expenses associated with public buildings, community centers, memorials, parks, amphitheaters, recreation centers, fire protection and cemeteries
SB594.....$322,000
For grants to recreation centers and State Parks for improvements and Americans with Disabilities Act modifications
SB683.....$19,500
Department of Veterans' Affairs
for renovation, repairs and equipment purchases for Veterans' Memorials and Parks
HB1825.....$150,000
East Arkansas Community College
For personal services and operating expenses, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation, and maintenance expenses
SB604.....$250,000
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$100,000
Economic Development Commission
for a feasibility study and engineering report to expand the South Central High Speed Rail Corridor from Texarkana, Arkansas to Memphis, Tennessee
HB1782.....$100,000
For a grant to the Bi-State Metropolitan Planning

Organization to support the development and implementation of regional intermodal freight facilities and operations in the west and northwest regions of Arkansas
HB1749.....$50,000
HB1750.....$325,000
For a grant to the Northwest Arkansas Regional Planning Commission for a feasibility study of a Western Beltway
SB557.....$75,000
For costs associated with construction, improvements and operations for capital expansion of the Arkansas Entertainers Hall of Fame
SB482.....$30,000
For defraying the cost of constructing and operating Senior Citizen Centers
HB1721.....$1,000,000

For expenses associated with the Arkansas River Connection Project
SB497.....$25,000
For expenses of regional mobility authorities to study and develop projects of regional significance
HB1678.....$187,500
For grants to cities for personal services and operating expenses for job training
SB566.....$75,000
For grants to cities, counties, planning and development districts, and other eligible entities for land acquisition, improvements, construction, renovation, major maintenance, and purchase of equipment, industrial site development costs including, construction, renovation, and equipment acquisition, development of intermodal facilities, including port and waterway projects, rail spur construction and road and highway improvements, environmental mitigation projects, and construction and improvement of water and sewer systems
HB1776.....$200,000
SB561.....$12,000
SB587.....$200,000
SB612.....$115,000
SB633.....$100,000
SB647.....$65,000
SB703.....$20,000
SB751.....$250,000
Henderson State University
For equipment, personal services, maintenance and operating expenses, and grants of the Rural Entrepreneurial Initiative
HB1820.....$250,000
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$200,000
Martin Luther King, Jr. Commission
For grants for operating expenses to provide

outreach to schools, colleges and governmental entities to further the legacy of non-violence of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr.
SB690.....$40,000

Mid-South Community College
For maintenance and operating expenses, personal services and construction for the Mid-South Community College
SB605.....$175,000
For personal services and operating expenses, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation, and maintenance expenses
SB718.....$40,000
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$100,000

National Park Community College
For construction, renovation, equipment, personal services, maintenance and operation expense
SB662.....$807,000
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$150,000

North Arkansas College
For construction, renovation, equipment, acquisition, furnishing, personal services, maintenance and operations expenses of the Searcy
SB488.....$25,000
For costs associated with land acquisition, improvements, construction, equipping, operations and maintenance for the Berryville Campus
SB579.....$200,000
For personal services, operations and equipment acquisition expenses of the Northark Agriculture and Rodeo Program
SB488.....$25,000
For the construction, renovation, furnishing and equipping of the Campus Center on the North Arkansas College South Campus
SB488.....$679,000
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$100,000

Northwest Arkansas Community College
For construction, renovation, equipment, furnishing, maintenance and operating expenses
SB697.....$380,000
For energy conserving critical maintenance
SB372.....$125,000
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$100,000

Northwest Technical Institute
For extension of the Collegiate Center parking lot

HB1639.....$18,000
For software licenses and network replacement
HB1639.....$50,000
For acquiring, constructing, renovating, equipping, furnishing, personal services and operating expenses
SB537.....$300,000
Office of Attorney General
For personal services and operating expenses for staffing and implementing a Hot Line for reporting and data collection
SB694.....$50,000
Ouachita Technical College
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$100,000

Ozarka College
For costs associated with construction, renovation, major maintenance and purchase of equipment for capital improvements
SB483.....$250,000
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$350,000
Phillips Community College of the University of Arkansas
For construction, maintenance and operation of the Grand Prairie Center at the Phillips Community College of the University of Arkansas in Stuttgart, Arkansas
SB476.....$100,000
For personal services and operating expenses, construction, improvements, equipment, renovation, and maintenance expenses
SB720.....$40,000
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$100,000
Pulaski Technical College
For construction, improvements, renovation, equipment, maintenance and operations for Pulaski Technical College
SB732.....$105,000
For furnishings, equipment, technology and holdings for the new Little Rock - South library
SB610.....$50,000
For personal services, maintenance and operations, renovation, equipment, construction, improvement, acquisition, upgrade, and repair for the Saline County Career Center at Bauxite
SB443.....$300,000
For security systems implementation and maintenance, maintenance and general operation, personal services, and construction
SB623.....$150,000

For workforce training equipment (aerospace, manufacturing and information technology) at the Pulaski Technical College Business and Industry
SB695.....$50,000
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$100,000
Rich Mountain Community College
For operating expenses, repairs, improvements, major maintenance, and purchase of equipment
SB489.....$196,000
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$300,000
SAU-Tech
For construction and other expenses of a Model Fire Station at the Arkansas Fire Training Academy
SB458.....$580,000

For grants to the Texarkana Area Vocational Center or Air Power School for construction, equipment, infrastructure, personal services and operating expenses
SB548.....$60,000
For the expansion and renovation of existing Arkansas Environmental Academy buildings
HB1784.....$75,000
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$100,000
Secretary of State
For construction, site preparation and maintenance of the Arkansas Fallen Firefighters Memorial on the State Capitol Grounds
SB462.....$50,000
South Arkansas Community College
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$300,000
Southeast Arkansas College
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$100,000
Southern Arkansas University
For constructing, equipping, personal services, maintenance and operating expenses of a Natural Resources Research Center for research of lignite and other natural resources in the State
HB1742.....$75,000
For construction of a University Agriculture Center
HB1501.....$1,000,000
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$150,000
State Athletic Commission
For grants to Boys and Girls Clubs statewide for construction, renovation, maintenance, purchase of

equipment, personal services and operating expenses
HB1726.....$250,000
University of Arkansas
For a grant for expenses to support a partnership between the Winthrop Rockefeller Institute and the University of Arkansas Clinton School of Public Service
SB506.....$150,000
For a two year program to help organizations document and preserve African American burial sites
SB602.....$55,000
For capital improvements and operating expenses for Archeology Survey Stations
SB555.....$50,000
For construction of an auditorium - U of A - Clinton School campus
HB1501.....$80,000

For construction, equipping, improvements, maintenance, and operating expenses of the Pryor Center
HB1679.....$600,000
For construction, renovation, equipment, personal services, maintenance and operation expenses of the Arkansas School for Mathematics, Sciences and the
SB700.....$25,000
For a grant for expenses of the Winthrop Rockefeller Institute
SB506.....$650,000
For improvements, maintenance, operating, and personal services expenses for Garvan Woodland
SB540.....$100,000
For operations, personal services, construction, renovations, capital outlay, maintenance and expenses of the Arkansas School for Mathematics, Sciences, and the Arts
SB630.....$500,000
For personal services, maintenance and operating expenses of the Arkansas Geospatial Image Quality Assessment System, the Arkansas Automated Mapping System and for the creation of state-wide, high resolution digital maps
SB367.....$350,000
For personal services, maintenance and operating expenses of the Special Collections Division of the U of A Library which shall be in addition to any other funds appropriated or allocated
SB366.....$60,000
For scholarships, operations, equipment, improvements and renovations for the Clinton School of Public Service
SB601.....$200,000
For technology equipment and supplies for the education and training of the Arkansas Law Enforcement Community by the Criminal Justice Institute

SB661.....$50,000
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$100,000
University of Arkansas - Arkansas School for Mathematics, Sciences, and the Arts
For classroom updates, equipment and associated costs for the Arkansas School for Mathematics, Sciences and the Arts
SB574.....$25,000
University of Arkansas - Criminal Justice Institute
For equipment and supplies to support the education and training of the Arkansas Law Enforcement Community by the Criminal Justice Institute
SB625.....$100,000
University of Arkansas - Fort Smith
For upgrade, renovation, furnishing, equipment, and expansion of the Boreham Library
SB453.....$760,000
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$100,000
University of Arkansas at Little Rock
For feasibility study, constructing, equipping, furnishing, finishing, personal services and operating expenses at the Benton campus
SB618.....$25,000
For the operation, maintenance, equipment and facilities of the Nanotechnology Center at the University of Arkansas at Little Rock
SB707.....$285,000
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$100,000
University of Arkansas at Monticello
For planning, renovating, constructing, equipping and furnishing a forest resources complex and related infrastructure
HB1561.....$1,330,000
For grants to cities, counties, planning and development districts, and other eligible entities for land acquisition, improvements, construction, renovation, major maintenance, and purchase of equipment, industrial site development costs including, construction, renovation, and equipment acquisition, development of intermodal facilities, including port and waterway projects, rail spur construction and road and highway improvements, environmental mitigation projects, and construction and improvement of water and sewer systems
SB654.....$25,000
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$100,000
University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff
For construction, maintenance, personal services and equipment for a baseball complex

SB713.....$50,000
For providing technical assistance and other resources to establish an agricultural demonstration and outreach center for a vegetable value-added facility
SB713.....$42,000
For the development and construction of a baseball complex
SB685.....$482,000
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$100,000
University of Arkansas Community College at Batesville
For capital improvements, operations, construction and renovations to the University of Arkansas Community College at Batesville, Arkansas
SB471.....$200,000

For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$100,000
University of Arkansas Community College at Hope
For operating expenses, purchasing equipment and educational resources to develop and/or enhance the infrastructure, technology and other resources to improve UACCH student's success
SB490.....$196,000
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$100,000
University of Arkansas Community College at Morrilton
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$100,000
University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences
For a grant to the Arkansas Child Abuse/Rape/Domestic Violence Commission for maintenance and operating expenses and grants for expenses of violence shelters, crisis shelters, child advocacy centers and other programs for abused
SB752.....$114,000
For a grant to the Arkansas Child Abuse/Rape/Domestic Violence Commission for maintenance and operating expenses and grants to child advocacy centers statewide
SB759.....$50,000
For a grant to the Sickle Cell Anemia Task Force for administration, equipment purchase and operating expenses
HB1810.....$57,000
For acquiring, constructing, renovating, equipping, furnishing, personal services and operating expenses of the Northwest Arkansas Satellite Campus
SB518.....$50,000
For construction, maintenance and general operations, equipment and personal services for a

Center for Public Health Law
SB761.....$25,000
For construction, renovation, equipment, furnishings, personal services, maintenance and operating expenses of the Texarkana Area Health
SB549.....$100,000
For expenses and investments for Fay W. Boozman scholarships, for Master and Doctor of Public Health students, of the College of Public Health
SB684.....$50,000
For grants for capital improvements, construction and equipment for adult education and senior clinic services
HB1779.....$150,000
For grants for construction, renovation, equipment, maintenance, furnishing and finishing the Arkansas Children's Hospital new south wing project
HB1735.....$100,000

For grants for construction, renovation, personal services and operating expenses, purchase of equipment, and major maintenance of Area Health Education Centers
SB721.....$25,000
For grants for construction, renovation, personal services and operating expenses, purchase of equipment, and major maintenance of County Cooperative Clinics
SB721.....$25,000
For grants to Child Advocacy Centers for construction, renovation, maintenance, purchase of equipment, and personal services and operating expenses
HB1734.....$200,000
For maintenance, operations and personal services for the Housecall Program of the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences Donald Reynolds Institute on Aging
SB731.....$50,000
For operating and programmatic expenses of the Parents for Inclusive Community Program at the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences
SB729.....$100,000
For personal services and operating expenses of the Arkansas Commission for the Newborn Umbilical Cord Blood Initiative
HB1616.....$250,000
For research and treatment of Autism Spectrum Disorders
SB638.....$100,000
For the Arkansas Child Abuse/Rape/Domestic Violence Commission for statewide grants to crisis centers serving women and children
HB1734.....$200,000
For the Arkansas Child Abuse/Rape/Domestic Violence Commission for statewide grants to domestic violence shelters

HB1734.....$500,000
For the purchase of equipment for the Cancer
SB699.....$50,000
For the purchase of gross anatomy equipment to furnish the gross lab expansion to accomodate 200 students
SB733.....$50,000
For the UAMS Partners for Inclusive Communities for operating expenses and grants for screening, treatment, education and outreach expenses associated with Sickle Cell Anemia
HB1811.....$50,000
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$150,000

University of Central Arkansas
For essential operations of the university as determined by the Board of Trustees, general support for education excellence through scholarships, equipment, technology, community and economic development, and for payment of claims
SB465.....$800,000
For construction/renovation/maintenance/critical maintenance/ equipment/library resources
HB1735.....$300,000
War Memorial Stadium Commission
For cost associated with the renovation and equipping of the War Memorial Press Box
SB383.....$475,000

(d) EXECUTIVE DISCRETIONARY DIVISION. The Executive Discretionary Division shall consist of the following projects and with maximum allocations as set out herein:

Arkansas Agriculture Department	
For grants for the Alternative Fuels Development Program	$10,000,000
For the Arkansas Forestry Commission for a Professional Services Contract for Air Tankers to fight wildfires	$750,000
For the Arkansas Forestry Commission to purchase Fire Fighting Equipment	$2,000,000
For the Livestock and Poultry Commission for grants for construction and renovation of County and District Fairs	$847,200
Show premiums, refunds, and reimbursements of the Arkansas Agriculture Department - Livestock and Poultry Commission	$90,000
For the purpose of reducing the current long term the debt associated with the implementation of the Arkansas Boll Weevil Eradication Program	$6,000,000
For Dairy Stabilization Program payments, milk production and quality incentives, grants and aid, and maintenance and operating expenses	$9,100,000

For a grant for expenses associated with land acquisition, construction, habitat restoration, research and maintenance of watershed property around Lake Maumelle in order to continue good water quality for the citizens of Central Arkansas as well as serving the interests of all the citizens of Arkansas in the development of habitat restoration, research and the maintenance of such lands	$4,000,000
Arkansas Building Authority	
For maintenance, renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade and repair projects for all state-owned real property	$20,000,000
For a transfer to the Sustainable Building Design Revolving Loan Fund to provide loans to agencies, boards or commissions for the Sustainable Building Design Program	$20,000,000
Arkansas Commission on Law Enforcement Standards and Training	
For various maintenance, renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade, and repair projects for all state-owned real property and facilities	$200,000
Arkansas Geographic Information Office	
For Geostor, the core system of the State's Geographic Information System, and to update the State's digital aerial photography database	$1,000,000
Arkansas Natural Resources Commission	
For water, waste management, and river waterway funds statewide	$40,000,000
Arkansas Northeastern College	
For construction of a Nursing and Allied Health building	$1,000,000
For deferred maintenance	$75,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$50,000
To prevent the loss of funding for personal services, operating expenses and economic development grants to support the continuation of the Arkansas Delta Training and Education Consortium initiatives	$415,681
For personal services, operating expenses, and grants to support the continuation of the Arkansas Delta Training and Education Consortium University Center initiatives	$172,137
Arkansas Public Defender Commission	
For professional fees	$250,000
Arkansas Science and Technology Authority	
For Technology Development Grants and Seed Capital Investments	$2,315,438
Arkansas State University	
For construction of an Administration Building - ASU System	$30,000
For construction/replacement of Wilson Hall	$5,000,000
For deferred maintenance	$1,600,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$91,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library	$25,000

holdings - ASU System	
For personal services, operating expenses, and grants to support the continuation of the Arkansas Delta Training and Education Consortium University Center initiatives	$1,544,400
Arkansas State University - Beebe	
For deferred maintenance	$320,000
For renovation of the England center	$1,750,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$75,000
Arkansas State University - Mountain Home	
For construction of a community development center	$1,000,000
For deferred maintenance	$35,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$50,000
Arkansas State University - Newport	
For construction of a classroom building	$1,000,000
For construction/addition to the main building - ASU - Technical Institute - Marked Tree	$200,000
For deferred maintenance	$60,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$50,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings - ASU - Technical Institute - Marked Tree	$50,000
To prevent the loss of funding for personal services, operating expenses and economic development grants to support the continuation of the Arkansas Delta Training and Education Consortium initiatives	$415,681
For personal services, operating expenses, and grants to support the continuation of the Arkansas Delta Training and Education Consortium University Center initiatives	$172,137
Arkansas Tech University	
For construction of an academic classroom facility	$4,000,000
For costs associated with upgrading library software - Ozark Campus	$49,500
For costs associated with upgrading the electrical systems - Ozark Campus	$140,500
For deferred maintenance	$825,000
For deferred maintenance - Ozark Campus	$65,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$60,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings - Ozark Campus	$50,000
Black River Technical College	
For construction of a health sciences addition	$1,000,000
For deferred maintenance	$115,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$50,000
Cossatot Community College of the University of Arkansas	
For construction of a health careers center	$474,960
For deferred maintenance	$100,000
For interior renovations of building C	$111,400
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library	$50,000

holdings	
For roof replacements on building D	$38,140
For technology equipment	$197,500
For technology infrastructure upgrades	$178,000
Crowley's Ridge Technical Institute	
For major maintenance or repair of existing facilities	$100,000
Department of Arkansas Heritage	
For Cultural Regional Arts Grants to non-profit arts organizations for personal services and operating expenses, construction, land acquisition, renovation, major maintenance, and purchase of	$500,000
For grants, maintenance, renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade and repair projects for all state-owned real property and facilities	$1,500,000
For land acquisition/stewardship at the Department of Arkansas Heritage natural areas	$1,441,600
Department of Arkansas State Police	
For capital outlay, purchase of equipment, and expenses for the Arkansas State Police Fleet Rotation Plan	$4,000,000
For construction, repair, and related expenses for the Arkansas Wireless Information Network (AWIN) Building/Tower Replacement	$1,000,002
For the purchase, installation, integration, and related expenses for the Arkansas Wireless Information Network (AWIN) Zone Controller	$4,100,000
For various maintenance, renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade, and repair projects for all state-owned real property and facilities	$500,000
Department of Community Correction	
For General maintenance, renovation, equipment, roof repair and replacement	$750,000
For medical services risk pool funding to cover off-site and/or contracted health care costs and expenses in excess of the annual aggregate cap	$555,000
Department of Correction	
For lease payments associated with debt service on a 948-bed institution at Malvern, a 400-bed addition at the Grimes Unit at Newport, and 862-bed Special Needs Unit and addition to the Ouachita River Unit at Malvern	$12,500,000
For medical services risk pool funding to cover off-site and/or contracted health care costs and expenses in excess of the annual aggregate cap	$6,000,000
For various maintenance, renovation, equipping, construction, expansion, upgrade, improvement and repair projects for all prison facilities	$2,000,000
Department of Education	
For grants to eligible public schools for school recognition awards to be used for nonrecurring bonuses to faculty and staff, nonrecurring expenditures for educational equipment or materials or temporary school personnel by the Arkansas School Recognition Program	$17,784,700

For loan payments to the Teacher Retirement System for the statewide public school computer system	$5,800,586
Department of Education - Arkansas School for the Blind	
For maintenance, renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade and repair projects for all state-owned real property	$500,000
For maintenance, renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade and repair projects for all state-owned real property and facilities, which means the physical plant and related areas owned or operated by the Arkansas School for the Blind including without limitation academic and administrative buildings, dormitories, grounds, lifts and elevators, walkways, utilities infrastructure, and other specialized equipment for students with disabilities related to the facilities	$5,000,000
Department of Education - Arkansas School for the Deaf	
For maintenance, renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade and repair projects for all state-owned real property	$500,000
For maintenance, renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade and repair projects for all state-owned real property and facilities, which means the physical plant and related areas owned or operated by the Arkansas School for the Deaf including without limitation academic and administrative buildings, dormitories, grounds, lifts and elevators, walkways, utilities infrastructure, and other specialized equipment for students with disabilities related to the facilities	$5,000,000
Department of Education - Educational Television Division	
For production, maintenance, renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade, and repair projects for all state-owned real property and facilities	$2,500,000
Department of Finance and Administration - Disbursing Officer	
For major maintenance, renovation, repair or construction to provide contingency appropriation for capital projects	$500,000
For State Motor Vehicle Acquisition	$12,000,000
Department of Health	
For a transfer to the Rural Health Services Revolving Fund for grants to rural communities to improve or stabilize the local health care system, through matching grants to county, local, commercial and non-profit organizations	$970,000
For a transfer to the Rural Physicians Revolving Fund for grants and aid for personal services and operating expenses to encourage medical practices in rural Arkansas	$855,000
For maintenance, renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade, and repair projects for all state-owned real property	$2,000,000

and facilities	
For personal services and operating expenses for the Electronic Health Records System	$4,000,000
For the purchase, administration, and distribution of flu vaccines	$1,500,000
Department of Higher Education	
For allocation by the Director of the Arkansas Dept. of Higher Education, to two-year colleges for economic development incentive grants	$3,000,000
For grants and aid for the operational costs of the Arkansas Association of Two-Year Colleges Workforce Training Consortium to provide services to two-year colleges statewide	$600,000
Department of Human Services - Division of Administrative Services	
For maintenance, renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade, and repair projects for all state-owned real property and facilities department-wide	$10,000,000
Department of Information Systems	
For maintenance, renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade, and repair projects for all state-owned real property and facilities	$10,000,000
Department of Parks and Tourism	
For maintenance, renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade, and repair projects for all state-owned real property and facilities	$5,000,000
Department of Veterans' Affairs	
For construction expenses associated with the Arkansas Veterans' Cemetery at Birdeye	$7,549,278
For major maintenance, renovation, repair and equipment for the Little Rock Veterans' Home	$109,800
Department of Workforce Education	
For equipment upgrade and replacement for Career and Technical Education Programs in Arkansas' high schools, junior high and middle schools and secondary area technical centers or secondary area vocational centers	$2,000,000
For grants and aid by the Arkansas Department of Workforce Education's Arkansas Technical Careers Student Loan Forgiveness Program	$2,000,000
For operating expenses for an internet-based college and career planning system	$700,000
For transfers of or refund to expenditures for capital balances to Northwest Technical Institute, Crowley's Ridge Technical Institute, and Riverside Vocational Technical School for construction, renovation, major maintenance, and purchase of equipment for various capital projects or facility improvements	$2,000,000
Department of Workforce Education - Arkansas Rehabilitation Services	
For technology, maintenance, renovation, equipping, construction, acquisition, improvement, upgrade and repair projects for all state-owned real property and facilities	$1,000,000
East Arkansas Community College	

For construction of a workforce training center	$1,000,000
For deferred maintenance	$55,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$50,000
To prevent the loss of funding for personal services, operating expenses and economic development grants to support the continuation of the Arkansas Delta Training and Education Consortium initiatives	$633,779
For personal services, operating expenses, and grants to support the continuation of the Arkansas Delta Training and Education Consortium University Center initiatives	$172,137
For regional economic development projects and grants	$200,000

Economic Development Commission

For grants to state agencies, cities and counties, and other eligible entities for industrial site development costs including land acquisition, construction, renovation, and equipment acquisition, development of intermodal facilities, including port and waterway projects, rail spur construction and road and highway improvements, environmental mitigation projects, and construction and improvement of water and sewer systems,	$10,000,000
For the cost associated with providing production rebates	$5,000,000
For efforts to promote economic and social development of the regions	$350,000
For economic development projects authorized under Amendment 82 to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas of 1874	$225,000,000
For transfer to the Quick Action Closing Fund to provide incentives to attract new business and economic development to the State	$50,000,000
For providing funding and appropriation for an investment in Arkansas' workforce through training incentives for companies located in Arkansas to upgrade skills of their existing workforce, or for a potential new workforce, and to build capacity within Arkansas to supply on-going training needs of Arkansas companies and to increase participation in the State's school-to-work initiatives	$5,000,000
For providing funding for grants to cities and counties to provide financial assistance necessary to undertake public works projects and/or job training efforts which support private sector job creation opportunities, alleviate conditions which constitute a threat to public health and well-being, or partially defray the costs of providing access to publicly owned industrial parks; and for grants and/or loans for the expansion of the aircraft and aerospace industry; and for grants and/or loans for port and waterway economic development projects; and for grants and/or loans to	$20,000,000

support technology based economic development	
For transfer into the Minority Business Loan Mobilization Revolving Fund to promote the development of minority business enterprises in the State, increase the ability of minority business enterprises to compete for state contracts, and sustain the economic growth of minority business enterprises in the State	$400,000
For transfer to the Innovate Arkansas Fund to provide assistance to start-up technology oriented	$3,000,000
For the allocation by the Executive Director of the Arkansas Economic Development Commission, for activities associated with the implementation of Governor Mike Beebe's Strategic Plan for Economic Development	$500,000
Henderson State University	
For campus renovations	$3,100,000
For deferred maintenance	$600,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$50,000
Mid-South Community College	
For construction of a classroom building	$1,000,000
For deferred maintenance	$112,500
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$50,000
To prevent the loss of funding for personal services, operating expenses and economic development grants to support the continuation of the Arkansas Delta Training and Education Consortium initiatives	$1,529,789
For personal services, operating expenses, and grants to support the continuation of the Arkansas Delta Training and Education Consortium University Center initiatives	$353,925
National Park Community College	
For deferred maintenance	$155,000
For infrastructure improvements	$1,000,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$50,000
North Arkansas College	
For construction of a campus center	$1,000,000
For deferred maintenance	$155,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$50,000
Northwest Arkansas Community College	
For construction of a Global Business Development center	$997,320
For critical maintenance and energy conservation	$1,252,680
For deferred maintenance	$100,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$75,000
Northwest Technical Institute	
For major maintenance or repair of existing facilities	$100,000
Ouachita Technical College	
For construction of a Child Development Laboratory	$738,650

center	
For critical maintenance, renovations, and remodeling	$261,350
For deferred maintenance	$95,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$50,000
Ozarka College	
For construction of the Stone County Classroom and Student Center	$715,500
For deferred maintenance	$80,000
For renovation of the administration building	$86,550
For renovation of the Miller Complex	$197,950
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$50,000
Phillips Community College of the University of Arkansas	
For construction of a classroom/auditorium at the Stuttgart campus	$1,000,000
For deferred maintenance	$390,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$50,000
To prevent the loss of funding for personal services, operating expenses and economic development grants to support the continuation of the Arkansas Delta Training and Education Consortium initiatives	$599,064
For personal services, operating expenses, and grants to support the continuation of the Arkansas Delta Training and Education Consortium University Center initiatives	$172,137
Pulaski Technical College	
For construction of the PTC Arkansas Culinary School	$2,500,000
For deferred maintenance	$140,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$75,000
Rich Mountain Community College	
For construction of a Learning Commons/Auditorium	$1,000,000
For deferred maintenance	$30,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$50,000
SAU-Tech	
For construction of a Career and Workforce Development center	$1,000,000
For construction of a model fire station at the Fire Training Academy	$500,000
For costs associated with the addition of instructional space at the Environmental Academy	$50,000
For deferred maintenance	$260,000
For deferred maintenance for the SAU - Tech - Environmental Academy	$5,000
For deferred maintenance for the SAU - Tech - Fire Academy	$25,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$50,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library	$25,000

holdings for the SAU - Tech - Environmental Academy	
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings for the SAU - Tech - Fire Academy	$25,000
Secretary of State	
For an equipment upgrade of the existing fire alarm system for the State Capitol Building	$168,214
For an upgrade of the existing Electrical Distribution system	$366,766
For continued cleaning, re-pointing and sealing of the remaining surfaces of the State Capitol Building for the purpose of halting further deterioration of the exterior stone surface	$4,470,929
For replacement of damaged sidewalks, addition of lighting to unlit or dark areas, an upgrade of the irrigation system, and landscaping and plantings for the North Entry Promenade I and II of the State Capitol grounds	$471,781
South Arkansas Community College	
For construction of a health sciences building	$1,000,000
For deferred maintenance	$116,500
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$50,000
Southeast Arkansas College	
For deferred maintenance	$71,500
For infrastructure improvements to sewer and plumbing	$482,700
For renovation of Founders Hall	$517,300
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$50,000
Southern Arkansas University	
For construction of a University Agriculture Center	$3,000,000
For deferred maintenance	$630,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$50,000
State Crime Laboratory	
for the purchase of Laboratory Scientific and Security Equipment of the State Crime Laboratory	$500,000
State Military Department	
For construction and renovation of the Civilian Student Training Program's Training and Activity Center	$500,000
For construction of the West Memphis Armory	$2,013,051
For major maintenance, repair and rehabilitation for Armories	$2,000,000
For providing matching funds for Federal monies for construction projects for Camp Robinson	$3,000,000
For renovations to comply with ADA requirements	$750,000
For the Armory Rehabilitation Project Phase III for major maintenance, renovation and repair projects for State Armories	$10,000,000
University of Arkansas	
For classroom updates, operations, personal services, construction renovations, furnishings, capital outlay, maintenance, equipment and associated costs for the Arkansas School for Mathematics, Sciences and the Arts	$2,000,000
For scholarships, operations, equipment, improvements and renovations for the Clinton School of Public Service	$200,000

