

TENTATIVE AGENDA

Joint Performance Review Committee

Wednesday, November 14, 2007

01:30 PM

Room 151, State Capitol

Little Rock, Arkansas

Sen. Terry Smith, Chair
Sen. John Paul Capps, Vice Chair
Sen. Jim Hill
Sen. Jim Argue
Sen. Dave Bisbee
Sen. Jack Critcher
Sen. Ruth Whitaker
Sen. Sharon Trusty
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Rep. Betty Pickett
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Rep. Bill Abernathy
Rep. Roy Ragland
Rep. Rick Green
Rep. Stephanie Flowers
Rep. Mike Burriss
Rep. Bill Sample
Rep. Ray Kidd
Rep. Fred Allen
Rep. Lance Reynolds

A. Call to Order.

B. Approval of Minutes--October 24, 2007 **[Exhibit B]**

C. Discussion of ISP 2007-093 by Representative Betty Pickett *"AN ACT TO REQUEST THAT THE JOINT PERFORMANCE REVIEW COMMITTEE STUDY THE ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT OF THE FAYETTEVILLE SHALE PLAY ON THE WATER SUPPLY OF THE FAYETTEVILLE SHALE REGION"*. **[Exhibit C]**

1. Comments by Representative Betty Pickett

2. Comments by Dr. Greg Thoma, Department of Chemical Engineering, University of Arkansas at Fayetteville. Dr. Thoma will provide an overview of the Fayetteville Shale Play, including the life-cycle of a natural gas drilling lease.

[Exhibit C-1] [Exhibit C-2] [Exhibit C-3]

3. Comments by Mr. Lawrence Bengal, Director, Arkansas Oil and Gas Commission. Mr. Bengal will explain the role of the Oil and Gas Commission in environmental protection issues.

4. Comments by Mr. Paul Hagemeyer, Vice President of Regulatory Compliance, Chesapeake Energy. Mr. Hagemeyer will give an overview of Chesapeake Energy's operations and regulated processes in the Fayetteville Shale.

5. Comments by Mr. Lindsey Lewis, U. S. Fish and Wildlife. Mr. Lewis will give a brief overview of Best Management Practices for Fayetteville Shale natural gas activities. He will also offer recommendations on creating a clearinghouse and database for record-keeping for gas activities and for better coordination and information-sharing between agencies. **[Exhibit C-4]**

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6. Discussion by Committee Members

D. Adjournment