

AGENDA
Senate Committee on State Agencies and
Governmental Affairs
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Tuesday, February 27, 2007
10:00 AM
OSC, State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas

Sen. Steve Faris, Chair
Sen. Gilbert Baker, Vice Chair
Sen. Ed Wilkinson
Sen. Shawn Womack

Sen. Randy Laverty
Sen. Bobby Glover
Sen. Bill Pritchard
Sen. Jack Crumbly

CONCUR IN HOUSE AMENDMENT

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
SB16	R. Thompson	AN ACT CONCERNING REGISTRATION AS A LOBBYIST BY A FORMER MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.
SB209	Faris	TO UPDATE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT SERVICES.
SB268	Faris	AN ACT CONCERNING RECIPROCITY PROCEDURES ADMINISTERED BY THE ARKANSAS STATE POLICE FOR CONCEALED HANDGUN PERMITS.

REGULAR AGENDA

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
SB238	J. Jeffress	AN ACT CONCERNING FILING FOR REELECTION BY INCUMBENT CANDIDATES.
SB304	T. Smith	AN ACT TO TREAT NATIVE WINE MANUFACTURERS EQUALLY WITH OTHER MANUFACTURERS AND TO PROTECT THE STATE'S TRADITIONAL THREE-TIER SYSTEM FOR THE CONTROL OF ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES.
SB309	Faris	AN ACT TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING PAPER BALLOTS.
SB368	Wilkinson	TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE BANK DEPARTMENT TO OWN, ACQUIRE, OR CONSTRUCT SUITABLE OFFICES AND TO OBTAIN THE NECESSARY FUNDS FOR THE ACQUISITION OR CONSTRUCTION OF SUITABLE OFFICES.
SB380	Salmon	AN ACT CONCERNING TERMS OF SERVICE OF MEMBERS OF THE COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS.
SB381	Bookout	AN ACT TO CREATE THE UAMS CANCER RESEARCH CENTER MATCHING FUND.
SB390	J. Taylor	REGARDING THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF INSTITUTIONAL LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS.
SB402	G. Jeffress	TO MODIFY THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE STATE FIRE PREVENTION COMMISSION.
HB1426	Walters	AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR CHARITABLE BINGO AND RAFFLES.
HB1454	D. Johnson	AN ACT TO DISCONTINUE THE ARKANSAS ADVISORY COMMISSION ON MANDATED HEALTH INSURANCE BENEFITS.
HB1439	W. Lewellen	AN ACT TO CREATE THE TASKFORCE FOR THE STUDY OF THE HOMELESS.
HB1509	Hardwick	EXTENDING INSTANT RUNOFF VOTING TO ALL OVERSEAS VOTERS.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
SJR4	Faris	AN ACT AMENDING VARIOUS PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING VOTING AND ELECTIONS.
SJR6	Faris	AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING FEES, MONEYS, OR FUNDS RELATED TO OIL, GAS, OR OTHER MINERALS IN AND UNDER LANDS OWNED BY THE ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION.
SJR7	Faris	AMENDING THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO CREATE A CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHT TO HUNT, FISH, TRAP, AND HARVEST GAME.
SJR8	Broadway	AMENDING THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO PERMIT PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS TO COMBINE FINANCIAL RESOURCES TO SUPPORT A TECHNICAL SCHOOL.
SJR10	Bookout	PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO CHANGE SESSIONS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY FROM BIENNIAL TO ANNUAL SESSIONS AND TO ESTABLISH THE LENGTH OF THE SESSIONS.
SJR11	Altes	AMENDING THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS FOR PUBLIC OFFICIALS.
SJR14	Hendren	PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF ARKANSAS AUTHORIZING THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO PASS SPECIAL OR LOCAL APPROPRIATION ACTS THAT FURTHER A STATE INTEREST; AND TO REPEAL OBSOLETE LANGUAGE.

EXPLAINED SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
SJR1	Glover	THE TAXPAYERS PROTECTION AMENDMENT.
SJR2	Glover	PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION TO INCREASE THE TERMS OF COUNTY OFFICIALS FROM TWO (2) YEARS TO FOUR (4) YEARS, AMEND PROVISIONS CONCERNING JUSTICES OF THE PEACE, AND REPEAL OBSOLETE LANGUAGE.
SJR3	Glover	TO ESTABLISH A PROCEDURE FOR THE RECALL OF STATE CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICERS, MEMBERS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, AND JUDICIAL OFFICERS.
SJR5	J. Jeffress	AMENDING PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING VOTING AND ELECTIONS.
SJR9	Glover	AMENDING THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING SERVICE IN ELECTED POSITIONS.
SJR12	Womack	TO PROPOSE A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO REVISE THE DUTIES, LIMITATIONS, AND PRIVILEGES OF THE LEGISLATIVE BRANCH.
SJR13	Bryles	PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO SUBSECTION (a) OF SECTION 2 OF AMENDMENT 73 TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION CONCERNING TERM LIMITS FOR MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

DEFERRED BILLS

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
SB87	Faris	TO CREATE THE CHARITABLE BINGO AND RAFFLE OVERSIGHT COMMISSION.
SB121	Glover	TO TRANSFER THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE ARKANSAS HIGHWAY POLICE DIVISION OF THE ARKANSAS STATE HIGHWAY AND TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE.
SB210	Faris	TO ELIMINATE THE PRACTICAL EXAMINATION REQUIREMENT FROM THE COSMETOLOGY LAW.
SB214	Madison	AN ACT CONCERNING STATE AGENCIES SCHEDULED FOR ABOLISHMENT ON JUNE 30, 2007.
HB1037	S. Dobbins	TO ENSURE THAT PREGNANT INMATES ARE NOT SHACKLED EXCEPT UNDER LIMITED CIRCUMSTANCES AND ONLY USING SOFT RESTRAINTS.