For construction of a Biotechnology and Plant Genomics building	$4,500,000
For construction of a Criminal Justice Institute building - U of A - Criminal Justice Institute	$100,000
For construction of a multi-purpose building for the U of A - Arkansas School for Mathematics, Science, and the Arts	$350,000
For construction of a nanotechnology research center for the U of A - Fayetteville	$8,000,000
For construction of an auditorium - U of A - Clinton School campus	$100,000
For deferred maintenance - U of A - Archeological Survey	$20,000
For deferred maintenance - U of A - Division of Agriculture	$600,000
For deferred maintenance - U of A - Fayetteville	$4,000,000
For deferred maintenance - U of A - System	$15,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings - U of A - Archeological Survey	$25,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings - U of A - Arkansas School for Mathematics, Science, and the Arts	$50,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings - U of A - Clinton School	$25,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings - U of A - Criminal Justice Institute	$50,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings - U of A - Division of Agriculture	$100,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings - U of A - Fayetteville	$165,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings - U of A - System	$25,000
For technology upgrades at the U of A - System Office building	$30,000
University of Arkansas - Fort Smith	
For deferred maintenance	$500,000
For expansion and upgrade of the library	$2,500,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$52,000
For information technology program related personal services, operating expenses, and grants to support the continuation of the Arkansas Delta Training and Education Consortium University Center initiatives	$386,100
University of Arkansas at Little Rock	
For campus technology infrastructure	$6,000,000
For deferred maintenance	$1,600,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$91,000
University of Arkansas at Monticello	
For construction of a General Education building at the McGehee technical center	$200,000
For construction of a Workforce/Collegiate center at the Crossett technical center	$200,000
For construction of the Forest Resources complex	$2,134,143
For costs associated with a new telephone system	$250,000
For deferred maintenance	$600,000
For deferred maintenance - U of A - Monticello -	$30,000

College of Technology - Crossett	
For deferred maintenance - U of A - Monticello - College of Technology - McGehee	$10,000
For renovation of the math and science center	$165,857
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$50,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings - U of A - Monticello - College of Technology - Crossett	$50,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings - U of A - Monticello - College of Technology - McGehee	$50,000
For technology infrastructure and recabling of campus buildings	$300,000
For technology infrastructure and wireless access equipment	$150,000
University of Arkansas at Pine Bluff	
For campus renovations and repairs	$3,000,000
For deferred maintenance	$560,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library Holdings	$50,000
For personal services, operating and other expenses associated with establishing the Sweet Potato Foundation Seed Program	$400,000
University of Arkansas Community College at Batesville	
For construction of a nursing and allied health facility	$1,000,000
For deferred maintenance	$50,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$50,000
University of Arkansas Community College at Hope	
For deferred maintenance	$55,000
For renovation of the Administration/Classroom building	$1,000,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$50,000
University of Arkansas Community College at Morrilton	
For deferred maintenance	$125,000
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$50,000
For the construction of a health, physical education, and recreation building	$1,000,000
University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences	
For deferred maintenance	$3,000,000
For renovation of the Clinical Skills center and sim lab	$2,826,157
For renovation of the Education II building and infrastructure	$1,129,840
For renovation of the Gross Anatomy lab	$2,337,203
For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$100,000
For technology upgrades	$706,800
University of Central Arkansas	
For construction of Science classrooms and labs	$7,000,000
For deferred maintenance	$1,300,000

For replacement/renewal of equipment and library holdings	$110,000
War Memorial Stadium Commission	
For cost associated with the renovation and equipping of the War Memorial Press Box	$5,000,000
Science and Technology Authority	
For Basic Research Grants to fund original innovative investigators for the advancement of scientific or technological knowledge	$2,000,000
For Research Matching Grants to provide state matching funds to leverage federal funds	$3,000,000
For Centers for Applied Technology Grants to support applied technology in areas of advanced materials and manufacturing systems, agriculture, food sciences, environmental sciences, biotechnology, bioengineering, life sciences and information technology	$3,000,000
For Seed Capital Investments in early-stage companies in Arkansas	$1,000,000
For Post-Doctoral Scientist and Engineering Grants to Arkansas companies who will be employing qualifying graduates	$500,000
For a transfer to the Arkansas Research Infrastructure Fund for grants for research, research infrastructure and talented researchers	$5,000,000
For a transfer to the Arkansas Risk Capital Matching Fund for technology validation and enterprise development investments	$3,000,000
For maintenance and operations of the Cyberinfrastructure Center for Applied Technology	$7,328,000
University of Arkansas - Division of Agriculture	
For maintenance and general operations, renovation, construction, personal services, equipment, printing and operational expenses	$800,000

SECTION 4. Senate and House bills referenced in Item (c) of Section 3 of this Act as enacted by the 87th General Assembly in Regular Session."

And renumber the subsequent SECTION numbers of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 626 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 627 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 627

JBC 04/03/09(13)

Amend Senate Bill No. 627 as originally introduced:

Insert additional sections immediately following SECTION 6 of the bill to read as follows:

" SECTION 7. Arkansas Code 19-5-401 is amended to read as follows:

19-5-401. Allocations for fiscal year 2009-10.

Commencing with the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2009, and ending June 30, 2010, the Treasurer of State shall transfer all remaining general revenues available for distribution on the last day of business in July 2009, and on the last day of business in each calendar month thereafter during the fiscal year to the various funds and fund accounts participating in general revenues in the proportions of the maximum allocation as the individual allocation to the fund or fund account bears to the total of the maximum allocation as provided in § 19-5-402(a), (b-1), and (b).

SECTION 8. Arkansas Code 19-5-402 is amended to read as follows:

19-5-402. Maximum allocations of revenues for fiscal year 2009-10.

(a) The Treasurer of State shall first make monthly allocations in the proportions set out in this subsection to the funds and fund accounts listed below until there has been transferred a total of four billion four hundred ninety-eight million seven hundred forty-nine thousand one hundred twelve dollars ($4,498,749,112) or so much thereof as may become available; provided, that the Treasurer of State shall make such monthly allocations in accordance with each fund or fund account's proportionate part of the total of all such allocations set forth in this subsection:

PUBLIC SCHOOL FUND	
(1) Department of Education Public School Fund Account	$1,857,702,646
(2) State Library Public School Fund Account	$5,700,000
(3) Department of Workforce Education Public School Fund Account	$32,443,233
GENERAL EDUCATION FUND	
(1) Department of Education Fund Account	$18,242,151
(2) Educational Facilities Partnership Fund Account	$35,000,000
(3) Division of Public School Academic Facilities and Transportation Fund Account	$2,495,777
(4) Educational Television Fund Account	$5,117,422
(5) School for the Blind Fund Account	$6,098,397
(6) School for the Deaf Fund Account	$10,534,766
(7) State Library Fund Account	$3,359,607
(8) Department of Workforce Education Fund Account	$3,061,311
(9) Rehabilitation Services Fund Account	$12,983,955
Technical Institutes:	
(10) Crowley's Ridge Technical Institute Fund Account	$2,597,143
(11) Northwest Technical Institute Fund Account	$2,984,919

(12) Riverside Vocational Technical School Fund Account	$2,228,249
DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FUND	
(1) Department of Human Services Administration Fund Account	$15,714,520
(2) Aging and Adult Services Fund Account	17,476,536
(3) Children and Family Services Fund Account	49,754,958
(4) Child Care and Early Childhood Education Fund Account	566,221
(5) Youth Services Fund Account	48,590,352
(6) Developmental Disabilities Services Fund Account	62,201,375
(7) Medical Services Fund Account	5,022,170
(8) Department of Human Services Grants Fund Account	695,024,425
(9) Behavioral Health Services Fund Account	75,997,600
(10) State Services for the Blind Fund Account	1,894,154
(11) County Operations Fund Account	47,434,342
STATE GENERAL GOVERNMENT FUND	
(1) Department of Arkansas Heritage Fund Account	$6,215,697
(2) Department of Agriculture Fund Account	15,895,249
(3) Department of Labor Fund Account	2,939,456
(4) Department of Higher Education Fund Account	3,326,564
(5) Higher Education Grants Fund Account	34,661,199
(6) Department of Economic Development Fund Account	10,320,258
(7) Department of Correction Inmate Care and Custody Fund Account	287,044,193
(8) Department of Community Correction Fund Account	64,705,787
(9) State Military Department Fund Account	9,620,893
(10) Parks and Tourism Fund Account	22,635,050
(11) Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality Fund Account	4,231,312
(12) Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account	56,596,366
COUNTY AID FUND	$19,741,546
COUNTY JAIL REIMBURSEMENT FUND	$9,500,035
CRIME INFORMATION CENTER FUND	$3,783,144
CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT FUND	$13,014,933
PUBLIC HEALTH FUND	$91,413,273
MERIT ADJUSTMENT FUND	$-
MOTOR VEHICLE ACQUISITION REVOLVING FUND	$-
MUNICIPAL AID FUND	$27,506,526
DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FUND	$62,517,944
DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES FUND	$3,794,185
INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION	
(1) ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY FUND	$56,133,267
(2) ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY FUND	$31,515,157
(3) HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY FUND	$18,805,753
(4) SOUTHERN ARKANSAS UNIVERSITY FUND	$15,525,450
(5) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND	$116,493,818
(6) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND-ARCHEOLOGICAL SURVEY	$2,338,810
(7) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND-DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE	$63,108,556
(8) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND-CLINTON SCHOOL	$2,306,849
(9) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND-CRIMINAL JUSTICE INSTITUTE	$1,834,736
(10) SCHOOL FOR MATH, SCIENCES AND ARTS FUND	$1,118,481

(11) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT FORT SMITH FUND	$20,214,753
(12) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK FUND	$60,051,919
(13) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS MEDICAL CENTER FUND	$98,045,397
(14) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS MEDICAL CENTER FUND - CHILD SAFETY CENTER	$724,125
(15) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS MEDICAL CENTER FUND - INDIGENT CARE	$5,368,417
(16) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO FUND	$15,910,265
(17) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FUND	$25,353,643
(18) UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL ARKANSAS FUND	$52,227,617
(19) ARKANSAS NORTHEASTERN COLLEGE FUND	$8,619,175
(20) ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - BEEBE FUND	$12,104,070
(21) ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - MOUNTAIN HOME FUND	$3,573,054
(22) ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - NEWPORT FUND	$6,021,722
(23) COSSATOT COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND	$3,343,912
(24) EAST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FUND	$5,816,484
(25) MID-SOUTH COMMUNITY COLLEGE FUND	$3,810,388
(26) NATIONAL PARK COMMUNITY COLLEGE FUND	$8,944,008
(27) NORTH ARKANSAS COLLEGE FUND	$8,005,213
(28) NORTHWEST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FUND	$9,832,102
(29) PHILLIPS COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND	$9,107,598
(30) RICH MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE FUND	$3,216,972
(31) SAU - TECH FUND	$5,639,174
(32) SAU - TECH FUND-ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL CENTER	$370,213
(33) SAU - TECH FUND-FIRE TRAINING ACADEMY	$1,659,330
(34) SOUTH ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FUND	$6,023,755
(35) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT BATESVILLE FUND	$4,040,392
(36) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT HOPE FUND	$4,514,058
(37) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT MORRILTON FUND	$4,759,128
(38) BLACK RIVER TECHNICAL COLLEGE FUND	$6,040,647
(39) OUACHITA TECHNICAL COLLEGE FUND	$3,523,327
(40) OZARKA COLLEGE FUND	$2,974,127
(41) PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FUND	$14,378,930
(42) SOUTHEAST ARKANSAS COLLEGE FUND	$5,664,481

(b-1) After making the maximum annual allocations provided for in subsection (a) of this section, the Treasurer of State shall then make allocations from the remaining general revenues available for distribution, as set forth in this subsection, to the funds and fund accounts listed below until there has been transferred a total of fifty-five million four hundred forty-three thousand seven hundred fifty-five dollars ($55,443,755) or so much thereof that may become available; provided, that the Treasurer of State shall make such monthly allocations in accordance with each fund or fund account's proportionate part of the total of all such allocations set forth in this subsection:

PUBLIC SCHOOL FUND

(1) Department of Education Public School Fund Account	$-
(2) State Library Public School Fund Account	$-
(3) Department of Workforce Education Public School Fund Account	$1,000,000

GENERAL EDUCATION FUND

(1) Department of Education Fund Account	$1,000,000
(2) Educational Facilities Partnership Fund Account	$-
(3) Division of Public School Academic Facilities and Transportation Fund Account	$-
(4) Educational Television Fund Account	$-
(5) School for the Blind Fund Account	$-
(6) School for the Deaf Fund Account	$-
(7) State Library Fund Account	$-
(8) Department of Workforce Education Fund Account	$-
(9) Rehabilitation Services Fund Account	$-
Technical Institutes:	
(10) Crowley's Ridge Technical Institute Fund Account	$-
(11) Northwest Technical Institute Fund Account	$-
(12) Riverside Vocational Technical School Fund Account	$-

DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FUND	
(1) Department of Human Services Administration Fund Account	$-
(2) Aging and Adult Services Fund Account	-
(3) Children and Family Services Fund Account	-
(4) Child Care and Early Childhood Education Fund Account	-
(5) Youth Services Fund Account	-
(6) Developmental Disabilities Services Fund Account	-
(7) Medical Services Fund Account	-
(8) Department of Human Services Grants Fund Account	4,000,000
(9) Behavioral Health Services Fund Account	-
(10) State Services for the Blind Fund Account	-
(11) County Operations Fund Account	-
STATE GENERAL GOVERNMENT FUND	
(1) Department of Arkansas Heritage Fund Account	$-
(2) Department of Agriculture Fund Account	-
(3) Department of Labor Fund Account	-
(4) Department of Higher Education Fund Account	-
(5) Higher Education Grants Fund Account	-
(6) Department of Economic Development Fund Account	-
(7) Department of Correction Inmate Care and Custody Fund Account	18,908,686
(8) Department of Community Correction Fund Account	9,435,696
(9) State Military Department Fund Account	-
(10) Parks and Tourism Fund Account	-
(11) Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality Fund Account	-
(12) Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account	-
COUNTY AID FUND	$-
COUNTY JAIL REIMBURSEMENT FUND	$-
CRIME INFORMATION CENTER FUND	$-
CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT FUND	$-
PUBLIC HEALTH FUND	$10,000,000
MERIT ADJUSTMENT FUND	$-
MOTOR VEHICLE ACQUISITION REVOLVING FUND	$-
MUNICIPAL AID FUND	$-
DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FUND	$4,102,605
DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES FUND	$-

INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION	
(1) ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY FUND	$629,722
(2) ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY FUND	$237,636
(3) HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY FUND	$39,984
(4) SOUTHERN ARKANSAS UNIVERSITY FUND	$83,053
(5) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND	$2,181,005
(6) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND-ARCHEOLOGICAL SURVEY	$8,520
(7) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND-DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE	$389,942
(8) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND-CLINTON SCHOOL	$2,150
(9) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND-CRIMINAL JUSTICE INSTITUTE	$8,557
(10) SCHOOL FOR MATH, SCIENCES AND ARTS FUND	$3,756
(11) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT FORT SMITH FUND	$155,016
(12) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK FUND	$454,993
(13) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS MEDICAL CENTER FUND	$729,586
(14) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS MEDICAL CENTER FUND - CHILD SAFETY CENTER	$-
(15) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS MEDICAL CENTER FUND - INDIGENT CARE	$4,286
(16) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO FUND	$41,685
(17) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FUND	$27,490
(18) UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL ARKANSAS FUND	$646,419
(19) ARKANSAS NORTHEASTERN COLLEGE FUND	$424
(20) ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - BEEBE FUND	$132,118
(21) ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - MOUNTAIN HOME FUND	$60,272
(22) ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - NEWPORT FUND	$58,169
(23) COSSATOT COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND	$52,790
(24) EAST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FUND	$11,735
(25) MID-SOUTH COMMUNITY COLLEGE FUND	$31,730
(26) NATIONAL PARK COMMUNITY COLLEGE FUND	$49,728
(27) NORTH ARKANSAS COLLEGE FUND	$26,595
(28) NORTHWEST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FUND	$218,151
(29) PHILLIPS COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND	$-
(30) RICH MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE FUND	$22,075
(31) SAU - TECH FUND	$99,263
(32) SAU - TECH FUND-ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL CENTER	$516
(33) SAU - TECH FUND-FIRE TRAINING ACADEMY	$-
(34) SOUTH ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FUND	$35,901
(35) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT BATESVILLE FUND	$74,314
(36) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT HOPE FUND	$6,843
(37) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT MORRILTON FUND	$72,019
(38) BLACK RIVER TECHNICAL COLLEGE FUND	$54,162
(39) OUACHITA TECHNICAL COLLEGE FUND	$47,258
(40) OZARKA COLLEGE FUND	$44,172
(41) PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FUND	$203,220
(42) SOUTHEAST ARKANSAS COLLEGE FUND	$51,515

(b) After making the maximum annual allocations provided for in subsection (b-1) of this section, the Treasurer of State shall then make allocations from the remaining general

revenues available for distribution, as set forth in this subsection, to the funds and fund accounts listed below until there has been transferred a total of thirty-nine million four hundred twelve thousand four hundred ninety-two dollars ($39,412,492) or so much thereof that may become available; provided, that the Treasurer of State shall make such monthly allocations in accordance with each fund or fund account's proportionate part of the total of all such allocations set forth in this subsection:

PUBLIC SCHOOL FUND	
(1) Department of Education Public School Fund Account	$27,847,310
(2) State Library Public School Fund Account	$-
(3) Department of Workforce Education Public School Fund Account	$1,000,000
GENERAL EDUCATION FUND	
(1) Department of Education Fund Account	$557,239
(2) Educational Facilities Partnership Fund Account	$-
(3) Division of Public School Academic Facilities and Transportation Fund Account	$50,584
(4) Educational Television Fund Account	$142,233
(5) School for the Blind Fund Account	$129,777
(6) School for the Deaf Fund Account	$346,580
(7) State Library Fund Account	$103,736
(8) Department of Workforce Education Fund Account	$129,384
(9) Rehabilitation Services Fund Account	$270,081
Technical Institutes:	
(10) Crowley's Ridge Technical Institute Fund Account	$49,248
(11) Northwest Technical Institute Fund Account	$82,534
(12) Riverside Vocational Technical School Fund Account	$74,640
DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FUND	
(1) Department of Human Services Administration Fund Account	$613,583
(2) Aging and Adult Services Fund Account	131,398
(3) Children and Family Services Fund Account	359,418
(4) Child Care and Early Childhood Education Fund Account	9,079
(5) Youth Services Fund Account	63,220
(6) Developmental Disabilities Services Fund Account	888,312
(7) Medical Services Fund Account	92,399
(8) Department of Human Services Grants Fund Account	-
(9) Behavioral Health Services Fund Account	636,170
(10) State Services for the Blind Fund Account	18,477
(11) County Operations Fund Account	1,471,569
STATE GENERAL GOVERNMENT FUND	
(1) Department of Arkansas Heritage Fund Account	$198,349
(2) Department of Agriculture Fund Account	-
(3) Department of Labor Fund Account	141,030
(4) Department of Higher Education Fund Account	68,911
(5) Higher Education Grants Fund Account	-
(6) Department of Economic Development Fund Account	146,586
(7) Department of Correction Inmate Care and Custody Fund Account	-
(8) Department of Community Correction Fund Account	-
(9) State Military Department Fund Account	171,502

(10) Parks and Tourism Fund Account	866,124
(11) Arkansas Department of Environmental Quality Fund Account	98,441
(12) Miscellaneous Agencies Fund Account	-
COUNTY AID FUND	$-
COUNTY JAIL REIMBURSEMENT FUND	$-
CRIME INFORMATION CENTER FUND	$197,022
CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT FUND	$-
PUBLIC HEALTH FUND	$2,457,556
MERIT ADJUSTMENT FUND	$-
MOTOR VEHICLE ACQUISITION REVOLVING FUND	$-
MUNICIPAL AID FUND	$-
DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FUND	$-
DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES FUND	$-
INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION	
(1) ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY FUND	$-
(2) ARKANSAS TECH UNIVERSITY FUND	$-
(3) HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY FUND	$-
(4) SOUTHERN ARKANSAS UNIVERSITY FUND	$-
(5) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND	$-
(6) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND-ARCHEOLOGICAL SURVEY	$-
(7) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND-DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE	$-
(8) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND-CLINTON SCHOOL	$-
(9) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND-CRIMINAL JUSTICE INSTITUTE	$-
(10) SCHOOL FOR MATH, SCIENCES AND ARTS FUND	$-
(11) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT FORT SMITH FUND	$-
(12) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK FUND	$-
(13) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS MEDICAL CENTER FUND	$-
(14) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS MEDICAL CENTER FUND - CHILD SAFETY CENTER	$-
(15) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS MEDICAL CENTER FUND - INDIGENT CARE	$-
(16) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO FUND	$-
(17) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT PINE BLUFF FUND	$-
(18) UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL ARKANSAS FUND	$-
(19) ARKANSAS NORTHEASTERN COLLEGE FUND	$-
(20) ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - BEEBE FUND	$-
(21) ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - MOUNTAIN HOME FUND	$-
(22) ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY - NEWPORT FUND	$-
(23) COSSATOT COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND	$-
(24) EAST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FUND	$-
(25) MID-SOUTH COMMUNITY COLLEGE FUND	$-
(26) NATIONAL PARK COMMUNITY COLLEGE FUND	$-
(27) NORTH ARKANSAS COLLEGE FUND	$-
(28) NORTHWEST ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FUND	$-
(29) PHILLIPS COMMUNITY COLLEGE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FUND	$-
(30) RICH MOUNTAIN COMMUNITY COLLEGE FUND	$-
(31) SAU - TECH FUND	$-
(32) SAU - TECH FUND-ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL CENTER	$-
(33) SAU - TECH FUND-FIRE TRAINING ACADEMY	$-
(34) SOUTH ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE FUND	$-

(35) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT BATESVILLE FUND	$-
(36) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT HOPE FUND	$-
(37) UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS COMMUNITY COLLEGE AT MORRILTON FUND	$-
(38) BLACK RIVER TECHNICAL COLLEGE FUND	$-
(39) OUACHITA TECHNICAL COLLEGE FUND	$-
(40) OZARKA COLLEGE FUND	$-
(41) PULASKI TECHNICAL COLLEGE FUND	$-
(42) SOUTHEAST ARKANSAS COLLEGE FUND	$-

SECTION 9. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. FUND TRANSFER. Immediately upon the effective date of this act, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall transfer on his books and those of the State Treasurer and the Auditor of the State the sum of sixty one million forty-nine thousand one hundred twelve dollars ($61,049,112) from the General Revenue Allotment Reserve Fund to the General Revenue Fund Account of the State Apportionment Fund to be distributed as all other general revenue.

SECTION 10. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. UNCLAIMED PROPERTY FUND TRANSFER. (a) Immediately upon the effective date of this act, the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State shall direct the Auditor of State to deposit the sum of ten million dollars ($10,000,000) from moneys collected pursuant to Arkansas Code 18-28-213 and which were deposited into the Unclaimed Property Proceeds Trust Fund into the General Revenue Fund Account of the State Apportionment Fund to be distributed as all other general revenue. (b) The deposit shall be made notwithstanding the provisions of Arkansas Code 18-28-213 (c)(2)."

AND

Appropriately renumber all SECTION numbers of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 627 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 195 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 195
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC DEFENDER COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 195 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 195, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 195 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 197 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 197 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 197
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OFFICE OF THE PROSECUTOR COORDINATOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 197 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 197, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 197 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 201 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 201 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 201
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDARDS AND TRAINING FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 201 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 201, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 201 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 266 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 266 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 266
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPUTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEYS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 266 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 266, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 266 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 416 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 416 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 416

As Engrossed: S3/10/09 S3/12/09 S3/25/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - ITS VARIOUS DIVISIONS AND THE ARKANSAS ARCHEOLOGICAL SURVEY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 416 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill..... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 416, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 416 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1120 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1120 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1120

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1120 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill..... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1120, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J.

Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1120 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1138 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1138 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1138

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF

EDUCATION - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1138 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill..... 24

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1138, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1138 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1156 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1156 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1156

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1156 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill..... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1156, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1156 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1192 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1192 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1192

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1192 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J.

Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1192, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1192 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1220 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1220 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1220
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES, OPERATING EXPENSES AND GRANTS FOR THE PURPOSE OF MONITORING AND EVALUATING PROGRAM EXPENDITURES FROM THE PROGRAM ACCOUNTS OF THE TOBACCO SETTLEMENT PROGRAM FUND FOR THE ARKANSAS TOBACCO SETTLEMENT COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1220 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1220, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1220 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1347 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1347 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1347
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1347 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1347, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause..... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1347 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1368 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1368 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1368
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OFFICE OF ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1368 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1368, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1368 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 496 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 496 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 496

As Engrossed: S4/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO OTHER APPROPRIATIONS MADE BY THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO PAY THE ARKANSAS STATE CLAIMS COMMISSION - APPROVED CLAIMS AGAINST THE STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 496 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 496, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause..... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 496 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 603 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 603 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 603

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES - WILDLIFE RECREATION FACILITIES PROGRAM WHICH SHALL BE SUPPLEMENTAL AND IN ADDITION TO THOSE FUNDS APPROPRIATED BY ACT 16 OF 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 603 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 603, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause..... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 603 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 628 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 628 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 628

As Engrossed: S3/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 19, CHAPTER 6, SUBCHAPTERS 2, 3, 4 AND 8 - THE REVENUE CLASSIFICATION LAW OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 628 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 628, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause..... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 628 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 453 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 453 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 453

As Engrossed: S4/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS ALTES, WHITAKER, WILKINSON
BY: REPRESENTATIVES PENNARTZ, BREEDLOVE, RICE, GLIDEWELL, S. MALONE, R. GREEN, PYLE & WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS - FORT SMITH FOR THE UPGRADE, RENOVATION AND EXPANSION OF THE BOREHAM LIBRARY FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 453 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 453, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J.

Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause..... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 453 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 506 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 506 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 506

As Engrossed: S4/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR B. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR EXPENSES OF THE WINTHROP

ROCKEFELLER INSTITUTE FOR THE BIANNUAL STRATEGIC POLICY FORUM, SCIENCE TECHNOLOGY ENGINEERING & MATHEMATICS CONFERENCES, ACCELERATE ARKANSAS INITIATIVES, AND CONSERVATION & SUSTAINABILITY WORKSHOPS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 506 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 506, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause..... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 506 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 666 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 666 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 666

As Engrossed: S4/1/09 S4/1/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BRYLES

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT - LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY FOR A STORAGE FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 666 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 666, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0
Total number of votes cast 34
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause..... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 666 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 724 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 724 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 724
As Engrossed: S4/3/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF CHILD CARE AND EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION FOR AFTER SCHOOL PROGRAM GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 724 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 724, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 724 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1572 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1572 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1572
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES HOYT AND T. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE FOR GRANTS TO CEMETERY ORGANIZATIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1572 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1572, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause..... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1572 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1688 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1688 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1688

As Engrossed: H3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS FOR ELECTION EXPENSES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1688 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1688, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1688 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1725 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1725 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1725

As Engrossed: H3/12/09 S4/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD, G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS,* WILLS, *WOODS & WORD*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT GRANTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1725 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1725, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause..... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1725 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1734 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1734 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1734

As Engrossed: H3/17/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES MALOCH, *ABERNATHY, ADCOCK, ALLEN, BAIRD, T. BAKER, BARNETT, BETTS, BLOUNT, T. BRADFORD, BREEDLOVE, J. BROWN, M. BURRIS, J. BURRIS, CARNINE, CARROLL, CARTER, CASH, CHEATHAM, CLEMMER, COLE, COOK, COOPER, L. COWLING, D. CREEKMORE, DALE, DAVENPORT, DAVIS, J. DICKINSON, DISMANG, DUNN, J. EDWARDS, ENGLISH, EVERETT, FLOWERS, GARNER, GASKILL, GEORGE, GLIDEWELL, R. GREEN, GREENBERG, HALL, HARDY, HARRELSON, HAWKINS, HOBBS, HOPPER, HOUSE, HOYT, D. HUTCHINSON, HYDE, INGRAM, KERR, KIDD, KING, LEA, W. LEWELLEN, LINDSEY, LOVELL, LOWERY, S. MALONE, M. MARTIN, MAXWELL, MCCRARY, MCLEAN, MOORE, NICKELS, NIX, OVERBEY, PATTERSON, PENNARTZ, PERRY, PIERCE, POWERS, PYLE, RAGLAND, RAINEY, REEP, REYNOLDS, RICE, J. ROEBUCK, T. ROGERS, J. ROGERS, SAMPLE, SAUNDERS, SHELBY, SLINKARD,*

G. SMITH, L. SMITH, STEWART, SUMMERS, TYLER, WAGNER, WEBB, WELLS, B. WILKINS, WILLIAMS, WILLS, WOODS & WORD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - ARKANSAS CHILD ABUSE/RAPE/DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COMMISSION FOR STATEWIDE GRANTS TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SHELTERS, CRISIS CENTERS AND CHILD ADVOCACY CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1734 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1734, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause..... 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1734 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1754 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1754 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1754

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLS

BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION FOR THE ARKANSAS TECHNICAL CAREERS STUDENT LOAN FORGIVENESS PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1754 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1754, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0
Total number of votes cast 34
Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1754 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1755 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1755 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1755
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLS
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORITY FOR ORGANIZATION AND OPERATION OF THE CYBERINFRASTRUCTURE CENTER FOR APPLIED TECHNOLOGY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1755 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1755, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1755 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1756 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1756 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1756
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLS
BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1756 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1756, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1756 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1770 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1770 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1770
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES D. CREEKMORE, CASH, NIX, CLEMMER & EVERETT
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - ARKANSAS CHILD ABUSE/RAPE/DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COMMISSION FOR STATEWIDE GRANTS TO DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SHELTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1770 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill..... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1770, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1770 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1772 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1772 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1772

As Engrossed: H3/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES WILLS AND *MALOCH*

BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS LOTTERY COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1772 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1772, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1772 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1784 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1784 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1784

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES REEP, HARDY, MALOCH & G. SMITH
BY: SENATOR G. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE SAU-TECH FOR EXPANSION AND RENOVATION OF EXISTING ARKANSAS ENVIRONMENTAL ACADEMY BUILDINGS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1784 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 34

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill..... 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1784, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....34

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1784 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

April 6, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on April 6, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Concurrent Resolution 010,

Senate Bill No. 063, - ACT 952, Senate Bill No. 791, - ACT 961,

Senate Bill No. 366, - ACT 953,
Senate Bill No. 595, - ACT 954,
Senate Bill No. 614, - ACT 955,
Senate Bill No. 776, - ACT 956,
Senate Bill No. 789, - ACT 957,
Senate Bill No. 790, - ACT 958,
Senate Bill No. 813, - ACT 959,
Senate Bill No. 427, - ACT 960,
Senate Bill No. 820, - ACT 962,
Senate Bill No. 867, - ACT 963,
Senate Bill No. 885, - ACT 964,
Senate Bill No. 896, - ACT 965,
Senate Bill No. 903, - ACT 966,
Senate Bill No. 920, - ACT 967,
Senate Bill No. 934, - ACT 968,
Senate Bill No. 980, - ACT 969,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 43, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

SENATE BILL NO. 100, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

SENATE BILL NO. 204, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

SENATE BILL NO. 592, BY SENATOR WHITAKER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1818, BY REPRESENTATIVE HOYT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN
ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 553, SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 554, SENATOR WHITAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 555, SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 562, SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 571, SENATOR R. THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 572, SENATOR R. THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 573, SENATOR R. THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 574, SENATOR R. THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 575, SENATOR R. THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 576, SENATOR R. THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 577, SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 578, SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 579, SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 580, SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 1:00 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

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RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 6th day of April, 2009 at 1:00 p.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J.D. Lowery
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 585, BY SENATOR CAPPS,
SENATE BILL NO. 587, BY SENATOR CAPPS,
SENATE BILL NO. 588, BY SENATOR CAPPS,
SENATE BILL NO. 589, BY SENATOR CAPPS,
SENATE BILL NO. 590, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 591, BY SENATOR WHITAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 597, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 598, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 599, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 600, BY SENATOR STEELE,
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SENATE BILL NO. 602, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 607, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 609, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 610, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 613, BY SENATOR BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 615, BY SENATOR BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 616, BY SENATOR BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 617, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 618, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 619, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 1:05 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

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(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J.D. Lowery
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 620, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 621, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 622, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 623, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 624, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 625, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 629, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 632, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 633, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 634, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 635, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 636, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 637, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 638, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 642, BY SENATOR WHITAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 645, BY SENATOR TRUSTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 646, BY SENATOR TRUSTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 647, BY SENATOR TRUSTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 648, BY SENATOR TRUSTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 649, BY SENATOR TRUSTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 650, BY SENATOR TRUSTY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 1:10 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

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Governor

(SIGNED) J.D. Lowery
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 439, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 441, BY SENATOR BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 443, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 455, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 456, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 457, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 458, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 461, BY SENATOR GLOVER,
SENATE BILL NO. 462, BY SENATOR GLOVER,
SENATE BILL NO. 472, BY SENATOR WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 474, BY SENATOR WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 475, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 476, BY SENATOR GLOVER,
SENATE BILL NO. 477, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 479, BY SENATOR BRYLES ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 480, BY SENATOR J. TAYLOR,
SENATE BILL NO. 481, BY SENATOR J. TAYLOR,
SENATE BILL NO. 482, BY SENATOR J. TAYLOR,
SENATE BILL NO. 487, BY SENATOR J. KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 489, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:55 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

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RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 6th day of April, 2009 at 10:55 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J.D. Lowery
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 65, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 164, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 182, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 203, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 209, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 345, BY SENATOR HENDREN,
SENATE BILL NO. 367, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 368, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 371, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 372, BY SENATOR HENDREN,
SENATE BILL NO. 374, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 397, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 398, BY SENATOR WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 405, BY SENATOR CAPPS,
SENATE BILL NO. 406, BY SENATOR CAPPS,
SENATE BILL NO. 428, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 433, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 434, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 435, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 436, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:55 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

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(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J.D. Lowery
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 490, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 491, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 492, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 497, BY SENATOR J. TAYLOR,
SENATE BILL NO. 499, BY SENATOR HENDREN,
SENATE BILL NO. 500, BY SENATOR HENDREN,
SENATE BILL NO. 501, BY SENATOR HORN,
SENATE BILL NO. 502, BY SENATOR HORN,
SENATE BILL NO. 503, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 504, BY SENATOR LUKER ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 508, BY SENATOR CAPPS,
SENATE BILL NO. 509, BY SENATOR CAPPS,
SENATE BILL NO. 512, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 513, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 517, BY SENATOR PRITCHARD,
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SENATE BILL NO. 522, BY SENATOR PRITCHARD,
SENATE BILL NO. 523, BY SENATOR PRITCHARD,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 11:10 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

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(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J.D. Lowery
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 527, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 528, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
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SENATE BILL NO. 532, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 533, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 537, BY SENATOR PRITCHARD,
SENATE BILL NO. 538, BY SENATOR FARIS,
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SENATE BILL NO. 541, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 542, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 545, BY SENATOR HORN,
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SENATE BILL NO. 548, BY SENATOR HORN,
SENATE BILL NO. 549, BY SENATOR HORN,
SENATE BILL NO. 550, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 552, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 11:10 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

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(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J.D. Lowery
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 651, BY SENATOR TRUSTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 652, BY SENATOR TRUSTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 653, BY SENATOR TRUSTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 654, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 655, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 656, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 657, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 659, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 661, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 662, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 667, BY SENATOR H. WILKINS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 1:15 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

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SENATE BILL NO. 667

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 6th day of April, 2009 at 1:10 p.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J.D. Lowery
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 668, BY SENATOR H. WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 669, BY SENATOR H. WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 670, BY SENATOR G. BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 672, BY SENATOR H. WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 673, BY SENATOR B. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 675, BY SENATOR J. KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 677, BY SENATOR WILKINSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 678, BY SENATOR WILKINSON,
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SENATE BILL NO. 685, BY SENATOR H. WILKINS,
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SENATE BILL NO. 687, BY SENATOR H. WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 688, BY SENATOR H. WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 689, BY SENATOR H. WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 690, BY SENATOR H. WILKINS,
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SENATE BILL NO. 692, BY SENATOR H. WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 693, BY SENATOR H. WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 694, BY SENATOR H. WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 695, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 1:15 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 733, BY SENATORS ELLIOTT AND D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 737, BY SENATOR LAVERTY,
SENATE BILL NO. 742, BY SENATORS B. JOHNSON AND MILLER,
SENATE BILL NO. 743, BY SENATOR B. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 748, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 752, BY SENATOR P. MALONE,
SENATE BILL NO. 756, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
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SENATE BILL NO. 763, BY SENATOR H. WILKINS
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SENATE BILL NO. 772, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 778, BY SENATOR J. KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 812, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 825, BY SENATOR J. KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 850, BY SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 852, BY SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON &

BOOKOUT,

SENATE BILL NO. 853, BY SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT,

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Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS

CHAIRMAN

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(SIGNED) Marc Harrison
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 699, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 700, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 703, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 704, BY SENATOR P. MALONE,
SENATE BILL NO. 706, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 708, BY SENATOR T. SMITH,
SENATE BILL NO. 709, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 711, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 712, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 713, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 715, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 716, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 717, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 718, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 719, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 720, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 721, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 722, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 727, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 729, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 731, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

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CHAIRMAN

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Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
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REGULAR SESSION

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 854, BY SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT ,
SENATE BILL NO. 855, BY SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 856, BY SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 857, BY SENATORS BROADWAY, SALMON & BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 870, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 876, BY SENATOR WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 889, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 1005, BY SENATOR STEELE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 1:30 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

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ARKANSAS SENATE
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April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 291, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 291 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 968, BY SENATOR STEELE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
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REGULAR SESSION

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1058, BY REPRESENTATIVE CREEKMORE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No. 846 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 912 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 938 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 958 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Joint Resolution No. 3 was returned from the House as concurred in and ordered enrolled.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1993
As Engrossed: H3/31/09 H4/3/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A TWO-YEAR OR FOUR-YEAR COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY TO PROVIDE *ENDORSED CONCURRENT ENROLLMENT* COURSES TO HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS AT A REDUCED TUITION *AMOUNT;* AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1993 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2060
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT SHARE FOUNDATION OF EL DORADO, ARKANSAS, FROM THE SALES AND USE TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2060 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2099
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CLEMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE ADOPTION PROCEDURES IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2099 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2102

As Engrossed: H3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO ALLOW FOR THE CREATION OF A LOW-PROFIT LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 2102 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2129

As Engrossed: H4/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVERETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE CREATION OF *THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE* ON ATHLETIC TRAINING IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2129 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2245

As Engrossed: H3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE *SENTENCE* REVIEW FOR ALL PERSONS SERVING LIFE WITHOUT PAROLE FOR CAPITAL MURDER OR A LIFE SENTENCE FOR A CLASS Y FELONY COMMITTED WHEN THE PERSON WAS UNDER EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2245 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2271

As Engrossed: H4/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS CHILD MALTREATMENT ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2271 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1910
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES INGRAM, LINDSEY & BARNETT
BY: SENATOR D. JOHNSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE CHANGES TO THE EQUITY INVESTMENT INCENTIVE TAX CREDIT; TO ENCOURAGE THE CREATION OF REGIONAL OR COMMUNITY-BASED ALLIANCE FUNDS; TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS; TO SPECIFY THAT THE DECISION TO AWARD A TAX CREDIT IS THE JOINT RESPONSIBILITY OF THE ARKANSAS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION, THE ARKANSAS SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORITY, AND THE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1910 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1203
As Engrossed: H4/1/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOYT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO PROVIDE ACCESS TO HEALTH BENEFITS FOR MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES AND OFFICIALS WHO HAVE RETIRED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1203 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1234

As Engrossed: H4/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 24 TO COORDINATE THE STATE-SUPPORTED RETIREMENT SYSTEMS *REGARDING CONCURRENT EMPLOYMENT TO BENEFIT THE CONCURRENT EMPLOYEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1234 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1078

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR STATE TURNBACK FOR COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1078 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1244
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1244 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1337
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR MAKING PAYMENTS FOR CITY-COUNTY TOURIST FACILITIES AS REQUIRED BY THE CITY-COUNTY TOURIST MEETING AND ENTERTAINMENT FACILITIES ASSISTANCE LAW BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1337 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1385
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1385 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1449
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1449 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1753

As Engrossed: H4/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT PROJECT FUNDING FOR THE ARKANSAS SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1753 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1773

As Engrossed: H3/4/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLS

BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS LOTTERY COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1773 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 107 returned from the House as requested.

Senate Bill No. 107 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Faris.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 2224, BY REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

Senate Bill No. 47 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 81 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 102 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 340 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 730 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1619
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE GEORGE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1619 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1555, BY REPRESENTATIVES BETTS AND COOK,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

Senate Bill No. 697 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 698 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 725 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 726 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 732 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 741 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 749 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 750 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 751 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 561 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 566 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 593 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 604 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 606 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 674 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 683 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 696 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 466 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 510 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 511 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 556 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

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Senate Bill No. 558 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.
Senate Bill No. 559 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 560 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 46, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

SENATE BILL NO. 152, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

SENATE BILL NO. 276, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 278, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 289, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 297, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 308, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 390, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 391, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 568, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 626, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 627, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
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Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 205, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 290, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 705, BY SENATOR SALMON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS

CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 205 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 290 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 705 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JOINT BUDGET.

ARKANSAS SENATE
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April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 377, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1649, BY REPRESENTATIVE KIDD,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1830, BY REPRESENTATIVE B. WILKINS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 6, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1459, BY REPRESENTATIVE NIX,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1711, BY REPRESENTATIVE TYLER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2264, BY REPRESENTATIVE CREEKMORE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 195
SENATE BILL NO. 197
SENATE BILL NO. 201
SENATE BILL NO. 266
SENATE BILL NO. 358
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SENATE BILL NO. 453
SENATE BILL NO. 459
SENATE BILL NO. 496
SENATE BILL NO. 506
SENATE BILL NO. 603
SENATE BILL NO. 628
SENATE BILL NO. 666
SENATE BILL NO. 724
SENATE BILL NO. 807
SENATE BILL NO. 844
SENATE BILL NO. 944
SENATE BILL NO. 965
SENATE BILL NO. 985

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED
TO THE HOUSE AS ADOPTED

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1120

HOUSE BILL NO. 1138
HOUSE BILL NO. 1156
HOUSE BILL NO. 1192
HOUSE BILL NO. 1220
HOUSE BILL NO. 1347
HOUSE BILL NO. 1368
HOUSE BILL NO. 1450
HOUSE BILL NO. 1572
HOUSE BILL NO. 1640
HOUSE BILL NO. 1688
HOUSE BILL NO. 1734
HOUSE BILL NO. 1754
HOUSE BILL NO. 1755
HOUSE BILL NO. 1756
HOUSE BILL NO. 1770
HOUSE BILL NO. 1772
HOUSE BILL NO. 1784
HOUSE BILL NO. 1930
HOUSE BILL NO. 1940
HOUSE BILL NO. 1986
HOUSE BILL NO. 2033
HOUSE BILL NO. 2066
HOUSE BILL NO. 2127
HOUSE BILL NO. 2147
HOUSE BILL NO. 2169
HOUSE BILL NO. 2191
HOUSE BILL NO. 2261

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1623 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1725 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1951 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 1959 AS AMENDED NO. 1 AND NO. 2
HOUSE BILL NO. 2022 AS AMENDED NO. 1
HOUSE BILL NO. 2075 AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILL NO. 2105 AS AMENDED NO. 1 AND NO. 2

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN
HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1007

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 47
SENATE BILL NO. 81
SENATE BILL NO. 102
SENATE BILL NO. 340
SENATE BILL NO. 466
SENATE BILL NO. 510
SENATE BILL NO. 511

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SENATE BILL NO. 741
SENATE BILL NO. 749
SENATE BILL NO. 750
SENATE BILL NO. 751
SENATE BILL NO. 846
SENATE BILL NO. 912
SENATE BILL NO. 938
SENATE BILL NO. 958

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS CONCURRED IN ORDERED ENROLLED
SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE AS REQUESTED
SENATE BILL NO. 107
HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE
AS PASSED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1078
HOUSE BILL NO. 1203
HOUSE BILL NO. 1234
HOUSE BILL NO. 1244
HOUSE BILL NO. 1337
HOUSE BILL NO. 1385
HOUSE BILL NO. 1449
HOUSE BILL NO. 1619
HOUSE BILL NO. 1753
HOUSE BILL NO. 1773
HOUSE BILL NO. 1910
HOUSE BILL NO. 1993
HOUSE BILL NO. 2060
HOUSE BILL NO. 2099
HOUSE BILL NO. 2102
HOUSE BILL NO. 2129

HOUSE BILL NO. 2245

HOUSE BILL NO. 2271

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Tuesday, April 7, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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EIGHTY-SIXTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

April 7, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Whitaker.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Broadway, and without objection, the House was requested to return Senate Bill No. 847 for further consideration.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
ARKANSAS SENATE
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

April 7, 2009

The Honorable Jo Renshaw
Chief Clerk
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Renshaw:

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate, of Senate Bill 847.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 2228, BY REPRESENTATIVE CASH,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 1 and No. 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BARBARA HORN
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 298, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 205, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 6.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 262, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 2

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 291, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass as amended No. 5.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 803, BY SENATOR MADISON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIM LUKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 299, BY SENATOR H. WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 334, BY SENATOR H. BRYLES,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass to concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 2067, BY REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2243, BY REPRESENTATIVE WILLS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR FARIS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Bryles, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of honoring Mr. Michael "Mike" Evans Wilson for his many contributions to the State of Arkansas and his local community in respectful memory.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

Senate Bill No. 847 was returned from the House as requested.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 847 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Faris, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 178 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 847, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS

CHAIRMAN

SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS

SENATOR SHANE BROADWAY

SENATOR J. KEY

SENATOR STEVE BRYLES

SENATOR JOYCE ELLIOTT

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 910 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 910

Amend Senate Bill No. 910 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 32 through 36

AND

Page 2, delete line 1

AND

Page 2, line 2, delete "(3)" and substitute "(2)(A)"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 4 through 6 and substitute:

"make the schedule available to teachers by May 1 of each school year.

(B) Except as provided under subdivision (a)(2)(C) of this

section, a teacher is not required to attend a training or professional development event scheduled under this subdivision (a)(2) if the scheduled date for the event is changed during the period beginning with the day after the last day a teacher is required to work under the teacher's contract and ending on the day before the first day a teacher is required to work under the teacher's contract for the next school year.

(C) Subsection (a)(2)(B) does not exempt a teacher from attending a training or professional development event that is required as a part of a remediation plan that is designed to correct areas identified by administration in an evaluation as not meeting district expectations."

(SIGNED) SENATOR SALMON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 910 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1459 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1459

Amend House Bill No. 1459 as engrossed, H2/20/09:

Page 1, line 10, delete “TEN” and substitute “SEVEN”

AND

Page 1, line 16, delete “TEN” and substitute “SEVEN”

AND

Page 2, line 23, delete “ten (10)” and substitute “seven (7)”

AND

Page 2, line 32, delete “ten (10)” and substitute “seven (7)”

AND

Page 3, line 6, delete “ten (10)” and substitute “seven (7)”

AND

Page 3, line 18, delete “ten (10)” and substitute “seven (7)”

AND

Page 4, line 30, delete “ten (10)” and substitute “seven (7)”

AND

Page 4, line 35, delete “ten (10)” and substitute “seven (7)”

AND

Page 5, line 6, delete “ten (10)” and substitute “seven (7)”

AND

Page 5, line 12, delete “ten (10)” and substitute “seven (7)”

AND

Page 5, line 19, delete “ten (10)” and substitute “seven (7)”

AND

Page 5, line 25, delete “ten (10)” and substitute “seven (7)”

AND

Page 5, line 31, delete “ten (10)” and substitute “seven (7)”

AND

Page 6, line 3, delete “fifth” and substitute “fifth or subsequent”

AND

Page 6, line 4, delete “ten (10)” and substitute “seven (7)”

AND

Page 6, line 27, delete “ten (10)” and substitute “seven (7)”

AND

Page 6, line 30, delete “ten (10)” and substitute “seven (7)”

AND

Page 7, line 23, delete ten (10)” and substitute “seven (7)”

AND

Page 7, line 28, delete "ten (10)" and substitute "seven (7)"

AND

Page 7, line 33, delete "ten (10)" and substitute "seven (7)"

AND

Page 8, line 7, delete "ten (10)" and substitute "seven (7)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR SHANE BROADWAY

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1459 was ordered engrossed.

Senator Smith made a motion to Lay House Bill No. 1459 on the Table. Roll call on Motion.

Motion to Lay House Bill 1459 on the Table:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bookout, Bryles, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Madison, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Trusty, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 22

NEGATIVE: Broadway, Hendren, Whitaker.

Total 3

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bledsoe, Capps, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, P. Malone, B. Pritchard, Teague, R. Thompson.

Total 10

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....25

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

Motion to Lay on the Table Passed.

Motion passed. House Bill No. 1459 was Laid on the Table.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 2264 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 2264

Amend House Bill No. 2264 as engrossed, H3/16/09:

Page 1, delete lines 29 through 31 and substitute:

"If a law enforcement officer has probable cause to believe a person has violated § 5-60-124 or § 5-60-125, the officer may arrest the person without a warrant even if the incident did not take place in the presence of the officer if the officer has probable cause to believe the person has violated the section within the preceding:

(1) Four (4) hours; or

(2) Twelve (12) hours in cases involving physical injury as defined in § 5-1-102(14)."

(SIGNED) SENATOR D. JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2264 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1711 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1711

Amend House Bill No. 1711 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 11 of the Title, delete "REPEATEDLY"

AND

Page 1, line 18 of the Subtitle, delete "REPEATEDLY"

AND

Page 1, line 27, delete "Repeat violations" and substitute "Violations"

AND

Page 1, delete lines 29 through 32 and substitute the following:
"(a)(1)(A) A person who is charged with violating an ex parte order of protection under § 5-53-134 may be ordered as a condition of his or her release from custody to be placed under electronic surveillance at his or her expense until the charge is adjudicated.
(B) A person who is charged with violating a final order of protection under § 5-53-134 may be ordered as a condition of his or her release from custody to be placed under electronic surveillance at his or her expense until the charge is adjudicated."

