

AGENDA
Senate Committee on Public Health, Welfare and
Labor
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Wednesday, February 14, 2007
10:00 AM
Room 272, State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas

Sen. Jack Critcher, Chair
Sen. Tracy Steele, Vice Chair
Sen. Percy Malone
Sen. Hank Wilkins, IV

Sen. Barbara Horn
Sen. Randy Laverty
Sen. Bill Pritchard
Sen. Jack Crumbly

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
SB191	Steele	TO AUTHORIZE THE GOVERNOR TO CREATE THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND TO TRANSFER THE POWERS, DUTIES, APPROPRIATIONS AND OPERATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.

REGULAR AGENDA

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
HB1173	Anderson	AN ACT TO REPEAL THE REQUIREMENT THAT SCHOOL DISTRICTS MUST PROVIDE TO PARENTS AN ANNUAL BODY MASS INDEX REPORT ON EACH STUDENT.
HB1180	T. Baker	AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 8-6-412 TO GIVE CODE ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS THE POWER TO ENFORCE LAWS GOVERNING DISCARDED ITEMS ON PUBLIC AND PRIVATE PROPERTY.
SB145	B. Pritchard	AN ACT TO CLARIFY THE SCOPE OF PRACTICE OF CHIROPRACTIC.
SB146	Wilkins	TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS CHIROPRACTIC PRACTICES ACT.
SB263	Horn	AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 21-4-211 (6) TO ALLOW THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES TO PROVIDE ASSISTANCE TO DIVISION OF HEALTH EMPLOYEES SEEKING A MASTER'S, DrPH, OR PhD DEGREE IN PUBLIC HEALTH.
SB267	Bookout	AN ACT TO REQUIRE A FACT OF DEATH RECORD TO BE FILED WITH THE DIVISION OF VITAL RECORDS AND TO ENSURE THE TIMELY RECEIPT OF DEATH INFORMATION.
SB269	J. Jeffress	AN ACT TO SUSTAIN THE AUTONOMY OF REHABILITATIVE SERVICES FOR PERSONS WITH MENTAL ILLNESS.
SB270	Malone	TO AMEND 16-123-107 TO ADD DISCRIMINATION BECAUSE OF PUBLIC ASSISTANCE STATUS AS AN OFFENSE.
SB271	Malone	TO AMEND 17-38-302 TO ADD AN EXEMPTION FOR MINOR REPLACEMENTS AND AN EXEMPTION FOR REPAIRS AND REPLACEMENTS TO RENTAL PROPERTY BY A RENTAL OPERATOR.
HB1323	D. Johnson	AN ACT TO PERMIT THE DISCIPLINING OF A PHYSICIAN, DENTIST, DENTAL HYGIENIST OR OPTOMETRIST IF THE PRACTITIONER IS FOUND IN VIOLATION OF A STATUTE OR REGULATION IN ANOTHER STATE.
HB1363	Key	TO ENHANCE THE QUALITY OF CARE OF LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY RESIDENTS BY CREATING STAFFING STANDARDS FOR THOSE NURSING FACILITIES DESIGNATED OR CERTIFIED AS EDEN ALTERNATIVE OR GREEN HOUSE PROJECT NURSING FACILITIES.

HB1364	Key	TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE 20-10-209 TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR PROGRAMS TO ENHANCE THE QUALITY OF LIFE OF LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY RESIDENTS.
SB20	Altes	AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A PRESCRIPTION DRUG MONITORING PROGRAM.
SB276	T. Smith	AN ACT AMENDING PROVISIONS OF ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING BODY ART.
SB285	Horn	AN ACT TO MAKE NURSING HOME STAFF POSTING AND RECORD-KEEPING CONSISTENT WITH FEDERAL LAW.
SB200	J. Jeffress	AN ACT TO INCREASE THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE COMMUNITY SERVICES OVERSIGHT AND PLANNING COUNCIL.
SB289	Broadway	TO CONTINUE THE TASK FORCE ON SUSTAINABLE BUILDING DESIGN AND PRACTICES.
HB1369	Ragland	AN ACT TO INCREASE FEES COLLECTED BY THE STATE REGISTRAR OF VITAL RECORDS AND TO CLARIFY THE FEES TO BE COLLECTED BY THE STATE REGISTRAR.
HB1402	Wyatt	TO EXEMPT A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT, CORRECTIONAL FACILITY, JUVENILE DETENTION FACILITY, ADULT DETENTION FACILITY, OR MENTAL HEALTH FACILITY FROM THE SHIELDED OUTDOOR LIGHTING ACT.
SB293	Malone	TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE TASK FORCE ON ABUSED AND NEGLECTED CHILDREN REGARDING THE MEMBERSHIP, ORGANIZATION, AND EXPENSES.
SB294	B. Pritchard	AN ACT TO EXEMPT LIFE CARE FACILITIES FROM THE STATE'S QUALITY ASSURANCE FEE.

DEFERRED BILLS

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
SB248	Madison	AN ACT TO ESTABLISH REGULAR AND UNIFORM WAGE POLICIES FOR EMPLOYERS AND EMPLOYEES.