

AGENDA

SENATE INTERIM COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION and the HOUSE INTERIM COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION

Thursday, December 17, 2009

10:00 A.M.

Room 171, State Capitol

Little Rock, Arkansas 72201

Sen. Jimmy Jeffress, Chair
Sen. Steve Bryles, Vice Chair
Sen. Kim Hendren
Sen. Shane Broadway
Sen. Gene Jeffress
Sen. Mary Anne Salmon
Sen. Johnny Key
Sen. Joyce Elliott

Rep. Bill Abernathy, Chair
Rep. Nancy Duffy Blount, Vice Chair
Rep. Mark Martin
Rep. Rick Saunders
Rep. David Rainey
Rep. David Cook
Rep. Eddie Cheatham
Rep. Toni Bradford
Rep. Donna Hutchinson
Rep. Jerry Brown
Rep. Charolette Wagner
Rep. Steven Breedlove
Rep. Dan Greenberg
Rep. Tim Summers
Rep. Les "Skip" Carnine
Rep. Mark Perry

Rep. Linda Tyler
Rep. Robert Dale
Rep. Monty Betts
Rep. Jody Dickinson
Rep. Fred Allen, Non-Voting
Rep. Robert Moore, Non-Voting
Rep. Tommy Lee Baker, Non-Voting
Rep. Johnnie Roebuck, Non-Voting
Rep. Debra Hobbs, Non-Voting
Rep. Uvalde Lindsey, Non-Voting
Rep. Darrin Williams, Non-Voting
Rep. Karen Hopper, Non-Voting
Rep. Steve Cole, Non-Voting
Rep. Ann Clemmer, Non-Voting
Rep. Tiffany Rogers, Non-Voting
Rep. Mary Slinkard, Non-Voting

- A. Call to Order – 10:00 A.M.
 - B. Approval of the Minutes of the October 28, 2009, Meeting [**Exhibit B**]
 - C. Update on Implementation of the Education Plan of the Division of Youth Services, Arkansas Department of Human Services
Mr. Ron Angel, Director, Division of Youth Services, Arkansas Department of Human Services
Mr. Jerry Walsh, Executive Director, South Arkansas Youth Services, Inc.
Ms. Cindy Snider, Assistant Director, South Arkansas Youth Services, Inc.
 - D. Update on Expenditure of Federal Funds for Education Purposes under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) and other Federal Programs
Mr. Chris Masingill, Arkansas Recovery Implementation Officer, Office of the Governor
Ms. Heather Gage, Special Advisor to the Commissioner, Arkansas Department of Education
 - E. Update on the Arkansas Partnership for Teacher Quality (Ar-PTQ) Research Project
Dr. Angela Sewall, Dean, College of Education, University of Arkansas at Little Rock
Mr. Richard Hutchinson, Government Relations/Instructional Issues Director, Arkansas Education Association
 - F. Adoption of Interim Study Proposal 2009-203 by Senator Hendren, REQUESTING THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION AND THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION CONDUCT A STUDY OF THE PUBLIC MEETING FACILITIES PROVIDED FOR THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETINGS. [**Exhibit F**]
- Other Business
Adjournment

Revised 12-15-2009 8:30 a.m.

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