AND

Page 2, line 4, delete "means" and substitute "means active surveillance"

AND

Page 2, line 5, delete "technology" and substitute "technology worn by or attached to a person that is a single-piece device"

Page 2, line 10, delete "and"

AND

Page 2, delete line 13 and substitute:
"entering;
(4) Is waterproof; and
(5) Can be tracked by either satellite or cellular phone tower triangulation."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1711 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 904 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 904

Amend Senate Bill No. 904 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 28, delete "(a)" and substitute "(a)(1)"

AND

Page 1, line 29, delete "Professional Licensure Standards Board" and substitute "Department of Education"

AND

Page 1, line 30, delete "(1)" and substitute "(A)"

AND

Page 1, line 33, delete "(2)" and substitute "(B)"

AND

Page 1, delete line 34 and substitute the following:

"reports.

(2) The department shall submit the audit report referred in subdivision (a)(1) of this section to the Professional Licensure Standards Board in forms approved by the department."

AND

Page 1, line 35, delete "(b)(1)" and substitute "(b)"

AND

Page 1, line 36, delete "committee." and substitute "committee under its investigative procedures."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 9

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE MARK MARTIN

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 904, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Key, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Key, Senate Bill No. 904 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 904

As Engrossed: H4/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR J. KEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE REVIEW OF LEGISLATIVE JOINT AUDITING COMMITTEE FINDINGS BY THE PROFESSIONAL LICENSURE STANDARDS BOARD FOR TEACHERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 904 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 904 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, Senate Bill No. 955 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 955

Amend Senate Bill No. 955 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete line 24 through 27 and substitute the following language:
"technical career pathway or program of study at a public high school shall be awarded a certificate of attainment which shall be:

(1) Aligned in the appropriate career pathway or program of study; and

(2) Used for consideration of acceptance and advanced placement into an apprenticeship training program."

AND

Page 1, line 30 delete "vocational or technical course" and substitute "vocational or technical career pathway or program of study"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 955, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Crumbly, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, Senate Bill No. 955 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 955

As Engrossed: H4/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CRUMBLY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO STRENGTHEN VOCATIONAL AND TECHNICAL EDUCATION IN PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 955 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 955 was ordered enrolled.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Bookout, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 2228 at this time.

On motion of Senator Bookout, House Bill No. 2228 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1 and Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 2228

Amend House Bill No. 2228 as engrossed, H3/27/09:

Page 13, delete lines 12 through 19 and substitute the following:

"(b) Nothing in § 17-24-301, § 17-24-309, § 17-24-401, or this ~~section~~ chapter with respect to licensure by the State Board of Collection Agencies, or limitations of fees for collection services, shall include or be applicable to attorneys at law licensed to practice in the State of Arkansas who are engaged in rendering legal services for clients in the collection of accounts, debts, or claims, nor shall § 17-24-301, § 17-24-309, § 17-24-401, or this section amend or repeal in any way the exemptions set out in subsection (a) of this section."

(SIGNED) SENATOR BOOKOUT

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 2228

Amend House Bill No. 2228 as engrossed, H3/27/09:

Page 12, delete line 11 and substitute the following:

"accounts, bills, or other forms of indebtedness~~,~~ owed or due or asserted to be owed or due to another or any person, partnership,"

AND

Page 12, delete lines 34 through 36 and substitute the following:

"(8) Attorneys at law ~~handling claims and collections in their own names and not operating a collection agency under the management of a layman or under names other than their own~~ who use their own names or the names of their law firms to collect or attempt to collect claims, accounts, bills or other forms of indebtedness owed to them individually or as a firm;"

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2228 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 968 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 968

As Engrossed: S4/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT A NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION PROVIDING SERVICES TO INDIVIDUALS WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES INCLUDE AN INDIVIDUAL WITH DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES AS A MEMBER OF THE NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION'S BOARD OF DIRECTORS OR OTHER GOVERNING BODY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 968 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 29

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Bledsoe, Broadway, Faris, P. Malone, Miller, Trusty.

Total 6

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 29

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 968 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 964 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 964

As Engrossed: S4/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO ALLOW A PERSON WHO HAS AN ILLNESS THAT CAUSES HAIR LOSS OR IS UNDERGOING TREATMENT FOR AN ILLNESS THAT CAUSES HAIR LOSS TO USE A PRIOR DRIVER'S LICENSE PHOTOGRAPH UNDER LIMITED CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

Senate Bill No. 964 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 964 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 886 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 886
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE PURPOSES FOR WHICH A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT MAY USE THE ANNUAL SAVINGS PRODUCED BY PARTICIPATING IN THE STATE'S BONDED DEBT ASSISTANCE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 886 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 886 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 377 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 377

As Engrossed: S4/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR ELLIOTT

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO PROVIDE A STREAMLINED METHOD TO RESTORE A CITIZEN'S RIGHTS AFTER COMPLETING A CRIMINAL SENTENCE; TO PROVIDE INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE IN SEALING A CITIZEN'S CRIMINAL RECORD; TO PROVIDE FOR PROTOCOLS DESIGNED TO HELP A CITIZEN ACQUIRE PROFESSIONAL OR OCCUPATIONAL LICENSES; TO PROVIDE FOR STANDARDS OF FAIRNESS IN EMPLOYMENT WITH STATE AGENCIES; TO PROVIDE INCENTIVES TO PRIVATE BUSINESSES WHO PARTICIPATE IN A CITIZEN'S RESTORATION PROCESS; TO ASSURE ACCESS TO STATE FUNDING FOR EDUCATION AND JOB TRAINING; TO ASSESS EFFICACY OF A CITIZEN'S RESTORATION OF RIGHTS LAW IN ORDER TO CONSIDER MAINTAINING OR CHANGING THE PROCEDURES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 377 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 377 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS 72201

ROBBIE WILLS, SPEAKER

TIM MASSANELLI, PARLIAMENTARIAN JO RENSHAW, CLERK

April 7, 2009

The Honorable Ann Cornwell
Secretary of Senate
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

The House of Representatives respectfully requests the return to the House, of House Bill No. 1060.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JO RENSHAW
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

House Bill No. 1060 was returned to the House as requested.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

Senate BILL NO. 910, BY SENATOR SALMON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Salmon, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Salmon, Senate Bill No. 910 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 910
As Engrossed: S4/7/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE RATE OF PAYMENT FOR TEACHERS FOR PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT SCHEDULED OUTSIDE OF THE NORMAL BASE CONTRACT PERIOD; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 910 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 910 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 847 at this time.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 847 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

As Engrossed: H3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 847

Amend Senate Bill No. 847 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 28 through 33 and substitute the following language:
"~~to~~ attend school in ~~either~~ the:
(A) School district in which the parent or guardian resides~~,~~;
(B) ~~the~~ School district in which the parent or guardian is at least a half-time employee of a public school~~,~~; or
(C) ~~any~~ Any school district located in the county where the main office of the education service cooperative is located."

AND

Page 2, delete lines 2 through 7 and substitute the following language:
"school in the:
(A) School district in which the parent or guardian resides;
(B) School district in which the parent or guardian is a full-time employee of the public school; or
(C) Any school district located in the county where the main office of the educational service cooperative is located."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 847, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Broadway, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 847 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 847

As Engrossed: H3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A STUDENT TO CONTINUE ATTENDANCE AT A NONRESIDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT IN SOME CIRCUMSTANCES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 847 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 847 was ordered enrolled.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 2228, BY REPRESENTATIVE CASH,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

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On motion of Senator Bryles, House Bill No. 1091 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1091
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO MEET IN EXECUTIVE SESSION ON AN APPEAL OF THE SUSPENSION OR EXPULSION OF A PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Elliott spoke against the Bill

Senator Taylor spoke for the Bill.

Senator Hendren spoke against the Bill.

House Bill No. 1091 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Hendren, Horn, J. Jeffress, J. Key, Miller, B. Pritchard, T. Smith, J. Taylor, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 16

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Broadway, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Madison, Salmon, Steele, R. Thompson, Trusty, H. Wilkins.

Total 15

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: G. Jeffress, Luker, P. Malone, Teague.

Total 4

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 31

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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House Bill No. 1091 was ordered immediately returned to the House as having failed to pass.

The record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1091 failed to pass was expunged, in accordance with a prevailing motion on April 7, 2009.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 2264, BY REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1459, BY REPRESENTATIVE NIX,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator T. Smith, House Bill No. 1459 Laid on the Table.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1711, BY REPRESENTATIVE TYLER ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 2258 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2258
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE COURT TO ORDER A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER, AS A CONDITION OF HIS OR HER RELEASE FROM CUSTODY, NOT TO RETURN TO THE LOCATION WHERE HE OR SHE WAS RESIDING IF THE RESIDENCE WAS LOCATED WITHIN 2,000

FEET OF A SCHOOL, PARK, YOUTH CENTER, OR DAYCARE FACILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2258 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2258 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, House Bill No. 1172 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1172

As Engrossed: H2/5/09 H3/26/09 S4/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES R. GREEN AND J. ROEBUCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO HELP REDUCE CIGARETTE LITTER IN ARKANSAS BY PROVIDING AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR A* BUSINESS THAT PURCHASES A CIGARETTE RECEPTACLE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1172 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1172 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 2231 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2231

As Engrossed: H3/24/09 H3/26/09 H3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE FLOWERS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING NOTARY PUBLIC BONDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 2231 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2231 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1555 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1555

As Engrossed: H3/24/09 S4/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES BETTS & COOK

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY STUDENT GROWTH FUNDING FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1555 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1555 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1058 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1058

As Engrossed: H1/22/09 H1/30/09 H2/06/09 S2/17/09 S4/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE

BY: SENATORS BROADWAY AND *H. WILKINS*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO MODIFY THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS FOR THE OFFENSE OF RAPE WHEN IDENTIFIED GENETIC INFORMATION IS PRESENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1058 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1058 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Key, House Bill No. 2266 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2266

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE LEA

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE QUALIFICATIONS FOR CANDIDATES SEEKING THE OFFICE OF DISTRICT JUDGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2266 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2266 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, House Bill No. 2135 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2135
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLIAMS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS CAMPUS SECURITY ENHANCEMENT ACT; TO ASSIST POSTSECONDARY SCHOOLS IN PREVENTING, PREPARING FOR, RESPONDING TO, AND RECOVERING FROM ACTS OF VIOLENCE ON CAMPUS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2135 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2135 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 1956 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1956
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WORD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS PROJECT GRADUATION COMMISSION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1956 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1956 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Elliott, House Bill No. 2164 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2164
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAINEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE COMMISSION ON CLOSING THE ACHIEVEMENT GAP IN ARKANSAS; TO PROVIDE TRAINING FOR MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION ON CLOSING THE ACHIEVEMENT GAP IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2164 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2164 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1202 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1202
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOYT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAWS PERTAINING TO CREDITED SERVICE FOR PAID AND VOLUNTEER HOURS UNDER THE ARKANSAS LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1202 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1202 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, and without objection, the House was requested to return Senate Bill No. 337 for further consideration.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
ARKANSAS SENATE
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

April 7, 2009

The Honorable Jo Renshaw
Chief Clerk
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Renshaw:

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate, of Senate Bill No. 337.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2270

As Engrossed: H4/1/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: *REPRESENTATIVE SUMMERS*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO AMEND IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 2270 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1234 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1234

As Engrossed: H4/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE TITLE 24 TO COORDINATE THE STATE-SUPPORTED RETIREMENT SYSTEMS *REGARDING CONCURRENT EMPLOYMENT TO BENEFIT THE CONCURRENT EMPLOYEE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1234 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1234 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1203 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1203

As Engrossed: H4/1/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOYT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO PROVIDE ACCESS TO HEALTH*

BENEFITS FOR MUNICIPAL EMPLOYEES AND OFFICIALS WHO HAVE RETIRED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1203 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1203 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 2065 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2065
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENHANCE THE QUALITY OF AD VALOREM TAX DATA USED FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL FUNDING; TO AMEND THE METHODS UTILIZED BY COUNTIES TO REPORT AND REMIT PROCEEDS FROM THE UNIFORM RATE OF TAX; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2065 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 2065, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast..... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2065 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 2003 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2003
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE LOWERY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW PERTAINING TO RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS AND ATTENDANCE AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2003 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE: J. Taylor.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2003 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Miller, House Bill No. 2071 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2071

As Engrossed: H3/17/09 H3/19/09 S4/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HYDE

BY: SENATORS MILLER AND SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO CLARIFY THAT A CONTRACT FOR THE SALE OF REAL PROPERTY DOES NOT CONVEY TO THE BUYER AN INTEREST IN THE MINERAL DEVELOPMENT OF THE REAL PROPERTY UNTIL THE REAL PROPERTY IS CONVEYED BY DEED OR UNLESS AGREED OTHERWISE IN WRITING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

Senator Luker spoke against the bill.

Upon motion of Senator Miller, House Bill No. 2071 was pulled down at this time.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

ARKANSAS SENATE

State Capitol

Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

April 7, 2009

Jo Renshaw
Chief Clerk
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Renshaw:

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate, of Senate Bill No. 1091.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, and without objection, the House was requested to return House Bill No. 1091 for further consideration.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1798 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1798
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE ALL STATE AGENCIES TO POST NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETINGS ON THE INTERNET AT LEAST THREE (3) DAYS BEFORE THE DATE OF THE MEETING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1798 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1798 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bookout, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Bookout, House Bill No. 2228 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2228

As Engrossed: H3/27/09 S4/7/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE CASH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENACT THE FAIR DEBT COLLECTION PRACTICES ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2228 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2228 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 2264 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2264

As Engrossed: H3/16/09 S4/7/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE AN ARREST WITHOUT A WARRANT IF AN INDIVIDUAL'S ABILITY TO PLACE A TELEPHONE CALL IN CERTAIN EMERGENCIES IS HINDERED OR PREVENTED; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2264 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2264 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Baker, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1711 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1711

As Engrossed: S4/7/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES TYLER, NIX, WILLIAMS, B. WILKINS, D. CREEKMORE, T. BRADFORD, PENNARTZ, LEA, RICE AND DALE

BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE PERSONS WHO VIOLATE ORDERS OF PROTECTION TO PAY FOR AND WEAR GLOBAL POSITIONING DEVICES AT ALL TIMES SO AS TO PROTECT THE VICTIM AND ENABLE LAW ENFORCEMENT TO EASILY LOCATE THE OFFENDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Upon motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1711 was pulled down at this time.

House Bill No. 1091 was returned from the House as requested.

Senator Bryles moved that the record pertaining to the vote by which House Bill No. 1091 failed to pass be expunged, the motion was duly seconded and prevailed.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 205 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 6.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 6 to SENATE BILL NO. 205

JBC 04/03/09(12)a.m.

Amend Senate Bill No. 205 as engrossed, S4/6/09:

Following Section 40 add a new section:
"SECTION 41. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. Arkansas Code §22-5-809(c)(1) concerning the distribution of severance taxes to institutions of higher education is amended to read as follows:
(c) (1) Except for application and bid fees, all funds received by the Commissioner of State Lands as fees, compensation, or royalties for leases or permits issued for the taking of any sand, gravel, minerals, or timber for lands owned or held in the name of a state agency ~~or institution~~ shall be special revenues and shall be deposited in the State Treasury and credited to the fund or account from which the agency ~~or institution~~ receives its support and for lands owned or held in the name of a state institution of higher education shall be deposited in the State Treasury and transferred by warrant to the institution of higher education for deposit in the institution's cash fund account established outside the State Treasury."

AND

Appropriately renumber the subsequent sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 262 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 262

JBC 04/02/09(1)

Amend Senate Bill No. 262 as engrossed, S2/3/09:

Page 2, line 10, delete in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(7)	A014C	FISCAL DIVISION MANAGER	1	GRADE C127
(8)	B021C	AGFC DIVISION ASSISTANT CHIEF	10	GRADE C126"

AND

Page 2, delete lines 18, 19, 20, and 21 in their entirety and substitute the following:

"(15)	E013C	EDUCATION PROGRAM MANAGER	1	GRADE C124
(16)	D030C	INFORMATION SYSTEMS COORDINATOR	1	GRADE C124
(17)	B022C	AGFC BIOLOGIST SUPERVISOR	25	GRADE C123
(18)	B046C	AGFC BIOLOGIST PROGRAM SPECIALIS	7	GRADE C123
(19)	T017C	AGFC LIEUTENANT	16	GRADE C123
(20)	B039C	AGFC NATURE CENTER MANAGER	4	GRADE C123”

AND

Page 2, line 26, delete in its entirety and substitute the following:

“(23)	B023C	AGFC BIOLOGIST SPECIALIST	34	GRADE C121”

AND

Page 2, delete lines 29 and 30 in their entirety

AND

Page 2, line 35, delete in its entirety and substitute the following:

"(32)	P013C	PUBLIC INFORMATION COORDINATOR	1	GRADE C120
(33)	B024C	AGFC BIOLOGIST	59	GRADE C119"

AND

Page 3, line 1, delete in its entirety

AND

Page 3, line 7, delete “19” and substitute “23”

AND

Page 3, line 14, delete in its entirety

AND

Page 3, line 25, delete “5” and substitute “6”

AND

Page 4, line 1, delete “1” and substitute “2”

AND

Page 4, line 7, delete in its entirety and substitute the following:

“(76) B101C NATURAL RESOURCES PROGRAM TECHNICIAN 73 GRADE C113
(77) P046C PHOTOGRAPHER 1 GRADE C113”

AND

Page 4, line 16, delete “601” and substitute “611”

AND

Appropriately renumber the Item Numbers in Section 1

AND

Page 4, line 22, delete “hundred seventy (170)” and substitute “hundred eighty five (185)”

AND

Page 4, line 35 delete "$ 25,751,742" and substitute "$ 26,835,033"

AND

Page 4, line 36 delete "700,000" and substitute "875,000"

AND

Page 5, line 1 delete "7,960,653" and substitute "8,699,003"

AND

Page 5, line 4 delete "27,980,762" and substitute "33,324,487"

AND

Page 5, line 5 delete "421,827" and substitute "400,425"

AND

Page 5, line 6 delete "4,170,006" and substitute "3,813,344"

AND

Page 5, line 7 delete "0" and substitute "12,810,071"

AND

Page 5, line 9 delete "999,000" and substitute "1,050,000"

AND

Page 5, line 10 delete "$ 68,868,990" and substitute "$ 88,692,363"

AND

Insert an additional SECTION immediately following SECTION 3 to read as follows:

" SECTION 4. APPROPRIATION – GAS LEASE REVENUES. There is hereby appropriated, to the Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission, to be payable from the Game Protection Fund, for operating expenses, capital projects, acquisition of land and conservation easements of the Arkansas State Game and Fish Commission - Gas Lease Revenues for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2010, the following:

ITEM NO.		FISCAL YEAR 2009-2010
(01)	OPER. EXPENSE	$ 7,000,000
(02)	PROF. FEES	500,000
(03)	CAP. OUTLAY	24,727,000
	TOTAL AMOUNT APPROPRIATED	$ 32,227,000"

AND

Appropriately renumber subsequent section numbers of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 291 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 5.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 5 to SENATE BILL NO. 291

JBC 04/06/09(10)&(23))

Amend Senate Bill No. 291 as engrossed, S4/6/09:

Page 3, insert a new item immediately following Item (67) in SECTION 1 to read as follows:

"(68) ADDITIONAL PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEE HEALTH INSURANCE 15,000,000"

And

Appropriately renumber the subsequent item number in SECTION 1

And

Page 3, line 31, delete "$2,615,533,626" and substitute "$2,630,533,626"
And

Add a new SECTION immediately following SECTION 31 to read as follows:

"SECTION 32. SPECIAL LANGUAGE. NOT TO BE INCORPORATED INTO THE ARKANSAS CODE NOR PUBLISHED SEPARATELY AS SPECIAL, LOCAL AND TEMPORARY LAW. FUNDING PROVISION. Effective for the plan year beginning October 1, 2009, if ninety-eight percent (98%) of the uniform rate of tax used in the calculation of State Foundation Funding Aid for fiscal year 2009-2010 exceeds nine hundred twenty million seven hundred thirty-one thousand eight hundred nineteen dollars ($920,731,819), the Department of Education shall pay up to fifteen million dollars ($15,000,000) of the total increase over the nine hundred twenty million seven hundred thirty-one thousand eight hundred nineteen dollars ($920,731,819) to the Employee Benefits Division of the Department of Finance and Administration in additional health insurance contributions for eligible employees electing to participate in the public school employees' health insurance program administered by the State and Public School Life and Health Insurance Board.

The Department of Education shall make the contributions by transferring funds to the division in quarterly installments.

Funds provided by the Department of Education to the division under this section shall be administered by the board for the benefit of the employee participants of the public school employees' health insurance program.

The provisions of this section shall be in effect only from July 1, 2009 through June 30, 2010."

And

Appropriately renumber subsequent SECTIONS of the bill.

(SIGNED) SENATOR BAKER

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 43 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 43 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 43
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF ACUPUNCTURE AND RELATED TECHNIQUES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 43 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 43, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 43 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 46 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 46 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 46

As Engrossed: S4/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF PHYSICAL THERAPY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 46 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 46, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 46 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 100 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 100 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 100

As Engrossed: S4/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS TEACHER RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 100 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 100, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 100 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 152 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 152 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 152

As Engrossed: S4/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF MEDICAL SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 152 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 152, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 152 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 204 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 204 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 204

As Engrossed: S3/18/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 204 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 204, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 204 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 276 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 276 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 276

As Engrossed: S4/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF CHILDREN AND FAMILY SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 276 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 276, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 276 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 278 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 278 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 278

As Engrossed: S4/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 278 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 278, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 278 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 289 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 289 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 289

As Engrossed: S4/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 289 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 289, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 289 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 297 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 297 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 297

As Engrossed: S4/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 297 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 297, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 297 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 308 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 308 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 308

As Engrossed: S3/16/09 S4/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 308 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 308, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 308 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1078 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1078 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1078
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR STATE TURNBACK FOR COUNTIES AND MUNICIPALITIES BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1078 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1078, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast..... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1078 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1244 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1244 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1244
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1244 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1244, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast..... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1244 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1337 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1337 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1337
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR MAKING PAYMENTS FOR CITY-COUNTY TOURIST FACILITIES AS REQUIRED BY THE CITY-COUNTY TOURIST MEETING AND ENTERTAINMENT FACILITIES ASSISTANCE LAW BY THE OFFICE OF THE TREASURER OF STATE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1337 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1337, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the emergency clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1337 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1385 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1385 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1385
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1385 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1385, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1385 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1449 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1449 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1449
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1449 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1449, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1449 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 390 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 390 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 390

As Engrossed: S3/25/09 S4/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF FOR MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, EQUIPPING, CONSTRUCTION, ACQUISITION, IMPROVEMENT, UPGRADE AND REPAIR PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 390 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 390, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 390 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 391 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 391 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 391

As Engrossed: S3/25/09 S4/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS SCHOOL FOR THE BLIND FOR MAINTENANCE, RENOVATION, EQUIPPING, CONSTRUCTION, ACQUSITION, IMPROVEMENT, UPGRADE AND REPAIR PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 391 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 391, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 391 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 568 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 568 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 568

As Engrossed: S4/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC DEFENDER COMMISSION *FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010*; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 568 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 568, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 568 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 626 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 626 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 626

As Engrossed: S4/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH SESSION PROJECTS ACCOUNT WITHIN THE GENERAL IMPROVEMENT FUND; TO DEFINE THE MONIES TO BE AVAILABLE IN SUCH ACCOUNT; AND TO DEFINE THE PURPOSES FOR WHICH MONIES MAY BE MADE AVAILABLE FROM THE GENERAL IMPROVEMENT FUND SO THAT ADDITIONAL FUNDS CAN BE MADE AVAILABLE FOR THE STATE BUDGET; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 626 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 626, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 626 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 627 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 627 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 627

As Engrossed: S4/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS REVENUE STABILIZATION LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 627 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 627, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 627 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 592 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 592 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 592

As Engrossed: S3/31/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WHITAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 592 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 592, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 592 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1619 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1619 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1619

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE GEORGE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1619 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1619, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1619 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1753 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1753 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1753

As Engrossed: H4/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT PROJECT FUNDING FOR THE ARKANSAS SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AUTHORITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1753 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1753, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1753 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1773 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1773 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1773

As Engrossed: H3/4/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLS

BY: SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS LOTTERY COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2009; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1773 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1773, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1773 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1818 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1818 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1818

As Engrossed: H3/24/09 S4/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOYT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ARKANSAS AGRICULTURE DEPARTMENT FOR DAIRY STABILIZATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1818 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1818, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1818 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Baker, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 205 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 205

As Engrossed: S2/4/09 S2/23/09 S3/23/09 S3/30/09 S4/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 205 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 205, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast..... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 205 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 262 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 262

As Engrossed: S2/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 262 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 262, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 262 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Baker, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 291 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 291

AS Engrossed: S2/23/09 S3/23/09 S3/30/09 S4/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR GRANTS AND AID TO LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 291 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 291, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 291 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Whitaker the Senate recessed until 15 minutes following the conclusion of the Judiciary Committee.

The Senate reconvened after recess. The Secretary called the roll, and a quorum was present.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 138, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3,
BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 47, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 81, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 102, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 340, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 466, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,
SENATE BILL NO. 510, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,
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SENATE BILL NO. 566, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 593, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 604, BY SENATOR LUKER,
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SENATE BILL NO. 674, BY SENATOR MILLER,
SENATE BILL NO. 683, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,
SENATE BILL NO. 696, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,
SENATE BILL NO. 697, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,
SENATE BILL NO. 698, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 725, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT
SENATE BILL NO. 726, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
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SENATE BILL NO. 741, BY SENATOR MALONE,
SENATE BILL NO. 749, BY SENATOR MALONE,

SENATE BILL NO. 750, BY SENATOR MALONE,
SENATE BILL NO. 751, BY SENATOR MALONE,
SENATE BILL NO. 846, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 912, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 938, BY SENATORS D. JOHNSON AND SALMON
SENATE BILL NO. 958, BY SENATOR CAPPS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:45 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

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RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 7th day of April, 2009 at 10:45 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J.D. Lowery
Secretary

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1067
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1067 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1089
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF ARCHITECTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1089 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1126
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1126 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1143
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCLUDE DRUG ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS IN THE DEFINITION OF A POLICE OFFICER AS THAT TERM IS USED TO DEFINE "PUBLIC SAFETY MEMBER" IN THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1143 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1186
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - ADMINISTRATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1186 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1191
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS ABSTRACTERS' BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1191 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1184
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1184 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1257
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES AND FOR GRANTS AND AID TO LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1257 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 2015
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE M. BURRIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO EXEMPT EMPLOYERS AND TRADE ASSOCIATIONS FROM THE ARKANSAS LICENSING REQUIREMENTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2015 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1286
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR TOBACCO PREVENTION AND CESSATION PROGRAMS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1286 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1287
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF COUNTY OPERATIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1287 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1322
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1322 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1436
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1436 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1778
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH SESSION PROJECTS ACCOUNT WITHIN THE GENERAL IMPROVEMENT FUND; TO DEFINE THE MONIES TO BE AVAILABLE IN SUCH ACCOUNT; AND TO DEFINE THE PURPOSES FOR WHICH MONIES MAY BE MADE AVAILABLE FROM THE GENERAL IMPROVEMENT FUND SO THAT ADDITIONAL FUNDS CAN BE MADE AVAILABLE FOR THE STATE BUDGET; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1778 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1736
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS REVENUE STABILIZATION LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1736 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1814
As Engrossed: H3/20/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OFFICE OF LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1814 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1789
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR GRANTS AND LOANS TO DENTAL SCHOOL STUDENTS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1789 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1415
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. HUTCHINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - ARKANSAS CHILD ABUSE/RAPE/DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COMMISSION FOR CHILD ADVOCACY CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1415 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1605
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH AND COMMUNITY BASED SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1605 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1820
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK AND STEWART
BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY FOR EQUIPMENT, PERSONAL SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATING EXPENSES, AND GRANTS OF THE RURAL ENTREPRENEURIAL INITIATIVE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1820 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1782
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1782 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 959 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Capps, Senate Bill No. 959 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 631 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 631 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1288
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1288 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Senate Bill No. 109 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

Senate Bill No. 438 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

Senate Bill No. 612 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

Senate Bill No. 679 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

Senate Bill No. 680 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

Senate Bill No. 194 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 195 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 197 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 201 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 257 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 265 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 266 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 326 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 328 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 347 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 370 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 417 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 418 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 463 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 465 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 471 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 473 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 478 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 483 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 484 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 485 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 488 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 507 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 514 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 565 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 570 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 586 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 594 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 603 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 605 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 611 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 630 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 639 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 644 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 665 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 707 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 714 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 723 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 728 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 747 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 755 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 761 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 2 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 129 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 177 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 180 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 210 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 224 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 228 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 240 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 231 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 440 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 779 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 827 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 921 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 949 returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 337 was returned from the House as requested.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 631, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 959, BY SENATOR CAPPS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass to concur in House Amendment No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN
SENATOR ED WILKINSON,
SENATOR BOBBY GLOVER,
SENATOR STEVE BRYLES
SENATOR KIM HENDREN,
SENATOR GILBERT BAKER

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 205, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 262, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 291, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1626, BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1745, BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2025, BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2099, BY REPRESENTATIVE CLEMMER,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2245, BY REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2270, BY REPRESENTATIVE SUMMERS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1671, BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2160, BY REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass as amended No. 1.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1711 at this time.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1711 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 2.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 2 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1711

Amend House Bill No. 1711 as engrossed, S4/7/09:
Page 2, line 5, delete "shall" and substitute "may"

(SIGNED) SENATOR D. JOHNSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1711 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1671 at this time.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1671 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 1671

Amend House Bill No. 1671 as engrossed, H3/13/09:

Page 10, line 35, delete "thirty-five thousand dollars ($35,000)" and substitute "~~thirty-five thousand dollars ($35,000)~~ forty thousand dollars ($40,000)"

AND

Page 11, line 1, delete "thirty thousand dollars ($30,000)" and substitute "~~thirty thousand dollars ($30,000)~~ thirty-five thousand dollars ($35,000)"

AND

Page 11, line 3, delete "twenty-seven" and substitute "~~twenty-seven~~"

AND

Page 11, line 4, delete "thousand dollars ($27,000)" and substitute "~~thousand dollars ($27,000)~~ thirty-two thousand dollars ($32,000)"

AND

Page 21, line 27, delete "fifty-five" and substitute "sixty-five"

AND

Page 21, line 28, delete "($55,650)" and substitute "($65,650)"

(SIGNED) SENATOR R. THOMPSON

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1671 was ordered engrossed.

On motion of Senator Steele, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 2160 at this time.

On motion of Senator Steele, House Bill No. 2160 was placed back on second reading for purpose of Amendment No. 1.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to HOUSE BILL NO. 2160

Amend House Bill No. 2160 as engrossed, H3/27/09:

Page 1, delete lines 16 and 17 and substitute the following:
"THE ARKANSAS CHILDREN'S IMITATION FIREARMS ACT."

AND

Page 2, line, 18, delete "construed" and substitute "constructed"

(SIGNED) SENATOR TRACY STEELE

The Amendment was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2160 was ordered engrossed.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1711, BY REPRESENTATIVE TYLER ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copies with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1711 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on JUDICIARY.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JUDICIARY, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1711, BY REPRESENTATIVE TYLER,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR ED WILKINSON
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Baker, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1711 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1711

As Engrossed: S4/7/09 S4/7/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES TYLER, NIX, WILLIAMS, B. WILKINS, D. CREEKMORE, T. BRADFORD, PENNARTZ, LEA, RICE & DALE

BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE PERSONS WHO VIOLATE ORDERS OF PROTECTION TO PAY FOR AND WEAR GLOBAL POSITIONING DEVICES AT ALL TIMES SO AS TO PROTECT THE VICTIM AND ENABLE LAW ENFORCEMENT TO EASILY LOCATE THE OFFENDER; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1711 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1711 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

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EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on JOINT BUDGET, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 290, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 705, BY SENATOR SALMON,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 2160, BY REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Steele, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Steele, House Bill No. 2160 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2160

As Engrossed: H3/16/09 H3/20/09 H3/24/09 H3/27/09 S4/7/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ALLEN, *T. BAKER, BLOUNT, DAVIS, J. EDWARDS, W. LEWELLEN, RAINEY, SHELBY, WILLIAMS & WORD*

BY: SENATOR STEELE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO PROTECT THE HEALTH, SAFETY AND WELFARE OF ARKANSAS CITIZENS BY REDUCING THE POSSIBILITY THAT IMITATION FIREARMS ARE MISTAKEN AS REAL FIREARMS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 2160 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Horn, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, Steele, R. Thompson, H. Wilkins.

Total 20

NEGATIVE: Bledsoe, Hendren, J. Key, B. Pritchard, J. Taylor, Trusty.

Total 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Altes, G. Baker, G. Jeffress, Laverty, T. Smith, Teague, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 9

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....26

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2160 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 7, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENGROSSED BILLS, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1671, BY REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the engrossed copy with the original and we find the same correctly engrossed.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Thompson, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1671 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1671
As Engrossed: H3/13/09 S4/7/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE SALARIES OF JUDGES AND OTHER PERSONNEL OF VARIOUS DISTRICT COURTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1671 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1671 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed as amended.

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE

AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 43

SENATE BILL NO. 46

SENATE BILL NO. 100

SENATE BILL NO. 152

SENATE BILL NO. 204

SENATE BILL NO. 205

SENATE BILL NO. 262

SENATE BILL NO. 276

SENATE BILL NO. 278
SENATE BILL NO. 289
SENATE BILL NO. 291
SENATE BILL NO. 297
SENATE BILL NO. 308
SENATE BILL NO. 377
SENATE BILL NO. 390
SENATE BILL NO. 391
SENATE BILL NO. 568
SENATE BILL NO. 592
SENATE BILL NO. 626
SENATE BILL NO. 627
SENATE BILL NO. 886
SENATE BILL NO. 910
SENATE BILL NO. 964
SENATE BILL NO. 968

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1078
HOUSE BILL NO. 1202
HOUSE BILL NO. 1203
HOUSE BILL NO. 1234
HOUSE BILL NO. 1244
HOUSE BILL NO. 1337
HOUSE BILL NO. 1385
HOUSE BILL NO. 1449
HOUSE BILL NO. 1619
HOUSE BILL NO. 1753
HOUSE BILL NO. 1773
HOUSE BILL NO. 1798
HOUSE BILL NO. 1956
HOUSE BILL NO. 2003
HOUSE BILL NO. 2065
HOUSE BILL NO. 2135

HOUSE BILL NO. 2164

HOUSE BILL NO. 2231

HOUSE BILL NO. 2258

HOUSE BILL NO. 2266

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE

AS PASSED AS AMENDED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1058, AS AMENDED NOS. 1 AND 2

HOUSE BILL NO. 1172, AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILL NO. 1555, AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILL NO. 1671, AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILL NO. 1711, AS AMENDED NOS. 1 AND 2

HOUSE BILL NO. 1818, AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILL NO. 2160, AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILL NO. 2228, AS AMENDED NOS. 1 AND 2

HOUSE BILL NO. 2264, AS AMENDED NO. 1

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE

AS REQUESTED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1060

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE

HAVING FAILED TO PASS

HOUSE BILL NO. 1091

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE

AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 2

SENATE BILL NO. 129

SENATE BILL NO. 177

SENATE BILL NO. 180

SENATE BILL NO. 194

SENATE BILL NO. 195

SENATE BILL NO. 197

SENATE BILL NO. 201

SENATE BILL NO. 210

SENATE BILL NO. 224

SENATE BILL NO. 228

SENATE BILL NO. 231

SENATE BILL NO. 240

SENATE BILL NO. 257

SENATE BILL NO. 265

SENATE BILL NO. 266

SENATE BILL NO. 326

SENATE BILL NO. 328

SENATE BILL NO. 347

SENATE BILL NO. 370

SENATE BILL NO. 417

SENATE BILL NO. 418

SENATE BILL NO. 440

SENATE BILL NO. 463

SENATE BILL NO. 465

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SENATE BILL NO. 728
SENATE BILL NO. 747
SENATE BILL NO. 755
SENATE BILL NO. 761
SENATE BILL NO. 779
SENATE BILL NO. 827
SENATE BILL NO. 921
SENATE BILL NO. 949

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED

SENATE BILL NO. 109 AS AMENDED NO. 2
SENATE BILL NO. 438 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 612 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 631 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 679 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 680 AS AMENDED NO. 1
SENATE BILL NO. 959 AS AMENDED NO. 1

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE AS REQUESTED

SENATE BILL NO. 337

SENATE BILL NO. 847

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1067

HOUSE BILL NO. 1089

HOUSE BILL NO. 1126

HOUSE BILL NO. 1143

HOUSE BILL NO. 1184

HOUSE BILL NO. 1186

HOUSE BILL NO. 1191

HOUSE BILL NO. 1257

HOUSE BILL NO. 1286

HOUSE BILL NO. 1287

HOUSE BILL NO. 1288

HOUSE BILL NO. 1322

HOUSE BILL NO. 1415

HOUSE BILL NO. 1436

HOUSE BILL NO. 1605

HOUSE BILL NO. 1736

HOUSE BILL NO. 1778

HOUSE BILL NO. 1782

HOUSE BILL NO. 1789

HOUSE BILL NO. 1814

HOUSE BILL NO. 1820

HOUSE BILL NO. 2015

HOUSE BILL NO. 2270

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE

AS REQUESTED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1091

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 1:30 p.m., Wednesday, April 8, 2009 .

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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EIGHTY-SEVENTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

April 8, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 1:30 o'clock p.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Reverend Ruskin Falls, Pulaski Heights Presbyterian Church, Little Rock, Arkansas.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 220 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Laverty, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 220 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 349 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Laverty, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 349 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 734 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Laverty, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 734 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 740 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Laverty, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 740 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 219 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 219 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Laverty.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 221 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 221 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Laverty.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 735 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 735 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Laverty.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 739 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT BUDGET, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 739 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Laverty.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 816 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 816 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Laverty.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 817 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 817 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Laverty.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 818 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 818 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Laverty.

On motion of Senator Laverty, Senate Bill No. 222 was withdrawn from the Committee on JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY, and placed on the Calendar.

Without objection, Senate Bill No. 222 was withdrawn by the author, Senator Laverty.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 8, 2009

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 2271, BY REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR PERCY MALONE
CHAIRMAN

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 8, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on EDUCATION, to whom was referred:

HOUSE BILL NO. 1862, BY REPRESENTATIVE CARNINE,
HOUSE BILL NO. 1993, BY REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY,
HOUSE BILL NO. 2129, BY REPRESENTATIVE EVERETT,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that they do pass.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR JIMMY JEFFRESS
CHAIRMAN

On motion of Senator Pritchard, and without objection, the House was requested to return Senate Bill No. 536 for further consideration.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
ARKANSAS SENATE
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

April 8, 2009

The Honorable Jo Renshaw
Chief Clerk
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Renshaw:

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate, of Senate Bill 536.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

On motion of Senator Laverty, and without objection, the House was requested to return Senate Bill No. 223 for further consideration.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
ARKANSAS SENATE
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

April 8, 2009

The Honorable Jo Renshaw
Chief Clerk
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Renshaw:

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate, of Senate Bill 223.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

On motion of Senator Wilkins, and without objection, the Governor was requested to return Senate Bill No. 692 for further consideration.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

ARKANSAS SENATE

State Capitol

Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate
State Capitol, Room 320
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

April 8, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas

Dear Governor Beebe:

The Senate respectfully requests the return of Senate Bill No. 692 to the Senate.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate

Senate Bill No. 692 was returned from the Governor as requested.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

MIKE BEEBE, GOVERNOR

State Capitol

Little Rock 72201

April 8, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 8, 2009, I returned Senate Bill 692 as requested by the Senate.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

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RETURNED BY SARAH AGEE

On motion of Senator Capps, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of honoring I. Dodd Wilson, M. D., and his wife, Ginger. Dr. Wilson is the retiring Chancellor of UAMS.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Steele, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of commending Albert J. Schneider, Executive Director of the Arkansas Service Commission, soon to be retiring.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Trusty, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of honoring Corporal Blake Wilson.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Trusty, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1008 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1008
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES LEA AND OVERBEY
BY: SENATOR TRUSTY

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING CPL. BLAKE WILSON OF RUSSELLVILLE, ARKANSAS, ON HIS SELECTION AS THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF STATE TROOPERS 2008 NATIONAL TROOPER OF THE YEAR.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1008 was read the third time and concurred in by the House.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1008 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1013 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1013
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE TYLER
BY: SENATOR G. BAKER

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING MR. JIM DAVIDSON OF CONWAY, ARKANSAS, ON FOUNDING AND CHAIRING THE BOOKCASE FOR EVERY CHILD PROJECT AND FOR THE INVALUABLE ASSISTANCE OF EACH MEMBER OF THE CONWAY BOOKCASE PROJECT COMMITTEE.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1013 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1013 was ordered immediately returned to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 842 was withdrawn from the Committee on EDUCATION, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Baker, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 842 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Key, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1018 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1018
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HOPPER
BY: SENATOR J. KEY

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION COMMENDING DOUG SMALL ON HIS SELECTION AS THE ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION 2009 BOATING LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER OF THE YEAR.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1018 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1018 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Bryles, House Concurrent Resolution No. 1019 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1019
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES T. BAKER, BLOUNT & RAINEY

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO ENCOURAGE A NATIONAL SOLUTION TO HEALTHCARE REFORM FOR AMERICA.

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1019 was read the third time and concurred in.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Concurrent Resolution No. 1019 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 299 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 299

Amend Senate Bill No. 299 as engrossed, S3/23/09:

Page 1, delete lines 10 through 16 and substitute "AN ACT TO REESTABLISH A TASK FORCE ON RACIAL PROFILING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."

AND

Page 1, delete lines 19 through 23 and substitute "TO REESTABLISH A TASK FORCE ON RACIAL PROFILING."

AND

Delete Sections 2 and 3

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 299, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Wilkins, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Wilkins, Senate Bill No. 299 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 299

As Engrossed: S3/23/09 H3/31/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS H. WILKINS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT & STEELE

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ALLEN, T. BAKER, BLOUNT, CARROLL, DAVIS, RAINEY, WILLIAMS & WORD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO REESTABLISH A TASK FORCE ON RACIAL PROFILING; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES*.

Senate Bill No. 299 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 299 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 334 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 334

Amend Senate Bill No. 334 as originally introduced:

Page 1, delete lines 24 through 36

Page 2, delete lines 1 through 36

AND

Page 3, delete lines 1 through 32 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 3-5-1403 is amended to read as follows:

3-5-1403. Definitions.

As used in this subchapter:

(1) "Barrel" means thirty-one (31) gallons;

(2) "Beer" means any fermented liquor made from malt or any substitute having an alcoholic content of not more than five percent (5%) by weight;

~~(3) "Board" means the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board;~~

~~(4)~~(3) "Brewery" means the facilities of a native brewer that operate a small brewery, contract brewing company, microbrewery, or restaurant;

~~(5)~~(4) "Contract brewing company" means any licensed brewery that hires another company to produce a portion of its beer or malt beverage;

~~(6)~~(5) "Director" means the Director of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Division of the Department of Finance and Administration;

~~(7)~~(6) "Malt beverage" means any liquor brewed from the fermented juices of grain and having an alcoholic content of no less than five percent (5%) nor more than twenty-one percent (21%) by weight;

~~(8)~~(7) "Microbrewery-restaurant" means any restaurant that manufactures one (1) or more varieties of beer or malt beverage in an aggregate quantity of not more than five thousand (5,000) barrels per year and stores the beer or malt beverages on the premises or on any adjacent premises;

~~(9)~~(8) "Native brewer" means any person who is licensed by the division to manufacture and sell beer and malt beverages at a small brewery or microbrewery-restaurant;

~~(10)~~(9) "Native brewery" means a small brewery or microbrewery-restaurant;

~~(11)~~(10) "Person" means any natural person, partnership, association, or corporation;

~~(12)~~(11) “Producer brewery” means any licensed brewery, domestic or foreign, that manufactures or packages beer or malt beverages for a small brewery, contract brewing company, microbrewery, or restaurant;

~~(13)~~(12) “Restaurant” means any public or private facility that:

(A) Is kept, used, maintained, advertised, and held out to the public or to a private or restricted membership as a place where complete meals are regularly served, and the place is provided with adequate and sanitary kitchen and dining equipment and has a seating capacity of at least fifty (50) people and employs a sufficient number of employees to prepare, cook, and serve food suitable for its guests or members; and

(B) Serves at least one (1) meal per day, and the place is open a minimum of five (5) days per week, with the exception of holidays, vacations, and periods of redecorating; and

~~(14)~~(13) “Small brewery” means any licensed facility that manufactures fewer than ~~60,000~~ thirty thousand (30,000) barrels of beer and malt beverages per year for sale or consumption.

SECTION 2. Arkansas Code § 3-5-1405(a) is amended to read as"

AND

Page 4, line 4, delete "sixty"

AND

Page 4, delete line 5 and substitute the following:
"thirty thousand (30,000) barrels per year; or"

AND

Page 4, line 10 delete "facility or" and substitute "facility;"

AND

Page 4, delete line 11 and substitute the following:
"~~and~~"

AND

Page 4, delete line 30 and substitute the following:
"(a)(1)(F)(i) of this section, the small brewery shall obtain a small brewery wholesale"

AND

Page 4, line 32, delete "Sell" and substitute "Sells"

AND

Page 5, delete line 6 and substitute the following:
"name products of the licensed facility; ~~and~~"

AND

Page 5, delete lines 8 through 36

AND

Page 6, delete lines 1 through 22 and substitute the following:
"resale on the premises~~.~~; and

(D) Sells wine on the premises.

SECTION 3. Arkansas Code § 3-5-1408 is amended to read as follows:
3-5-1408. Fees and taxes.
A native brewer shall:"

AND

Page 6, delete line 25 and substitute the following:
"Beverage Control Division of ~~two hundred fifty dollars ($250)~~ three hundred dollars ($300) per fiscal year"

AND

Page 7, delete line 5 and substitute the following:
"~~(60,000)~~ thirty thousand (30,000) barrels per year and sold or offered for sale in the"

AND

Page 7, delete lines 8 through 36

AND

Page 8, delete line 1 and 2

AND

Page 8, line 4, delete "SECTION 5." and substitute "SECTION 4."

AND

Page 8, delete line 5 and substitute the following:
"to add additional sections to read as follows:"

AND

Page 8, delete line 9 and substitute the following:
"of the week.

3-5-1416. Small brewery not a supplier.
A small brewery is not a supplier under § 3-5-1102."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE KATHY WEBB

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 334, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Bryles, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Bryles, Senate Bill No. 334 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 334

As Engrossed: H3/26/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BRYLES

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO BE KNOWN AS THE ARKANSAS SMALL BREWERY ACT; TO CREATE A NEW CATEGORY OF BEER LICENSES; TO PROVIDE FOR THE OPERATION OF THE LICENSED FACILITIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 334 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0
Total number of votes cast.....35
Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 334 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 803 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 803

Amend Senate Bill No. 803 as engrossed, S3/18/09:
Page 2, delete line 19 and substitute the following:
"the American Indoor Air Quality Council or a Certified Indoor Environmental Consultant;"

AND

Page 3, delete lines 7 and 8

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE HOUSE

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 803, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Madison, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 803 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 803

As Engrossed: S3/18/09 H4/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR MADISON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO LICENSE MOLD INVESTIGATORS; TO ESTABLISH STANDARDS FOR MOLD INVESTIGATIONS; TO ESTABLISH QUALIFICATIONS FOR MOLD INVESTIGATORS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 803 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 803 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Capps, Senate Bill No. 959 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 959

Amend Senate Bill No. 959 as engrossed, S4/1/09:

Delete Section 3 in its entirety

AND

Appropriately renumber the sections of the bill

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 959, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Capps, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Capps, Senate Bill No. 959 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 959

As Engrossed: S4/1/09 H4/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR CAPPS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ABOLISH DORMANT BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS AND TO CLARIFY THE LAW CONCERNING ONGOING BOARDS AND COMMISSIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 959 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 959 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 631 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 631

Amend Senate Bill No. 631 as originally introduced:

Page 2, delete lines 35 and 36 and substitute the following:

"(b) All ~~such~~ process ~~awarded~~ issued by the Senate ~~or a joint meeting of both houses~~ shall be under the hand of the ~~President of the Senate~~ President Pro Tempore of the Senate and attested by the Secretary of the Senate ~~and executed by the Sergeant at Arms of the Senate or a special messenger~~.

(c) All process issued for a joint meeting of the Senate and the House of Representatives shall be under the hand of the:

(1) Speaker of the House of Representatives and attested by the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives if the process was requested by a member of the House of Representatives or the Speaker of the House; or

(2) President Pro Tempore of the Senate and attested by the Secretary of the Senate if the process was requested by:

(A) A member of the Senate;

(B) The President Pro Tempore of the Senate; or

(C) The party accused if the party accused is not a member of the House of Representatives, a member of the Senate, the Speaker of the House of Representatives, or the President Pro Tempore of the Senate."

AND

Page 3, delete lines 1 through 3

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 631, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Faris, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 631 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 631

As Engrossed: H4/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS PROVISIONS REGARDING LEGISLATIVE PROCEEDINGS; TO CLARIFY THE SUBPOENA POWER OF THE SENATE AND THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AND THE COMMITTEES THEREOF; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 631 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 631 was ordered enrolled.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS 72201

ROBBIE WILLS, SPEAKER
TIM MASSANELLI, PARLIAMENTARIAN JO RENSHAW, CLERK

April 8, 2009

The Honorable Ann Cornwell
Secretary of Senate
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

The House of Representatives respectfully requests the return to the House, of House Bill 1046.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JO RENSHAW
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

On motion of Senator Whitaker, House Bill No. 1046 was withdrawn from the Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT, and placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 1046 was returned to the House as requested.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 799 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 799

As Engrossed: S3/24/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATORS ELLIOTT, *MADISON, SALMON & H. WILKINS*

BY: REPRESENTATIVES RAINEY, T. BAKER, BLOUNT, CARROLL & L. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCREASE ACCESS TO POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

On motion of Senator Elliott, Senate Bill No. 799 was pulled down and re-referred for study in the interim to the Interim Committee on EDUCATION.

On motion of Senator Thompson, Senate Bill No. 1649 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1649

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE KIDD

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE PRIVATE PROPERTY PROTECTION ACT TO ENHANCE THE PENALTIES FOR THEFT OF CERTAIN PROPERTY IN AN AREA DECLARED TO BE UNDER A STATE OF EMERGENCY BY THE GOVERNOR; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1649 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1649 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Smith, House Bill No. 2243 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2243

As Engrossed: H3/31/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WILLS

BY: *SENATOR T. SMITH*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE *SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM; TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS SCHOLARSHIP LOTTERY ACT WHICH SUPPLEMENTS FUNDING FOR THE ARKANSAS ACADEMIC CHALLENGE SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 2243 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 2243, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2243 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Wyatt, House Bill No. 2145 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2145
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT REGARDING THEFT OF CATTLE OR LIVESTOCK A PERSON HAS WON AT AN AUCTION BUT WHO FAILS TO PAY FOR THE CATTLE OR LIVESTOCK; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2145 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2145 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator G. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1143 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1143
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE OVERBEY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO INCLUDE DRUG ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS IN THE DEFINITION OF A POLICE OFFICER AS THAT TERM IS USED TO DEFINE "PUBLIC SAFETY MEMBER" IN THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' RETIREMENT SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1143 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1143 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Faris, House Bill No. 2067 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2067
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 21-1-402 TO PROVIDE FOR EXCEPTIONS TO THE PROHIBITION ON STATE EMPLOYMENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2067 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2067 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Steele, House Bill No. 1796 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1796
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE ALLEN

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS ALTERNATIVE ENERGY COMMISSION; TO STUDY THE NEEDS AND IMPACTS OF VARIOUS FORMS OF ALTERNATIVE ENERGY ON THE ECONOMIC FUTURE OF ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1796 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1796 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 1626 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1626
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE OFFICE OF CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT TO PROVIDE A REPORT TO THE CIRCUIT CLERK DETAILING ARREARAGES PAID IN NONSUPPORT CASES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1626 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1626 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 2025 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2025
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ADD AGGRAVATED RESIDENTIAL BURGLARY TO THE LIST OF SERIOUS FELONIES INVOLVING VIOLENCE IN THE HABITUAL OFFENDER STATUTE AND AS AN UNDERLYING FELONY IN THE CAPITAL MURDER STATUTE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2025 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2025 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. JOHNSON, House Bill No. 1745 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1745

As Engrossed: H3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO MAKE A SECOND OR SUBSEQUENT OFFENSE OF PRACTICING AS A COUNSELOR WITHOUT A LICENSE A CLASS D FELONY; TO CREATE A CIVIL PENALTY FOR PRACTICING AS A COUNSELOR WITHOUT A LICENSE; AND FOR OTHER* PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1745 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1745 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 2245 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2245

As Engrossed: H3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE *SENTENCE* REVIEW FOR ALL PERSONS SERVING LIFE WITHOUT PAROLE FOR CAPITAL MURDER OR A LIFE SENTENCE FOR A CLASS Y FELONY COMMITTED WHEN THE PERSON WAS UNDER EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2245 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

Senator Pritchard spoke against the Bill.

Senator D. Johnson closed for the bill.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Bryles, Elliott, D. Johnson, Laverty, Madison, Salmon, H. Wilkins.

Total 7

NEGATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Capps, Crumbly, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, J. Jeffress, J. Key, Miller, B. Pritchard, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 21

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway, G. Jeffress, B. Johnson, Luker, P. Malone, Teague, R. Thompson.

Total 7

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....28

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill failed.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senator Pritchard moved that the vote by which House Bill No. 2245 failed be reconsidered and motion be Laid upon the table. Motion prevailed, Laid upon the table.

House Bill No. 2245 was returned to the House as having failed to pass.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS 72201

ROBBIE WILLS, SPEAKER
TIM MASSANELLI, PARLIAMENTARIAN JO RENSHAW, CLERK

April 8, 2009

The Honorable Ann Cornwell
Secretary of Senate
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ann:

The House of Representatives respectfully requests the return to the House, of House Bill 1995.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JO RENSHAW
Chief Clerk

On motion of Senator Miller, House Bill No. 1995 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 1995 was ordered immediately returned to the House as requested.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS 72201

ROBBIE WILLS, SPEAKER
TIM MASSANELLI, PARLIAMENTARIAN JO RENSHAW, CLERK

April 8, 2009

The Honorable Ann Cornwell
Secretary of Senate
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ann:

The House of Representatives respectfully requests the return to the House, of House Bill 2125.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JO RENSHAW
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

On motion of Senator Capps, House Bill No. 2125 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 2125 was ordered immediately returned to the House as requested.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS 72201

ROBBIE WILLS, SPEAKER
TIM MASSANELLI, PARLIAMENTARIAN JO RENSHAW, CLERK

April 8, 2009

The Honorable Ann Cornwell
Secretary of Senate
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ann:

The House of Representatives respectfully requests the return to the House, of House Bill 1563.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JO RENSHAW
Chief Clerk

On motion of Senator Miller, House Bill No. 1563 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 1563 was ordered immediately returned to the House as requested.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS 72201

ROBBIE WILLS, SPEAKER
TIM MASSANELLI, PARLIAMENTARIAN JO RENSHAW, CLERK

April 8, 2009

The Honorable Ann Cornwell
Secretary of Senate
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ann:

The House of Representatives respectfully requests the return to the House, of House Bill 1947.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JO RENSHAW
Chief Clerk

On motion of Senator Miller, House Bill No. 1947 was withdrawn from the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION, and placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 1947 was ordered immediately returned to the House as requested.

On motion of Senator D. Johnson, House Bill No. 2270 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2270

As Engrossed: H4/1/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: *REPRESENTATIVE SUMMERS*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO AMEND IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 2270 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2270 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, House Bill No. 2099 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2099
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE CLEMMER

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE ADOPTION PROCEDURES IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2099 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2099 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Bill No. 864 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Madison, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 864 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

On motion of Senator Salmon, House Bill No. 1043 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1043
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CREATE THE CORONER'S ADVISORY TASK FORCE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1043 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1043 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Salmon, House Bill No. 1603 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1603
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE SHELBY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO IMPROVE THE INVESTIGATION AND CERTIFICATION OF DEATH IN ARKANSAS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1603 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1603 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 2271 at this time.

On motion of Senator Bledsoe, House Bill No. 2271 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2271

As Engrossed: H4/2/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: *REPRESENTATIVE D. CREEKMORE*

AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS CHILD MALTREATMENT ACT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2271 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2271 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Thompson, House Bill No. 1830 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1830
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE B. WILKINS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE FLEEING STATUTE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1830 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1830 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Malone, House Bill No. 2224 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2224

As Engrossed: H3/23/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE ADCOCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO PERMIT AND INSPECT CONCESSION STANDS, BOTH STATIONARY AND *MOBILE; TO CLARIFY CERTAIN EXEMPTIONS FOR PERMITS AND INSPECTIONS OF FOOD SERVICE ESTABLISHMENTS;* TO ENSURE THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF THE PUBLIC; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2224 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, Salmon, T. Smith, Teague, R. Thompson, H. Wilkins, D. Wyatt.

Total 29

NEGATIVE: B. Pritchard, Steele, J. Taylor, Trusty, Whitaker, Wilkinson.

Total 6

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2224 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

April 8, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on April 8, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Joint Resolution 003

Senate Bill No. 047, - ACT 1239,
Senate Bill No. 081, - ACT 1240,
Senate Bill No. 102, - ACT 1241,
Senate Bill No. 138, - ACT 1242,
Senate Bill No. 340, - ACT 1243,
Senate Bill No. 439, - ACT 1244,
Senate Bill No. 466, - ACT 1245,
Senate Bill No. 510, - ACT 1246,
Senate Bill No. 511, - ACT 1247,
Senate Bill No. 556, - ACT 1248,
Senate Bill No. 557, - ACT 1249,
Senate Bill No. 558, - ACT 1250,
Senate Bill No. 559, - ACT 1251,
Senate Bill No. 560, - ACT 1252,
Senate Bill No. 561, - ACT 1253,
Senate Bill No. 566, - ACT 1254,
Senate Bill No. 593, - ACT 1255,
Senate Bill No. 604, - ACT 1256,
Senate Bill No. 606, - ACT 1257,
Senate Bill No. 674, - ACT 1258,
Senate Bill No. 683, - ACT 1259,
Senate Bill No. 696, - ACT 1260,
Senate Bill No. 697, - ACT 1261,
Senate Bill No. 698, - ACT 1262,
Senate Bill No. 725, - ACT 1263,
Senate Bill No. 726, - ACT 1264,
Senate Bill No. 730, - ACT 1265,
Senate Bill No. 732, - ACT 1266,
Senate Bill No. 741, - ACT 1267,
Senate Bill No. 749, - ACT 1268,
Senate Bill No. 750, - ACT 1269,
Senate Bill No. 751, - ACT 1270,
Senate Bill No. 846, - ACT 1271,
Senate Bill No. 938, - ACT 1272,
Senate Bill No. 958, - ACT 1273,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

April 7, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on April 7, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 065, - ACT 1199,
Senate Bill No. 164, - ACT 1200,
Senate Bill No. 182, - ACT 1201,
Senate Bill No. 209, - ACT 1202,
Senate Bill No. 345, - ACT 1203,
Senate Bill No. 441, - ACT 1204,
Senate Bill No. 442, - ACT 1205,
Senate Bill No. 499, - ACT 1206,
Senate Bill No. 500, - ACT 1207,
Senate Bill No. 770, - ACT 1208,
Senate Bill No. 772, - ACT 1209,
Senate Bill No. 778, - ACT 1210,
Senate Bill No. 812, - ACT 1211,
Senate Bill No. 825, - ACT 1212,
Senate Bill No. 850, - ACT 1213,
Senate Bill No. 852, - ACT 1214,
Senate Bill No. 853, - ACT 1215,
Senate Bill No. 854, - ACT 1216,
Senate Bill No. 855, - ACT 1217,
Senate Bill No. 856, - ACT 1218,
Senate Bill No. 857, - ACT 1219,
Senate Bill No. 870, - ACT 1220,
Senate Bill No. 876, - ACT 1221,
Senate Bill No. 1005, - ACT 1222,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

April 7, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on April 7, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 203, - ACT 980,
Senate Bill No. 367, - ACT 981,
Senate Bill No. 368, - ACT 982,
Senate Bill No. 371, - ACT 983,
Senate Bill No. 372, - ACT 984,
Senate Bill No. 374,- ACT 985,
Senate Bill No. 397, - ACT 986,
Senate Bill No. 398, - ACT 987,
Senate Bill No. 405, - ACT 988,
Senate Bill No. 406, - ACT 989,
Senate Bill No. 428, - ACT 990,
Senate Bill No. 433, - ACT 991,
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Senate Bill No. 455, - ACT 996,
Senate Bill No. 456, - ACT 997,
Senate Bill No. 457, - ACT 998,
Senate Bill No. 458, - ACT 999,
Senate Bill No. 461, - ACT 1000,
Senate Bill No. 462, - ACT 1001,
Senate Bill No. 472, - ACT 1002,
Senate Bill No. 474, - ACT 1003,
Senate Bill No. 475, - ACT 1004,
Senate Bill No. 476, - ACT 1005,
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Senate Bill No. 482, - ACT 1010,
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Senate Bill No. 638, - ACT 1100,
Senate Bill No. 642, - ACT 1101,
Senate Bill No. 645, - ACT 1102,
Senate Bill No. 646, - ACT 1103,
Senate Bill No. 647, - ACT 1104,
Senate Bill No. 648, - ACT 1105,
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Senate Bill No. 650, - ACT 1107,
Senate Bill No. 651, - ACT 1108,
Senate Bill No. 652, - ACT 1109,
Senate Bill No. 653, - ACT 1110,
Senate Bill No. 654, - ACT 1111,
Senate Bill No. 655, - ACT 1112
Senate Bill No. 656, - ACT 1113,
Senate Bill No. 657, - ACT 1114,
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Senate Bill No. 662, - ACT 1117,
Senate Bill No. 667, - ACT 1118,
Senate Bill No. 668, - ACT 1119,
Senate Bill No. 669, - ACT 1120,
Senate Bill No. 670, - ACT 1121,
Senate Bill No. 672, - ACT 1122,
Senate Bill No. 673, - ACT 1123,
Senate Bill No. 675, - ACT 1124,
Senate Bill No. 677, - ACT 1125,
Senate Bill No. 678, - ACT 1126,
Senate Bill No. 684, - ACT 1127,
Senate Bill No. 685, - ACT 1128,
Senate Bill No. 686, - ACT 1129,

Senate Bill No. 687, - ACT 1130,
Senate Bill No. 688, - ACT 1131,
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Senate Bill No. 703, - ACT 1140,
Senate Bill No. 704, - ACT 1141,
Senate Bill No. 706, - ACT 1142,
Senate Bill No. 708, - ACT 1143,
Senate Bill No. 709, - ACT 1144,
Senate Bill No. 711, - ACT 1145,
Senate Bill No. 712, - ACT 1146,
Senate Bill No. 713, - ACT 1147,
Senate Bill No. 715, - ACT 1148,
Senate Bill No. 716, - ACT 1149,
Senate Bill No. 717, - ACT 1150,
Senate Bill No. 718, - ACT 1151,
Senate Bill No. 719, - ACT 1152,
Senate Bill No. 720, - ACT 1153,
Senate Bill No. 721, - ACT 1154,
Senate Bill No. 722, - ACT 1155,
Senate Bill No. 727, - ACT 1156,
Senate Bill No. 729, - ACT 1157,
Senate Bill No. 731, - ACT 1158,
Senate Bill No. 733, - ACT 1159,
Senate Bill No. 737, - ACT 1160,
Senate Bill No. 742, - ACT 1161,
Senate Bill No. 743, - ACT 1162,
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Senate Bill No. 760, - ACT 1169,
Senate Bill No. 762, - ACT 1170,
Senate Bill No. 763, - ACT 1171,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

Senate Bill No. 536 was returned from the House as requested.

On motion of Senator Pritchard, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 536 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

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Senate Bill No. 223 was returned from the House as requested.

On motion of Senator Laverty, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 223 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 8, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 947, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT ET AL,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:50 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,
(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 947

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 8th day of April, 2009 at 10:50 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Marc Harrison
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 8, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 2, BY SENATOR GLOVER,
SENATE BILL NO. 129, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 177, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 180, BY SENATOR G JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 194, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 195, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 197, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 201, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 231, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 224, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 228, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 240, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

SENATE BILL NO. 257, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 265, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 266, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 326, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 328, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 370, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 417, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 418, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 347, BY SENATOR THOMPSON,
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SENATE BILL NO. 463, BY SENATOR GLOVER,
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SENATE BILL NO. 488, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 210, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 507, BY SENATOR BLEDSOE,
SENATE BILL NO. 514, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 565, BY SENATOR BOOKOUT,
SENATE BILL NO. 570, BY SENATOR THOMPSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 586, BY SENATOR CAPPS,
SENATE BILL NO. 594, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 603, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 605, BY SENATOR LUKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 611, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 630 , BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 639, BY SENATOR ALTES,
SENATE BILL NO. 644, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 665, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 707, BY SENATOR SALMON ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 714, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 723, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 728, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 747, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,

SENATE BILL NO. 755, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 761, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 779, BY SENATOR MALONE,
SENATE BILL NO. 827, BY SENATORS MALONE AND SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 847, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 904, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 921, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 949, BY SENATOR WYATT,
SENATE BILL NO. 955, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 10:10 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

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SENATE BILL NO. 921

SENATE BILL NO. 949

SENATE BILL NO. 955

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 8th day of April, 2009 at 10:10 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE

Governor

(SIGNED) J.D. Lowery

Secretary

On motion of Senator Salmon, and without objection, the House was requested to return Senate Bill No. 913 for further consideration.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

ARKANSAS SENATE

State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate
State Capitol, Room 320
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

April 8, 2009

The Honorable Jo Renshaw
Chief Clerk
State Capitol
Little Rock, AR

Dear Ms. Renshaw:

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate, of Senate Bill No. 913.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, Secretary of the Senate

Senate Bill No. 43 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 46 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 100 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 152 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 204 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 205 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 262 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 276 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

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Senate Bill No. 289 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

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Senate Bill No. 358 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

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Senate Bill No. 416 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 453 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 496 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

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Senate Bill No. 666 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 724 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 814 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 844 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 860 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 861 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 868 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 871 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 402 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 880 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 9 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 894 was returned from the House as passed as amended.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 894 was ordered re-referred to the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 8, 2009

Mr. President:
We, your Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 894, BY SENATOR FARIS,

beg leave to report that we have had the same under consideration, and herewith return the same with the recommendation that it do pass to concur in House Amendments 1 and 2.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) SENATOR STEVE FARIS
CHAIRMAN
SENATOR GILBERT BAKER
SENATOR ED WILKINSON
SENATOR BILL PRITCHARD
SENATOR BOBBY GLOVER
SENATOR STEVE BRYLES

Senate Bill No. 452 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 459 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 664 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 840 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 862 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 863 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 918 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 943 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 944 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 963 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 965 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 984 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 985 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 995 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 998 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 999 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 913 was returned from the House as requested.

On motion of Senator Salmon, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 913 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on Children and Youth.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 109 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 109

JBC 02/26/09(2)

Amend Senate Bill No. 109 as originally introduced:

Page 2, line 32 delete "60,416" and substitute "86,700"

AND

Page 3, line 3 delete "$ 1,337,202" and substitute "$ 1,363,486"

AND

Delete SECTION 4 in its entirety

AND

Delete SECTION 5 in its entirety

AND

Delete SECTION 6 in its entirety

AND

Appropriately renumber subsequent sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 109, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 109 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 2 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 109

JBC 03/24/09(1)

Amend Senate Bill No. 109 as engrossed, H2/27/09:

Page 2, line 34 delete "2,800" and substitute "21,000"

AND

Page 3, line 1 delete "DHS & UAMS GRANTS" and substitute "DHS/UAMS/UCA GRANTS"

AND

PAGE 3, line 1 delete "1,000,000" and substitute "1,100,000"

AND

Page 3, line 3 delete "$ 1,363,486" and substitute "$ 1,481,686"

AND

Immediately following Section 3 insert the following new section:

" SECTION 4. Arkansas Code § 17-24-305, Concerning Fees-Disposition, is amended to read as follows:

(a) The State Board of Collection Agencies may charge an annual license fee not to exceed one hundred twenty-five dollars ($125) for licensing each collection agency and an annual fee of fifteen dollars ($15.00) for licensing each employee of the licensed collection agency who as an employee solicits, collects, or attempts to collect any delinquent account or accounts by telephone, mail, personal contact, or otherwise.

(b) All income from fees imposed under this section shall be distributed as follows:

(1) (A) Beginning July 1, 2006, and each July 1 thereafter, the first one hundred fifteen thousand dollars ($115,000) in fees received by the board shall be remitted in one (1) payment by the board to the Treasurer of State for the Department of Human Services — Division of Medical Services and deposited into a paying account as determined by the Chief Fiscal Officer of the State to be used in accordance with § 20-10-705.

(B) The funds remaining after the distribution in subdivision (b)(1)(A) of this section for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2007, and funds each July 1 thereafter received by the board in an amount not to exceed six hundred thousand dollars ($600,000) each fiscal year shall be remitted by the board to the University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences for deposit into a financial institution in accordance with the policies of the University of Arkansas. The funds shall be expended for the College of Pharmacy and the College of Nursing in accordance with § 6-64-417.

© The funds remaining after the distributions in subdivisions (b)(1)(A) and (B) of this section for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2007, and funds received

by the board each July 1 thereafter in an amount not to exceed two hundred fifty thousand dollars ($250,000) each fiscal year shall be remitted by the board to Arkansas State University — Mountain Home for deposit into the Arkansas State University — Mountain Home Fund. The funds shall be expended exclusively for the Arkansas State University — Mountain Home Practical Nurse Program.

(D) The funds remaining after the distributions in subdivisions (b)(1)(A)-(C) of this section for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009, and funds received by the board each July 1 thereafter in an amount not to exceed one hundred thousand dollars ($100,000) each fiscal year shall be remitted by the board to the University of Central Arkansas for deposit into the University of Central Arkansas Fund. The funds shall be expended exclusively for the University of Central Arkansas Department of Nursing.

~~(D)~~(E) Funds remaining after the distributions in subdivisions (b)(1)(A)-~~(C)~~(D) of this section shall be deposited to the State Board of Collection Agencies account in some bank authorized to do business in this state."

AND
Appropriately renumber the remaining sections of the bill.

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 109, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 438 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 438

JBC 03/26/09(25)

Amend Senate Bill No. 438 as engrossed, S3/10/09:

Insert a SECTION immediately preceding SECTION 1 to read as follows:
" SECTION 1. APPROPRIATION - GENERAL IMPROVEMENT ECONOMIC INFRASTRUCTURE PROJECTS. There is hereby appropriated, to the Economic Development Commission, to be payable from the General Improvement Fund or its successor fund or fund accounts, the following:

(A) For grants to state agencies, cities and counties, and other eligible entities for industrial site development costs including land acquisition, construction,

renovation, and equipment acquisition, development of intermodal facilities, including port and waterway projects, rail spur construction and road and highway improvements, environmental mitigation projects, and construction and improvement of water and sewer systems, the sum of….....$10,000,000."

AND

Appropriately renumber the remaining SECTION numbers of the bill.

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 438, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 612 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 612

JBC 04/02/09(8)pm

Amend Senate Bill No. 612 as originally introduced:

Page 1, line 26, insert the words "multipurpose civic centers that operate under the authority of a Multi-Purpose Civic Center Facilities Board" after "districts,".

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 612, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 679 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 679

JBC 04/02/09(25)

Amend Senate Bill No. 679 as originally introduced:
Page 1, line 30, delete "$800,000" and substitute "$850,000"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 679, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 680 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 680

JBC 04/02/09(26)

Amend Senate Bill No. 680 as originally introduced:
Page 1, line 32, delete "$25,000" and substitute "$75,000"

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 680, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Joint Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 109 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 109

As Engrossed: H2/27/09 H3/25/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE STATE BOARD OF COLLECTION AGENCIES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 109 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 109, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 109 ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Baker, and without objection, the rules were suspended

pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 438 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 438

As Engrossed: S2/24/09 S3/10/09 H3/27/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR VARIOUS CAPITAL PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 438 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 438, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 438 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Baker, and without objection, the rules were suspended

pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 679 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 679

As Engrossed: H4/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WILKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF RURAL SERVICES FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 679 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 679, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 679 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Baker, and without objection, the rules were suspended

pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 612 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 612

As Engrossed: H4/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GRANTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 612 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 612, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 612 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Baker, and without objection, the rules were suspended

pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 680 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 680

As Engrossed: H4/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR WILKINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS HERITAGE - HISTORIC PRESERVATION FOR GRANTS FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION, RENOVATION, IMPROVEMENTS AND EQUIPPING NATIONAL REGISTER OF HISTORIC PLACES PROPERTIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 680 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 680, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 680 was ordered enrolled.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 290 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 290 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 290

As Engrossed: S3/26/09 S4/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 290 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 290, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 290 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 298 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 298 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 298

As Engrossed: S2/23/09 S3/30/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - DIVISION OF PUBLIC SCHOOL ACADEMIC FACILITIES AND TRANSPORTATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 298 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 298, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 298 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1067 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1067 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1067
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1067 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1067, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1067 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1089 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1089 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1089
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF ARCHITECTS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1089 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1089, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1089 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1126 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1126 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1126
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1126 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1126, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1126 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1184 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1184 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1184
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF AGING AND ADULT SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1184 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1184, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1184 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1186 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1186 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1186
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - ADMINISTRATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1186 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1186, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1186 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1191 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1191 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1191
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS ABSTRACTERS' BOARD FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1191 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1191, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1191 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1257 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1257 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1257
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES AND FOR GRANTS AND AID TO LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND SPECIAL PROGRAMS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1257 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1257, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1257 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1286 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1286 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1286
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR TOBACCO PREVENTION AND CESSATION PROGRAMS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1286 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1286, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1286 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1287 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1287 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1287
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF COUNTY OPERATIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1287 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1287, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1287 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1288 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1288 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1288
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1288 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1288, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1288 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1322 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1322 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1322
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1322 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1322, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1322 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1436 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1436 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1436
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY CORRECTION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1436 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1436, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1436 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1814 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1814 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1814 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1814

As Engrossed: H3/20/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE OFFICE OF LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1814 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1814, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1814 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering Senate Bill No. 705 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, Senate Bill No. 705 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 705

As Engrossed: S4/6/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR SALMON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE PROGRAM FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 705 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

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There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 705, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 705 was ordered immediately transmitted to the House.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1415 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1415 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1415
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE D. HUTCHINSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS FOR MEDICAL SCIENCES - ARKANSAS CHILD ABUSE/RAPE/DOMESTIC VIOLENCE COMMISSION FOR CHILD ADVOCACY CENTERS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1415 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1415, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1415 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1605 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1605 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1605
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WELLS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES - DIVISION OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH FOR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH AND COMMUNITY BASED SERVICES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1605 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1605, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1605 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1736 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1736 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1736
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS REVENUE STABILIZATION LAW; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1736 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1736, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1736 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1778 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1778 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1778

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE MALOCH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH SESSION PROJECTS ACCOUNT WITHIN THE GENERAL IMPROVEMENT FUND; TO DEFINE THE MONIES TO BE AVAILABLE IN SUCH ACCOUNT; AND TO DEFINE THE PURPOSES FOR WHICH MONIES MAY BE MADE AVAILABLE FROM THE GENERAL IMPROVEMENT FUND SO THAT ADDITIONAL FUNDS CAN BE MADE AVAILABLE FOR THE STATE BUDGET; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1778 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 28

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1778, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1778 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1782 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1782 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1782
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE HARRELSON

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION FOR GENERAL IMPROVEMENT PROJECTS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1782 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1782, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1782 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1789 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1789 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1789
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE J. ROEBUCK

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR GRANTS AND LOANS TO DENTAL SCHOOL STUDENTS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1789 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1789, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1789 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1820 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1820 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1820
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES J. ROEBUCK AND STEWART
BY: SENATOR P. MALONE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION TO THE HENDERSON STATE UNIVERSITY FOR EQUIPMENT, PERSONAL SERVICES, MAINTENANCE AND OPERATING EXPENSES, AND GRANTS OF THE RURAL ENTREPRENEURIAL INITIATIVE; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1820 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1820, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1820 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1045
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE RAGLAND & SENATOR T. SMITH

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE DEFINITION OF A DISABILITY REQUIRED TO QUALIFY FOR AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR SUPPORTING A CHILD WITH A DISABILITY; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1045 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and referred to the Committee on REVENUE & TAXATION.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1193
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION - ARKANSAS REHABILITATION SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1193 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1221
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1221 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1405
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR MISCELLANEOUS GRANTS AND EXPENSES AND VARIOUS AGENCY TRANSFERS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1405 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE BILL NO. 1663
As Engrossed: H3/18/09 H4/7/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB
BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO PROMOTE THE CONSERVATION OF ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES IN BUILDINGS OWNED BY PUBLIC AGENCIES AND INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1663 was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

Received from the House

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1004
As Engrossed: H3/18/09 H3/24/09 H4/7/09 H4/8/09
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE CHEATHAM

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION

OF ARKANSAS CONCERNING THE INTEREST RATE LIMITS.

Subtitle

PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF ARKANSAS CONCERNING THE INTEREST RATE LIMITS.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND BY THE SENATE, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:

That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators, if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. Governmental Bonds and Loans. (a) The maximum lawful rates of interest on bonds issued by governmental units in the State of Arkansas as set forth in various provisions and amendments to the Arkansas Constitution of 1874, including Article 19, § 13, and Amendment Nos. 30, 38, 62, 65, and 78, are removed.

(b) The maximum lawful rate of interest on loans made by or to governmental units in the State of Arkansas as set forth in Article 19, § 13 of the Arkansas Constitution of 1874 is removed.

(c) Except as may be established by the General Assembly pursuant to Section 8 of this amendment, there shall be no maximum lawful rate on bonds issued by and loans made by or to governmental units.

SECTION 2. Loans by Federally Insured Depository Institutions. The maximum lawful rate of interest, discount points, finance charges, or other similar charges that may be charged, taken, received, or reserved from time to time in any loan or financing transaction by or to any federally insured depository institution having its main office in this State shall be the maximum rate of interest that was applicable to federally insured depository institutions under 12 U.S.C. § 1831u effective on March 1, 2009.

SECTION 3. Other Loans. The maximum lawful rate of interest on loans or contracts not described in Sections 1 and 2 shall not exceed seventeen percent (17%) per annum.

SECTION 4. Energy Efficiency Project Bonds – Issuance – Terms and Conditions.

(a) A governmental unit, under laws adopted by the General Assembly, may issue bonds to finance all or a portion of the costs of energy efficiency projects. The bonds may bear such terms, be issued in such manner, and be subject to such conditions as may be authorized by the General Assembly. The bonds authorized by Section 4 shall be governmental bonds subject to the provisions of Section 1 of this amendment.

(b) Bonds may be secured by a pledge of the savings from the energy efficiency project and may be repaid from general revenues, special revenues, revenues derived from taxes or any other

revenues available to the governmental unit.

(c) The authority conferred by this Section 4 shall be supplemental to other constitutional provisions which authorize the issuance of bonds.

SECTION 5. Definitions. (a) The term "bonds" means all bonds, notes, certificates, financing leases, or other interest-bearing instruments or evidences of indebtedness.

(b) The term "Federal Reserve Primary Credit Rate" means the Primary Credit Rate, or such successor rate, as established by and in effect in the Federal Reserve Bank in the Federal Reserve District in which Arkansas is located.

(c) The term "federally insured depository institution" means a state bank, a national bank, or a savings association, as such terms are defined in 12 U.S.C. § 1813 as such statute existed on January 1, 2009, the deposits of which are insured by the Federal Insurance Deposit Corporation, or its successor.

(d) The term "governmental unit" means the State of Arkansas; any county, municipality, school district, or other political subdivision of the State of Arkansas; any special assessment or taxing district established under the laws of the State of Arkansas; and any agency, board, commission, or instrumentality of any of the foregoing.

(e) The term "loan or financing transaction by or to a federally insured depository institution" means all direct or indirect advances of funds and moneys that are conditioned on the obligation of a person or entity to repay the funds and moneys pursuant to loan agreements, lease agreements, installment sale agreements, security agreements, notes, bill of exchange, or other evidence of debt or other instruments or documents evidencing the indebtedness and are made by or to a federally insured depository institution.

(f) The term "loans made by or to governmental units" means all direct or indirect advances of funds and moneys that are conditioned on the obligation of a person or entity to repay the funds and moneys pursuant to loan agreements, lease agreements, installment sale agreements, security agreements, notes, or other instruments or documents evidencing the indebtedness and are made by or to governmental units.

SECTION 6. Miscellaneous.

(a) The provisions of this amendment are not intended and shall not be deemed to supersede or otherwise invalidate any provisions of federal law applicable to loans or interest rates including loans secured by residential real property.

(b) All contracts under Section 3 having a rate of interest in excess of the maximum lawful rate shall be void as to principal and interest and the General Assembly shall prohibit the same by law.

SECTION 7. The ballot title for this amendment shall be:

An amendment providing that constitutional provisions setting the maximum lawful rate of interest on bonds issued by and loans made by or to governmental units are repealed; the maximum lawful rate of interest on loans by federally insured depository institutions shall remain at the rate resulting from the federal preemption effective on March 1, 2009; establishing that the maximum lawful rate of interest on any other loan or contract shall not exceed seventeen percent (17%) per annum; authorizing governmental units to issue bonds to finance energy efficiency projects and allowing such bonds to be repaid from any source including general revenues derived from taxes;

providing that any federal laws applicable to loans or interest rates are not superseded by the amendment; and repealing Article 19, § 13, and the interest rate provisions of Amendment Nos. 30, 38, 62, 65, and 78 of the Arkansas Constitution.

SECTION 8. Nothing in this amendment shall limit the power of the General Assembly to fix, from time to time, one or more interest rate limits on various types of bonds issued by and loans made by or to governmental units.

SECTION 9. If this amendment or the application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, the remainder of the amendment and its application to persons or circumstances other than those to which it is held invalid shall not be affected.

SECTION 10. The provisions of this amendment, other than the provisions of Section 4 of this amendment, shall be self-executing.

SECTION 11. The General Assembly may by a three-fourths vote of each house of the General Assembly amend the provisions of this amendment so long as the amendments are germane to this amendment and consistent with its policy and purposes.

SECTION 12. The provisions of this amendment shall apply to all bonds issued and loans made after the effective date of this amendment.

SECTION 13. The effective date of this amendment is January 1, 2011.

SECTION 14. This amendment shall repeal Article 19, § 13, and the interest rate provisions of Amendment Nos. 30, 38, 62, 65, and 78 of the Arkansas Constitution.

House Joint Resolution No. 1004was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 1451 returned from the House, having failed to concur in Senate Amendments Nos. 1, 2 & 3.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS 72201

April 8, 2009

The Honorable Bob Johnson
Senate President Pro Tempore
State Chambers, State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Senator Johnson:

Pursuant to the authority vested in me by the Constitution of Arkansas, I am submitting the following appointments to be confirmed.

I respectfully submit these appointments to your honorable body and request that they be
Confirmed.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
GOVERNOR

SENATOR CECILE BLEDSOE
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Tom Spillyards Benton County	January 14, 2013	Arkansas Development Finance Authority

SENATOR SHANE BROADWAY
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Jerry Webster Pulaski County	January 14, 2013	Arkansas Development Finance Authority
Anthony Brooks Pulaski County	January 14, 2013	Arkansas Development Finance Authority

SENATOR GENE JEFFRESS
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Reverend Barry Dobson Union County	January 14, 2016	Black History Commission

SENATOR TRACY STEELE
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
James Lawson Pulaski County	January 14, 2016	Black History Commission

SENATOR MARY ANNE SALMON
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Charley Baxter Pulaski County	January 14, 2013	Arkansas Department Finance Authority

SENATOR PERCY MALONE
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Dr. Brian Canfield Columbia County	December 1, 2009	Arkansas Board of Examiners Counseling

SENATOR SUE MADISON
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
The Honorable David Pryor Washington County	March 1, 2019	University of Arkansas Board of Trustees
Curt Calaway Washington County	January 14, 2013	State Kidney Disease Commission

SENATOR DAVID JOHNSON
SENATOR CONFIRMATIONS 2009

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Nigel Hall Pulaski County	January 14, 2013	State Kidney Disease Commission
Dr. Scott Young Pulaski County	January 14, 2013	State Kidney Disease Commission

April 8, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Cecile Bledsoe, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Tom Spillyards Benton County	January 14, 2013	Arkansas Development Finance Authority

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Cornwell
Secretary of the Senate

AC/as

Cc: The Honorable Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State
Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

April 8, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Shane Broadway, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Jerry Webster Pulaski County	January 14, 2013	Arkansas Development Finance Authority
Anthony Brooks Pulaski County	January 14, 2013	Arkansas Development Finance Authority

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Cornwell
Secretary of the Senate
AC/as

Cc: The Honorable Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State
Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

April 8, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Gene Jeffress, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Reverend Barry Dobson Union County	January 14, 2016	Black History Commission

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Cornwell
Secretary of the Senate

AC/as

Cc: The Honorable Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State
Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

April 8, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Tracy Steele, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
James Lawson Pulaski County	January 14, 2016	Black History Commission

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Cornwell
Secretary of the Senate

AC/as

Cc: The Honorable Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State
Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

April 8, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Mary Anne Salmon, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Charley Baxter Pulaski County	January 14, 2013	Arkansas Department Finance Authority

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Cornwell
Secretary of the Senate

AC/as

Cc: The Honorable Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State
Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

April 8, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Percy Malone, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Dr. Brian Canfield Columbia County	December 1, 2009	Arkansas Board of Examiners Counseling

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Cornwell
Secretary of the Senate

AC/as

Cc: The Honorable Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State
Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

April 8, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator Sue Madison, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
The Honorable David Pryor Washington County	March 1, 2019	University of Arkansas Board of Trustees
Curt Calaway Washington County	January 14, 2013	State Kidney Disease Commission

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Cornwell
Secretary of the Senate

AC/as

Cc: The Honorable Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State
Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commissions

April 8, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Governor Beebe:

This is to advise that the Senate of the Regular Session of the Eighty-Seventh General Assembly, on a motion of Senator David Johnson, advised with and consented unanimously to the enclosed appointments heretofore submitted to this honorable body.

APPOINTEE & COUNTY	EXPIRATION DATE	BOARD OF COMMISSION
Nigel Hall Pulaski County	January 14, 2013	State Kidney Disease Commission
Dr. Scott Young Pulaski County	January 14, 2013	State Kidney Disease Commission

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Cornwell
Secretary of the Senate

AC/as

Cc: The Honorable Charlie Daniels, Secretary of State
Mica Strother, Director of Boards and Commission

STATE OF ARKANSAS
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS 72201

ROBBIE WILLS, SPEAKER
TIM MASSANELLI, PARLIAMENTARIAN JO RENSHAW, CLERK

April 8, 2009

The Honorable Ann Cornwell
Secretary of Senate
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

The House of Representatives respectfully requests the return to the House, of House Bill 2015.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JO RENSHAW
Chief Clerk

JLR/jb

On motion of Senator Malone, House Bill No. 2015 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 2015 was ordered returned to the House as requested.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS 72201

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April 8, 2009

The Honorable Ann Cornwell
Secretary of Senate
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

The House of Representatives respectfully requests the return to the House, of House Bill 2102.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JO RENSHAW
Chief Clerk

JLR/jb

On motion of Senator Horn, House Bill No. 2102 was withdrawn from the Committee on INSURANCE & COMMERCE, and placed on the Calendar.

House Bill No. 2102 was ordered returned to the House as requested.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 8, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 943, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copy with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 5:10 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 943

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 8th day of April, 2009 at 5:10 p.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Marc Harrison
Secretary

SENATE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE HOUSE

AS PASSED

SENATE BILL NO. 290

SENATE BILL NO. 298

SENATE BILL NO. 705

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1043

HOUSE BILL NO. 1067

HOUSE BILL NO. 1089

HOUSE BILL NO. 1126

HOUSE BILL NO. 1143

HOUSE BILL NO. 1184

HOUSE BILL NO. 1186

HOUSE BILL NO. 1191

HOUSE BILL NO. 1257

HOUSE BILL NO. 1286

HOUSE BILL NO. 1287

HOUSE BILL NO. 1288

HOUSE BILL NO. 1322

HOUSE BILL NO. 1415

HOUSE BILL NO. 1436

HOUSE BILL NO. 1603

HOUSE BILL NO. 1605

HOUSE BILL NO. 1626

HOUSE BILL NO. 1649

HOUSE BILL NO. 1736

HOUSE BILL NO. 1745

HOUSE BILL NO. 1778

HOUSE BILL NO. 1782

HOUSE BILL NO. 1789

HOUSE BILL NO. 1796

HOUSE BILL NO. 1814

HOUSE BILL NO. 1820

HOUSE BILL NO. 1830
HOUSE BILL NO. 2025
HOUSE BILL NO. 2067
HOUSE BILL NO. 2099
HOUSE BILL NO. 2145
HOUSE BILL NO. 2224
HOUSE BILL NO. 2243
HOUSE BILL NO. 2270
HOUSE BILL NO. 2271

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTIONS RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1008
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1013
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1018
HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 1019

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS REQUESTED
HOUSE BILL NO. 1046
HOUSE BILL NO. 1563
HOUSE BILL NO. 1947
HOUSE BILL NO. 1995
HOUSE BILL NO. 2015
HOUSE BILL NO. 2102
HOUSE BILL NO. 2125

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
HAVING FAILED TO PASS
HOUSE BILL NO. 2245

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE

AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 43

SENATE BILL NO. 46

SENATE BILL NO. 100

SENATE BILL NO. 152

SENATE BILL NO. 204

SENATE BILL NO. 205

SENATE BILL NO. 262

SENATE BILL NO. 276

SENATE BILL NO. 278

SENATE BILL NO. 289

SENATE BILL NO. 291

SENATE BILL NO. 297

SENATE BILL NO. 308

SENATE BILL NO. 358

SENATE BILL NO. 390

SENATE BILL NO. 391

SENATE BILL NO. 402

SENATE BILL NO. 416

SENATE BILL NO. 452

SENATE BILL NO. 453

SENATE BILL NO. 459

SENATE BILL NO. 496

SENATE BILL NO. 506

SENATE BILL NO. 568

SENATE BILL NO. 592

SENATE BILL NO. 626

SENATE BILL NO. 627

SENATE BILL NO. 628

SENATE BILL NO. 664

SENATE BILL NO. 666

SENATE BILL NO. 724

SENATE BILL NO. 814

SENATE BILL NO. 840

SENATE BILL NO. 844

SENATE BILL NO. 860
SENATE BILL NO. 861
SENATE BILL NO. 862
SENATE BILL NO. 863
SENATE BILL NO. 868
SENATE BILL NO. 871
SENATE BILL NO. 880
SENATE BILL NO. 918
SENATE BILL NO. 943
SENATE BILL NO. 944
SENATE BILL NO. 963
SENATE BILL NO. 965
SENATE BILL NO. 984
SENATE BILL NO. 985
SENATE BILL NO. 995
SENATE BILL NO. 998
SENATE BILL NO. 999

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AS AMENDED
SENATE BILL NO. 894 AS AMENDED NOS. 1 AND 2

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS CONCURRED IN
SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE AS REQUESTED
SENATE BILL NO. 223
SENATE BILL NO. 536
SENATE BILL NO. 913

HOUSE BILLS TRANSMITTED TO THE SENATE

AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1045

HOUSE BILL NO. 1193

HOUSE BILL NO. 1221

HOUSE BILL NO. 1405

HOUSE BILL NO. 1663

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION TRANSMITTED

TO THE SENATE AS ADOPTED

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1004

HOUSE BILL RETURNED TO THE SENATE

HAVING FAILED TO CONCUR IN SENATE AMENDMENT NOS. 1, 2 & 3

HOUSE BILL NO. 1451

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until 10:00 a.m., Thursday, April 9, 2009.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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EIGHTY-EIGHTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

April 9, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 10:00 o'clock a.m. by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

ALTES, BAKER, BLEDSOE, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, BRYLES, CAPPS, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HENDREN, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, D. JOHNSON, KEY, LAVERTY, LUKER, MADISON, MALONE, MILLER, PRITCHARD, SALMON, SMITH, STEELE, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, THOMPSON, TRUSTY, WHITAKER, WILKINS, WILKINSON, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Hendren.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

ARKANSAS SENATE

State Capitol

Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of the Senate
Coordinator of Legislative Services
State Capitol, Room 320
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

April 9, 2009

The Honorable Mike Beebe
Governor of Arkansas
Executive Chambers
State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas

Dear Governor Beebe:

The Senate respectfully requests the return to the Senate, of Senate Bill 682.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL
Secretary of Senate

AC:as

On motion of Senator Steele, and without objection, the Governor was requested to return Senate Bill No. 682 for further consideration.

On motion of Senator Bob Johnson, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of hearing an address by Governor Beebe and Lieutenant Governor Halter.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 894 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 1 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 1 to SENATE BILL NO. 894

Amend Senate Bill No. 894 as engrossed, S3/25/09:

Page 75, delete lines 22 through 36 and substitute the following:

"SECTION 82. Arkansas Code § 14-116-303(a), concerning nomination and election of directors for water districts and as amended by Act 370 of 2009, is amended to read as follows:

(a)(1) If a water district is composed of all or a portion of four (4) or more counties, then nominations for directors shall be upon petitions signed by at least fifty (50) qualified electors residing in the area of the district from which the director is to be elected. This petition shall be filed with the county ~~board of election commissioners no later than July 1~~ clerk not later than 12:00 noon on July 1 before the general election.

(2) If a water district is composed of all or a portion of less than four (4) counties, then nominations for directors shall be upon petitions signed by at least fifty (50) qualified electors, who shall consist of those electors residing in all or part of any precinct in the service area of the customers of the district from which the director is to be elected. This petition shall be filed with the county ~~board of election commissioners no later than July 1~~ clerk not later than 12:00 noon on July 1 before the general election.

(3) A water district shall file a service area map with the county clerk no later than January 31 before the general election."

AND

Page 76, delete line 1

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

Amendment No. 1 to Senate Bill No. 894, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 894 was called up for the purpose of considering Amendment No. 2 thereto, adopted by the House.

HALL OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

Amendment No. 2 to SENATE BILL NO. 894

Amend Senate Bill No. 894 as engrossed, H4/6/09:

Page 89, delete line 22 and substitute the following:

"proclamation of the Governor in accordance with § ~~7-5-103(b)~~ 7-11-201 et seq.

SECTION 117. EMERGENCY CLAUSE. It is found and determined by the General Assembly of the State of Arkansas that this act makes various revisions to Arkansas election laws that are designed to improve the administration of elections and special elections and that these revisions should be implemented as soon as possible so that the citizens of this state may benefit from improved election procedures. Therefore, an emergency is declared to exist and this act being immediately necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health, and safety shall become effective on:

(1) The date of its approval by the Governor;

(2) If the bill is neither approved nor vetoed by the Governor, the expiration of the period of time during which the Governor may veto the bill; or

(3) If the bill is vetoed by the Governor and the veto is overridden, the date the last house overrides the veto."

(SIGNED) REPRESENTATIVE SAUNDERS

Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 894, adopted by the House, was read the first time, rules suspended, read the second time and concurred in, by the Senate.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

On motion of Senator Faris, and without objection, the rules were suspended pertaining to passage of Amendment and Bill on the same day.

On motion of Senator Faris, Senate Bill No. 894 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

SENATE BILL NO. 894

As Engrossed: S3/25/09 H4/6/09 H4/7/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: SENATOR FARIS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND VARIOUS LAWS *CONCERNING* THE ADMINISTRATION OF ELECTIONS AND SPECIAL ELECTIONS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senate Bill No. 894 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to Senate Bill No. 894, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

Senate Bill No. 894 was returned to the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

The President declared the morning hour to have expired.

On motion of Senator Faris, House Joint Resolution No. 1004 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1004

As Engrossed: H3/18/09 H3/24/09 H4/7/09 H4/8/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE CHEATHAM

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION

PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF ARKANSAS CONCERNING THE INTEREST RATE LIMITS.

Subtitle

PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF ARKANSAS CONCERNING THE INTEREST RATE LIMITS.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS AND BY THE SENATE, A MAJORITY OF ALL MEMBERS ELECTED TO EACH HOUSE AGREEING THERETO:

That the following is proposed as an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, and upon being submitted to the electors of the state for approval or rejection at the next general election for Representatives and Senators, if a majority of the electors voting thereon at the election adopt the amendment, the amendment shall become a part of the Constitution of the State of Arkansas, to wit:

SECTION 1. Governmental Bonds and Loans. (a) The maximum lawful rates of interest on bonds issued by governmental units in the State of Arkansas as set forth in various provisions and amendments to the Arkansas Constitution of 1874, including Article 19, § 13, and Amendment Nos. 30, 38, 62, 65, and 78, are removed.

(b) The maximum lawful rate of interest on loans made by or to governmental units in the State of Arkansas as set forth in Article 19, § 13 of the Arkansas Constitution of 1874 is removed.

(c) Except as may be established by the General Assembly pursuant to Section 8 of this amendment, there shall be no maximum lawful rate on bonds issued by and loans made by or to governmental units.

SECTION 2. Loans by Federally Insured Depository Institutions. The maximum lawful rate of interest, discount points, finance charges, or other similar charges that may be charged, taken, received, or reserved from time to time in any loan or financing transaction by or to any federally insured depository institution having its main office in this State shall be the maximum rate of interest

that was applicable to federally insured depository institutions under 12 U.S.C. § 1831u effective on March 1, 2009.

SECTION 3. Other Loans. The maximum lawful rate of interest on loans or contracts not described in Sections 1 and 2 shall not exceed seventeen percent (17%) per annum.

SECTION 4. Energy Efficiency Project Bonds – Issuance – Terms and Conditions.

(a) A governmental unit, under laws adopted by the General Assembly, may issue bonds to finance all or a portion of the costs of energy efficiency projects. The bonds may bear such terms, be issued in such manner, and be subject to such conditions as may be authorized by the General Assembly. The bonds authorized by Section 4 shall be governmental bonds subject to the provisions of Section 1 of this amendment.

(b) Bonds may be secured by a pledge of the savings from the energy efficiency project and may be repaid from general revenues, special revenues, revenues derived from taxes or any other revenues available to the governmental unit.

(c) The authority conferred by this Section 4 shall be supplemental to other constitutional provisions which authorize the issuance of bonds.

SECTION 5. Definitions. (a) The term "bonds" means all bonds, notes, certificates, financing leases, or other interest-bearing instruments or evidences of indebtedness.

(b) The term "Federal Reserve Primary Credit Rate" means the Primary Credit Rate, or such successor rate, as established by and in effect in the Federal Reserve Bank in the Federal Reserve District in which Arkansas is located.

(c) The term "federally insured depository institution" means a state bank, a national bank, or a savings association, as such terms are defined in 12 U.S.C. § 1813 as such statute existed on January 1, 2009, the deposits of which are insured by the Federal Insurance Deposit Corporation, or its successor.

(d) The term "governmental unit" means the State of Arkansas; any county, municipality, school district, or other political subdivision of the State of Arkansas; any special assessment or taxing district established under the laws of the State of Arkansas; and any agency, board, commission, or instrumentality of any of the foregoing.

(e) The term "loan or financing transaction by or to a federally insured depository institution" means all direct or indirect advances of funds and moneys that are conditioned on the obligation of a person or entity to repay the funds and moneys pursuant to loan agreements, lease agreements, installment sale agreements, security agreements, notes, bill of exchange, or other evidence of debt or other instruments or documents evidencing the indebtedness and are made by or to a federally insured depository institution.

(f) The term "loans made by or to governmental units" means all direct or indirect advances of funds and moneys that are conditioned on the obligation of a person or entity to repay the funds and moneys pursuant to loan agreements, lease agreements, installment sale agreements, security agreements, notes, or other instruments or documents evidencing the indebtedness and are made by or to governmental units.

SECTION 6. Miscellaneous.

(a) The provisions of this amendment are not intended and shall not be deemed to

supersede or otherwise invalidate any provisions of federal law applicable to loans or interest rates including loans secured by residential real property.

(b) All contracts under Section 3 having a rate of interest in excess of the maximum lawful rate shall be void as to principal and interest and the General Assembly shall prohibit the same by law.

SECTION 7. The ballot title for this amendment shall be:

An amendment providing that constitutional provisions setting the maximum lawful rate of interest on bonds issued by and loans made by or to governmental units are repealed; the maximum lawful rate of interest on loans by federally insured depository institutions shall remain at the rate resulting from the federal preemption effective on March 1, 2009; establishing that the maximum lawful rate of interest on any other loan or contract shall not exceed seventeen percent (17%) per annum; authorizing governmental units to issue bonds to finance energy efficiency projects and allowing such bonds to be repaid from any source including general revenues derived from taxes; providing that any federal laws applicable to loans or interest rates are not superseded by the amendment; and repealing Article 19, § 13, and the interest rate provisions of Amendment Nos. 30, 38, 62, 65, and 78 of the Arkansas Constitution.

SECTION 8. Nothing in this amendment shall limit the power of the General Assembly to fix, from time to time, one or more interest rate limits on various types of bonds issued by and loans made by or to governmental units.

SECTION 9. If this amendment or the application thereof to any person or circumstances is held invalid, the remainder of the amendment and its application to persons or circumstances other than those to which it is held invalid shall not be affected.

SECTION 10. The provisions of this amendment, other than the provisions of Section 4 of this amendment, shall be self-executing.

SECTION 11. The General Assembly may by a three-fourths vote of each house of the General Assembly amend the provisions of this amendment so long as the amendments are germane to this amendment and consistent with its policy and purposes.

SECTION 12. The provisions of this amendment shall apply to all bonds issued and loans made after the effective date of this amendment.

SECTION 13. The effective date of this amendment is January 1, 2011.

SECTION 14. This amendment shall repeal Article 19, § 13, and the interest rate provisions of Amendment Nos. 30, 38, 62, 65, and 78 of the Arkansas Constitution.

House Joint Resolution No. 1004 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, D. Wyatt.

Total 34

NEGATIVE: Wilkinson.

Total 1

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Joint Resolution No. 1004 was ordered immediately returned to the House as concurred in.

On motion of Senator Madison, Senate Joint Resolution Bill No. 12 was withdrawn from the Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Madison, and without objection, Senate Joint Resolution No. 12 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1992 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1992

As Engrossed: H3/19/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVES ABERNATHY AND *GEORGE*

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF MISCELLANEOUS FUNDS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1992 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1992, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1992 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1993 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1993

As Engrossed: H3/31/09 H4/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE ABERNATHY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A TWO-YEAR OR FOUR-YEAR COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY TO PROVIDE *ENDORSED CONCURRENT ENROLLMENT* COURSES TO HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS AT A REDUCED TUITION *AMOUNT;* AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1993 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast..... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1993 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

STATE OF ARKANSAS
OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

State Capitol
Little Rock 72201

April 9, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform you that on April 9, 2009, I returned Senate Bill No. 682 as requested by the Senate.

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

Senate Bill No. 682 was returned from the Governor as requested.

On motion of Senator J. Jeffress, House Bill No. 1862 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1862
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: REPRESENTATIVES CARMINE AND J. ROEBUCK
BY: SENATOR J. JEFFRESS

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ENSURE INDIVIDUALS WITH NATIONAL BOARD FOR PROFESSIONAL TEACHING STANDARDS CERTIFICATION ARE ELIGIBLE FOR PAYMENTS WHILE THEY CONTRIBUTE TO THE SUCCESS OF THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1862 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1862 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Bryles, House Bill No. 1091 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1091

As Engrossed: H2/12/09 H2/19/09 H2/24/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE SAMPLE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO ALLOW A SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO MEET IN EXECUTIVE SESSION ON AN APPEAL OF THE SUSPENSION OR EXPULSION OF A PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENT; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Senator Glover spoke against the Bill.

Senator Altes spoke for the Bill.

Senator Madison spoke against the Bill.

Senator J. Jeffress spoke for the Bill.

Senator Elliott spoke against the Bill.

Senator Miller spoke for the Bill.

Senator Crumbly spoke for the Bill.

Senator Smith closed for the Bill.

House Bill No. 1091 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, Bledsoe, Bookout, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, J. Key, Luker, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, R. Thompson, Whitaker, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 22

NEGATIVE: G. Baker, Elliott, Faris, Glover, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, Laverty, Madison, Salmon, Teague, Trusty, H. Wilkins.

Total 12

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING: Broadway.

Total 1

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 34

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1091 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of Budget Bills.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1193 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1193 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1193

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION - ARKANSAS REHABILITATION SERVICES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1193 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast..... 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1193, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast..... 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1193 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1221 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1221 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1221
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION
BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR PERSONAL SERVICES AND OPERATING EXPENSES FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION - ARKANSAS STATE LIBRARY FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1221 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1221, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D.

Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total..... 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total..... 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total..... 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1221 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Baker, the rules were suspended in considering House Bill No. 1405 at this time.

On motion of Senator Baker, House Bill No. 1405 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1405

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT TO MAKE AN APPROPRIATION FOR MISCELLANEOUS GRANTS AND EXPENSES AND VARIOUS AGENCY TRANSFERS FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION - DISBURSING OFFICER FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2010; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 1405 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 27

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

There being an emergency clause attached to House Bill No. 1405, the President ordered the Secretary to call the roll upon the adoption of the emergency clause.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the adoption of the Emergency Clause 24

So the Emergency Clause was adopted.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1405 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 967 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Steele, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 967 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Steele, Senate Bill No. 969 was withdrawn from the Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Steele, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 969 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR.

On motion of Senator Key, House Bill No. 2129 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 2129

As Engrossed: H4/3/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE EVERETT

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: AN ACT CONCERNING THE CREATION OF *THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE* ON ATHLETIC TRAINING IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

House Bill No. 2129 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total..... 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast.....35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 2129 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, House Bill No. 1663 was called up for third reading and final disposition.

HOUSE BILL NO. 1663

As Engrossed: H3/18/09 H4/7/09

EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

REGULAR SESSION

BY: REPRESENTATIVE WEBB

BY: SENATOR BROADWAY

A Bill for an Act to be Entitled: *AN ACT TO PROMOTE THE CONSERVATION OF ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES IN BUILDINGS OWNED BY PUBLIC AGENCIES AND INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.*

House Bill No. 1663 was placed on third reading and final disposition, the question being: Shall the Bill pass?

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members voted:

AFFIRMATIVE: Altes, G. Baker, Bledsoe, Bookout, Broadway, Bryles, Capps, Crumbly, Elliott, Faris, Glover, Hendren, Horn, G. Jeffress, J. Jeffress, B. Johnson, D. Johnson, J. Key, Laverty, Luker, Madison, P. Malone, Miller, B. Pritchard, Salmon, T. Smith, Steele, J. Taylor, Teague, R. Thompson, Trusty, Whitaker, H. Wilkins, Wilkinson, D. Wyatt.

Total 35

NEGATIVE:

Total 0

ABSENT OR NOT VOTING:

Total 0

VOTING PRESENT:

Total 0

Total number of votes cast 35

Necessary to the passage of the bill 18

So the bill passed and the title as read was agreed to.

(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL, SECRETARY

House Bill No. 1663 was ordered immediately returned to the House as passed.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 859 was withdrawn from the Committee on JUDICIARY, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Broadway, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 859 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on JUDICIARY.

On motion of Senator Broadway, Senate Bill No. 919 was withdrawn from the Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS, and placed on the Calendar.

On motion of Senator Broadway, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 919 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS.

Senate Bill No. 956 returned from the House as requested.

On motion of Senator Crumbly, and without objection, Senate Bill No. 956 was recommended for study in the interim by Senate Interim Committee on EDUCATION.

Senator Luker, Vice-Chairman of Senate Rules Committee, is recognized in regard to the election of the Senate President Pro Tempore Designee:

Following is the procedure the Senate Rules Committee approved to recommend to the Senate on April 9, 2009, in regard to the election of the Senate President Pro Tempore Designee:

Immediately before recess of the 87th General Assembly, the Senate shall elect the Senate President Pro Tempore Designee for the 88th General Assembly.

The election shall be done by secret ballot with the following guidelines:

If a Senator is unable to be present for the election of the Senate President Pro Tempore Designee for the 88th General Assembly, that Senator shall submit his or her vote in a sealed envelope to the Secretary of the Senate.

The election can only be held when all members are present to vote by secret ballot and when the Secretary of the Senate has the absent member's sealed ballot in hand.
The body may give leave of a Senator who unexpectedly has to be absent.

Any member interested in running for the position of Senate President Pro Tempore Designee for the 88th General Assembly, needs to inform the Secretary of the Senate of his or her intention of running for the position no later than one day prior to the recess of the 87th General Assembly.

The Secretary of the Senate shall prepare ballots with the names of all Senators who informed the Secretary of the Senate of their intention to be a candidate for the position of Senate President Pro Tempore Designee for the 88th General Assembly.

Each candidate will draw for positions to speak to the body and will be allowed to speak for not over 2 minutes.

Each candidate shall designate a fellow Senator to be his or her counter of the ballots. The folded ballots will be handed out to all Senators by the Secretary of the Senate and collected by the Secretary of the Senate.

The ballots will be turned over to the Senate Rules Committee Vice-Chairman who will then give the ballots to the designated counters. The designated counters shall count the ballots in private, and upon agreement of the vote totals, shall shred all ballots.

If no Senator has a majority, a run-off will be required and a new ballot will be distributed to the members of Senate with the names of the Senators in the run-off. The folded ballots will be handed out to all Senators by the Secretary of the Senate and collected by the Secretary of the Senate.

The ballots will be turned over to the Senate Rules Committee Vice-Chairman who will then give the ballots to the designated counters. The designated counters shall count the ballots in private, and upon agreement of the vote totals, shall shred all ballots.

The counters then will appear before the body in the Senate Chamber and announce the winner of the election to the Senate.

The Senator receiving a majority vote of the Senate membership shall be elected the Senate President Pro Tempore Designee for the 88th General Assembly.

On motion of Senator Luker, the Senate resolved itself into the Committee of the Whole for the purpose of deliberating selection of President Pro Tem for the 88th General Assembly. Candidates are: Senator Bookout, Senator Salmon, Senator Whitaker. Senator Bookout elected.

Without objection, the Committee of the Whole was dissolved, and the Senate took up its regular order of business.

Senate Bill No. 79 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 290 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 298 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 705 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 807 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 886 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 932 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 964 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

Senate Bill No. 968 was returned from the House as passed and ordered enrolled.

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 918, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 944, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 963, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 965, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 984, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 985, BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 995, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 998, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,
SENATE BILL NO. 999, BY SENATOR J. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:55 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 918
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SENATE BILL NO. 998
SENATE BILL NO. 999

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 9th day of April, 2009 at 9:55 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J.D. Lowery
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 592, BY SENATOR WHITAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 568, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 612, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 626, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

SENATE BILL NO. 627, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 628, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 664, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 666, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 679, BY SENATOR WILKINSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 680, BY SENATOR WILKINSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 724, BY SENATOR CRUMBLY,
SENATE BILL NO. 814, BY SENATORS BROADWAY AND BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 840, BY SENATOR SALMON,
SENATE BILL NO. 844, BY SENATOR BAKER,
SENATE BILL NO. 860, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 861, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 862, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 863, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 868, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 871, BY SENATOR TEAGUE,
SENATE BILL NO. 880, BY SENATOR G. JEFFRESS,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:50 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 592
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(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J.D. Lowery
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 506, BY SENATOR B. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 496, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 459, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 453, BY SENATOR ALTES ET AL,
SENATE BILL NO. 452, BY SENATORS SALMON & MADISON ET AL
SENATE BILL NO. 438, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 416, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 391, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 43, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 100, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 109, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 152, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 204, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 276, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 278, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 289, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 297, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 308, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 358, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 390, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 46, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:45 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 506
SENATE BILL NO. 496
SENATE BILL NO. 459
SENATE BILL NO. 453
SENATE BILL NO. 452
SENATE BILL NO. 438
SENATE BILL NO. 416
SENATE BILL NO. 391
SENATE BILL NO. 43
SENATE BILL NO. 100
SENATE BILL NO. 109
SENATE BILL NO. 152
SENATE BILL NO. 204
SENATE BILL NO. 276
SENATE BILL NO. 278
SENATE BILL NO. 289
SENATE BILL NO. 297
SENATE BILL NO. 308
SENATE BILL NO. 358
SENATE BILL NO. 390
SENATE BILL NO. 46

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 9th day of April, 2009 at 9:45 a.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) J.D. Lowery
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9,
BY SENATOR ELLIOTT,
SENATE BILL NO. 299, BY SENATOR WILKINS,
SENATE BILL NO. 803, BY SENATOR MADISON,
SENATE BILL NO. 334, BY SENATOR BRYLES,
SENATE BILL NO. 959, BY SENATOR CAPPS,
SENATE BILL NO. 631, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 402, BY SENATOR MALONE,
SENATE BILL NO. 205, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 262, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 291, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 9:45 a.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 9
SENATE BILL NO. 299
SENATE BILL NO. 803
SENATE BILL NO. 334
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SENATE BILL NO. 205
SENATE BILL NO. 262
SENATE BILL NO. 291

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Governor

(SIGNED) J.D. Lowery
Secretary

ARKANSAS SENATE
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

April 9, 2009

Mr. President:

We, your Committee on ENROLLED BILLS, to whom was referred:

SENATE BILL NO. 79, BY SENATOR D. JOHNSON,
SENATE BILL NO. 290, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 298, BY JOINT BUDGET COMMITTEE,
SENATE BILL NO. 705, BY SENATOR SALMON,

SENATE BILL NO. 807, BY SENATOR KEY,
SENATE BILL NO. 886, BY SENATOR BROADWAY,
SENATE BILL NO. 894, BY SENATOR FARIS,
SENATE BILL NO. 932, BY SENATOR MALONE,
SENATE BILL NO. 964, BY SENATOR STEELE,
SENATE BILL NO. 968, BY SENATOR STEELE,

beg leave to report that we have carefully compared the enrolled copies with the original and we find the same correctly enrolled and have at 12:10 p.m. delivered them to the Governor for his approval.

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

GOVERNOR'S BILL RECEIPTS

SENATE BILL NO. 79
SENATE BILL NO. 290
SENATE BILL NO. 298
SENATE BILL NO. 705
SENATE BILL NO. 807
SENATE BILL NO. 886
SENATE BILL NO. 894
SENATE BILL NO. 932
SENATE BILL NO. 964
SENATE BILL NO. 968

RECEIVED the above papers from the Secretary of the Senate this 9th day of April, 2009 at 12:10 p.m.

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

(SIGNED) Marc Harrison
Secretary

HOUSE BILLS RETURNED TO THE HOUSE
AS PASSED

HOUSE BILL NO. 1091
HOUSE BILL NO. 1193
HOUSE BILL NO. 1221
HOUSE BILL NO. 1405
HOUSE BILL NO. 1663
HOUSE BILL NO. 1862
HOUSE BILL NO. 1992
HOUSE BILL NO. 1993
HOUSE BILL NO. 2129

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION RETURNED
TO THE HOUSE AS CONCURRED IN

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 1004

SENATE BILLS RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE
AS PASSED AND ORDERED ENROLLED

SENATE BILL NO. 79
SENATE BILL NO. 290
SENATE BILL NO. 298
SENATE BILL NO. 705
SENATE BILL NO. 807
SENATE BILL NO. 886
SENATE BILL NO. 932
SENATE BILL NO. 964
SENATE BILL NO. 968

SENATE BILL RETURNED FROM THE HOUSE AS REQUESTED

SENATE BILL NO. 956

On motion of Senator Whitaker, the Senate adjourned until no later than noon, Friday, May 1, 2009.

PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

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ONE HUNDRED TENTH DAY'S PROCEEDINGS
SENATE CHAMBER
EIGHTY-SEVENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY
REGULAR SESSION

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Little Rock, Arkansas

May 1, 2009

The Senate was called to order at 12 o'clock noon by the President.

The Secretary called the roll, and the following members answered to roll call:

BAKER, BOOKOUT, BROADWAY, CRUMBLY, ELLIOTT, FARIS, GLOVER, HORN, G. JEFFRESS, J. JEFFRESS, B. JOHNSON, SALMON, SMITH, TAYLOR, TEAGUE, WYATT.

The Senate was led in prayer by Senator Jimmy Jeffress.

The Senate was led in the Pledge of Allegiance by the President.

On motion of Senator B Glover, the reading of the Journal was dispensed with.

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

April 9, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on April 9, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 002, - ACT 1274,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

April 9, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on April 9, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 627, - ACT 1440,
Senate Bill No. 626, - ACT 1443,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

April 9, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on April 9, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 129, - ACT 1315,
Senate Bill No. 177, - ACT 1316,
Senate Bill No. 180, - ACT 1317,
Senate Bill No. 194, - ACT 1318,
Senate Bill No. 195, - ACT 1319,
Senate Bill No. 197, - ACT 1320,
Senate Bill No. 201, - ACT 1321,
Senate Bill No. 210, - ACT 1322,
Senate Bill No. 224, - ACT 1323,
Senate Bill No. 228, - ACT 1324,
Senate Bill No. 231, - ACT 1325,
Senate Bill No. 240, - ACT 1326,
Senate Bill No. 257, - ACT 1327,
Senate Bill No. 265, - ACT 1328,
Senate Bill No. 266, - ACT 1329,
Senate Bill No. 326, - ACT 1330,
Senate Bill No. 328, - ACT 1331,
Senate Bill No. 370, - ACT 1332,
Senate Bill No. 347, - ACT 1333,
Senate Bill No. 417, - ACT 1334,
Senate Bill No. 418, - ACT 1335,
Senate Bill No. 440, - ACT 1336,
Senate Bill No. 463, - ACT 1337,
Senate Bill No. 465, - ACT 1338,
Senate Bill No. 471, - ACT 1339,
Senate Bill No. 473, - ACT 1340,
Senate Bill No. 478, - ACT 1341,
Senate Bill No. 483, - ACT 1342,
Senate Bill No. 484, - ACT 1343,
Senate Bill No. 485, - ACT 1344,
Senate Bill No. 488, - ACT 1345,
Senate Bill No. 507, - ACT 1346,
Senate Bill No. 514, - ACT 1347,
Senate Bill No. 565, - ACT 1348,
Senate Bill No. 570, - ACT 1349,
Senate Bill No. 586, - ACT 1350,
Senate Bill No. 594, - ACT 1351,
Senate Bill No. 603, - ACT 1352,
Senate Bill No. 605, - ACT 1353,
Senate Bill No. 611, - ACT 1354,
Senate Bill No. 630, - ACT 1355,
Senate Bill No. 639, - ACT 1356,
Senate Bill No. 644, - ACT 1357,
Senate Bill No. 665, - ACT 1358,
Senate Bill No. 707, - ACT 1359,
Senate Bill No. 714, - ACT 1360,
Senate Bill No. 723, - ACT 1361,
Senate Bill No. 728, - ACT 1362,
Senate Bill No. 747, - ACT 1363,
Senate Bill No. 755, - ACT 1364,
Senate Bill No. 761, - ACT 1365,
Senate Bill No. 779, - ACT 1366,
Senate Bill No. 827, - ACT 1367,
Senate Bill No. 847, - ACT 1368,
Senate Bill No. 889, - ACT 1369,
Senate Bill No. 904, - ACT 1370,
Senate Bill No. 912, - ACT 1371,
Senate Bill No. 921, - ACT 1372,
Senate Bill No. 943, - ACT 1373,
Senate Bill No. 947, - ACT 1374,
Senate Bill No. 949, - ACT 1375,
Senate Bill No. 955, - ACT 1376,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

April 9, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on April 9, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 043, - ACT 1410,
Senate Bill No. 046, - ACT 1411,
Senate Bill No. 100, - ACT 1412,
Senate Bill No. 109, - ACT 1413,
Senate Bill No. 152, - ACT 1414,
Senate Bill No. 204, - ACT 1415,
Senate Bill No. 205, - ACT 1416,
Senate Bill No. 262, - ACT 1417,
Senate Bill No. 278, - ACT 1418,
Senate Bill No. 289, - ACT 1419,
Senate Bill No. 290, - ACT 1420,
Senate Bill No. 291, - ACT 1421,
Senate Bill No. 297, - ACT 1422,
Senate Bill No. 298, - ACT 1423,
Senate Bill No. 308, - ACT 1424,
Senate Bill No. 390, - ACT 1425,
Senate Bill No. 391, - ACT 1426,
Senate Bill No. 416, - ACT 1427,
Senate Bill No. 438, - ACT 1428,
Senate Bill No. 453, - ACT 1429,
Senate Bill No. 496, - ACT 1430,
Senate Bill No. 506, - ACT 1431,
Senate Bill No. 568, - ACT 1432,
Senate Bill No. 592, - ACT 1433,
Senate Bill No. 612, - ACT 1434,
Senate Bill No. 666, - ACT 1435,
Senate Bill No. 679, - ACT 1436,
Senate Bill No. 680, - ACT 1437,
Senate Bill No. 705, - ACT 1438,
Senate Bill No. 724, - ACT 1439,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

April 13, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on April 10, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 079, - ACT 1457,
Senate Bill No, 299, - ACT 1458,
Senate Bill No. 334, - ACT 1459,
Senate Bill No. 358, - ACT 1460,
Senate Bill No. 402, - ACT 1461,
Senate Bill No. 452, - ACT 1462,
Senate Bill No. 459, - ACT 1463,
Senate Bill No. 628, - ACT 1464,
Senate Bill No. 631, - ACT 1465,
Senate Bill No. 664, - ACT 1466,
Senate Bill No. 803, - ACT 1467,
Senate Bill No. 807, - ACT 1468,
Senate Bill No. 814, - ACT 1469,
Senate Bill No. 840, - ACT 1470,
Senate Bill No. 844, - ACT 1471,
Senate Bill No. 860, - ACT 1472,
Senate Bill No. 861, - ACT 1473,
Senate Bill No. 862, - ACT 1474,
Senate Bill No. 863, - ACT 1475,
Senate Bill No. 868, - ACT 1476,
Senate Bill No. 871, - ACT 1477,
Senate Bill No. 880, - ACT 1478,
Senate Bill No. 886, - ACT 1479,
Senate Bill No. 894, - ACT 1480,
Senate Bill No. 918, - ACT 1481,
Senate Bill No. 932, - ACT 1482,
Senate Bill No. 944, - ACT 1483,
Senate Bill No. 959, - ACT 1484,
Senate Bill No. 963, - ACT 1485,
Senate Bill No. 964, - ACT 1486,
Senate Bill No. 965, - ACT 1487,
Senate Bill No. 968, - ACT 1488,
Senate Bill No. 984, - ACT 1489,
Senate Bill No. 985, - ACT 1490,
Senate Bill No. 995, - ACT 1491,
Senate Bill No. 998, - ACT 1492,
Senate Bill No. 999, - ACT 1493,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

STATE OF ARKANSAS

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

STATE CAPITOL
LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

MIKE BEEBE
Governor

April 14, 2009

TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

Dear Mr. President:

This is to inform your Honorable Body that on April 10, 2009, I approved the following measures from the Regular Session of the Eighty-seventh General Assembly:

Senate Bill No. 276, - ACT 1496,

Sincerely,

(SIGNED) MIKE BEEBE
Governor

STATE OF ARKANSAS
Arkansas Senate

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS

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Secretary of the Senate
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SIGNED DAVID FERGUSON
Director Bureau of Legislative Research

May 1, 2009

Mr. David Ferguson, Director
Bureau of Legislative Research
State Capitol, Room 315
Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Mr. Ferguson:

The following bills were referred to interim committees for further study at Sine Die Adjournment of the Senate on May 1, 2009, and are being retained in the Senate for your use:

SENATE BILLS REFERRED TO INTERIM STUDY

EDUCATION

SENATE BILL	304	SENATE BILL	842
	319		865
	394		877
	411		899
	430		900
	734		935
	736		956
	740		1006
	799		

CITY, COUNTY AND LOCAL AFFAIRS

SENATE BILL	774
	829

INSURANCE AND COMMERCE

SENATE BILL 777
929
930
931
940

JUDICIARY

SENATE BILL 796
859

PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND LABOR

SENATE BILL 787
922
967
969

AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY & ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

SENATE BILL 349
864
1007

JOINT RETIREMENT AND SOCIAL SECURITY

SENATE BILL 158
178
220

STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

SENATE BILL 253
536
802
845
902
957
974

REVENUE AND TAXATION

SENATE BILL 157
223
534
946
973

TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

SENATE BILL 29
124
125
919
950

CHILDREN AND YOUTH

SENATE BILL 913

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION REFERRED TO INTERIM STUDY

STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 12

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Cornwell, Secretary of the Senate
Coordinator of Legislative Affairs

STATE OF ARKANSAS
Arkansas Senate

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(SIGNED) ROBBIE WILLS
Speaker of House

May 1, 2009

The Honorable Robbie Wills
Speaker, House of Representatives
State Capitol, Room 350
Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Mr. Speaker:

I am enclosing herewith a list of the following bills that died in the Senate at Sine Die Adjournment of the Senate on May 1, 2009:

HOUSE BILLS DYING ON THE SENATE CALENDAR

HOUSE BILL 1451 HOUSE BILL 2071

HOUSE BILLS DYING IN SENATE COMMITTEES

EDUCATION

HOUSE BILL 1554
2049
2101
2263

JUDICIARY

HOUSE BILL 1010
1215
1237
1545
1566
1578

HOUSE BILL 1713
1849
1943
2017
2086

PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE AND LABOR

HOUSE BILL 1114
1464
1839

AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

HOUSE BILL 1666
2251

STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

HOUSE BILL 1086
1339
1928

REVENUE AND TAXATION

HOUSE BILL 1045
1225
1378
1491
1686
1748
1905

HOUSE BILL 1910
1911
1929
2060
2202
2250

TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY & LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

HOUSE BILL 1148
1865
2217

HOUSE BILL DYING IN THE SENATE

HOUSE BILL 1459

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Cornwell, Secretary of the Senate
Coordinator of Legislative Services

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(SIGNED) CHARLIE DANIELS
Secretary of State

May 1, 2009

The Honorable Charlie Daniels
Secretary of State
State Capitol, Room 256
Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Secretary Daniels:

I am enclosing herewith a list of the following Senate Bills and Senate Resolutions returned from the House of Representatives at Sine die Adjournment on May 1, 2009.

SENATE BILLS DYING IN HOUSE COMMITTEE

REVENUE AND TAXATION

SENATE BILL 9
95
126

JUDICIARY

SENATE BILL 251

EDUCATION

SENATE BILL 313
910
987

CITY, COUNTY AND LOCAL AFFAIRS

SENATE BILL 608

STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

SENATE BILL 775

TRANSPORTATION

SENATE BILL 782

RULES

SENATE BILL 892

SENATE BILL DYING IN HOUSE HAVING FAILED TO PASS

SENATE BILL 377

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION DYING IN HOUSE COMMITTEE

STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 5

Respectfully submitted,

Ann Cornwell, Secretary of the Senate
Coordinator of Legislative Affairs

STATE OF ARKANSAS
Arkansas Senate

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(SIGNED) CHARLIE DANIELS
Secretary of State

May 1, 2009

The Honorable Charlie Daniels
Secretary of State
State Capitol, Room 256
Little Rock, AR 72201

Dear Secretary Daniels:

I am enclosing herewith a list of the following Senate Bills and Senate Resolutions remaining in the Senate at Sine Die Adjournment on May 1, 2009.

SENATE BILLS DYING WHILE HELD ON SENATE CALENDAR

SENATE BILL	337	SENATE BILL	945
	682		988
	692		989

SENATE BILL DYING ON THE SENATE CALENDAR

SENATE BILL 247

SENATE BILLS DYING IN COMMITTEE

JUDICIARY

SENATE BILL	21	SENATE BILL	925
	325		953
	327		976
	811		997
	924		

CITY, COUNTY & LOCAL AFFAIRS

SENATE BILL	908	SENATE BILL	991

PUBLIC EDUCATION

SENATE BILL	19	SENATE BILL	887
	30		888
	108		890
	249		891
	498		905
	766		941
	793		952
	794		962
	805		970
	821		971
	828		977
	838		979
	848		981
	849		982
	851		1008
	858		1009

INSURANCE & COMMERCE

SENATE BILL	584	SENATE BILL	992
	795		994
	808		1004
	954		

AGRICULTURE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

SENATE BILL	874	SENATE BILL	928
	907		960
	914		996
	927		

JOINT RETIREMENT

SENATE BILL	130	SENATE BILL	172
	131		173
	132		174
	134		175
	135		176
	136		181
	137		183
	141		184
	146		185
	159		187
	160		189
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	162		234
	166		235
	167		236
	168		237
	169		241
	171		242

PUBLIC HEALTH, WELFARE & LABOR

SENATE BILL	23	SENATE BILL	906
	25		911
	115		916
	216		933
	378		939
	798		1000
	839		1010

JOINT BUDGET

SENATE BILL	48	SENATE BILL	583
	286		660
	287		738
	469		753
	535		754
	581		

REVENUE AND TAX

SENATE BILL	4	SENATE BILL	96
	5		336
	6		363
	7		640
	8		832
	10		833
	11		834
	12		835
	13		909
	22		986
	24		990
	90		1003

STATE AGENCIES AND GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

SENATE BILL	338	SENATE BILL	895
	344		915
	783		978
	883		983

TRANSPORTATION, TECHNOLOGY AND LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS

SENATE BILL	20	SENATE BILL	917
	31		948
	248		951
	564		

SENATE BILLS WITHDRAWN BY AUTHOR

SENATE BILL	14	SENATE BILL	314
	17		333
	18		365
	32		395
	36		551
	89		563
	103		569
	105		735
	106		739
	107		768
	122		784
	127		792
	211		816
	212		817
	213		818
	214		822
	215		823
	219		837
	221		869
	222		879
	296		881
			893

SENATE RESOLUTION DYING ON SENATE CALENDAR

SENATE RESOLUTION 9

SENATE RESOLUTIONS READ & ADOPTED

SENATE RESOLUTION 1
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SENATE RESOLUTION 19
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SENATE RESOLUTIONS DYING IN SENATE COMMITTEE

STATE AGENCIES & GOVERNMENTAL AFFAIRS

SENATE RESOLUTION 4
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SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION DYING ON SENATE CALENDAR

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 1

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION DYING IN SENATE COMMITTEE

AGRICULTURE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 11

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION WITHDRAWN BY AUTHOR

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 8

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Respectfully submitted,

Ann Cornwell, Secretary of the Senate

STATE OF ARKANSAS
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REGULAR SESSION
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May 1, 2009

The Honorable Ann Cornwell
Secretary of Senate
State Capitol Building
Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Dear Ms. Cornwell:

Attached are the Senate Bills and Resolutions which either failed or died in Committee at Sine Die adjournment of the Regular Session of the 87th General Assembly.

Rev. & Tax	Education	Judiciary	State Agencies	Rules
SB9	SB313	SB251	SB775	SB892
SB95	SB910		SCR5	
SB126	SB987			

Transportation	City, County & Local
SB782	SB608

Failed
SB377

Respectfully submitted,

(SIGNED) JO RENSHAW
Chief Clerk

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On motion of Senator Glover, the Senate adjourned sine die.

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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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SECRETARY OF THE SENATE

Arkansas General Assembly

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We, your Committee on Transportation, Technology and Legislative Affairs, have checked the Journal of the 87th General Assembly, Regular Session carefully and find it correct and in proper form for filing with the Secretary of State.

Respectfully submitted,

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(SIGNED) JOHN PAUL CAPPS
CHAIRMAN

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(SIGNED) WILLIAM A. HALTER
PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

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(SIGNED) ANN CORNWELL,
SECRETARY OF THE SENATE