

AGENDA
House Committee on Education
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Thursday, February 26, 2009

10:00 AM

Room 138, State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas

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

REGULAR AGENDA

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
HB1408	Rainey	TO RESTRICT THE ENROLLMENT OF CHILDREN SIXTEEN (16) YEARS OF AGE AND SEVENTEEN (17) YEARS OF AGE IN ADULT EDUCATION PROGRAMS.
HB1412	Harrelson	AN ACT TO ALLOW OUT-OF-STATE NONTRADITIONAL LICENSURE APPLICANTS TO BE EMPLOYED AS TEACHER OF RECORD IN ARKANSAS.
HB1425	Dunn	AN ACT TO ENHANCE TEACHER TRAINING FOCUSED ON CHILD PSYCHOLOGY.
HB1450	Reynolds	TO ENHANCE THE SAFETY OF CHILDREN BY REQUIRING CENTRAL REGISTRY CHECKS FOR ALL PUBLIC SCHOOL EMPLOYEES AND BUS DRIVERS.
SB107	Faris	TO PROHIBIT APPROVAL OF CERTAIN COSMETOLOGICAL SCHOOLS IN PUBLIC EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS.
SB55	G. Baker	TO INCREASE SALARY TRANSPARENCY FOR ADMINISTRATORS IN STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION.
HB1554	Betts	TO ALLOW A SCHOOL DISTRICT TO PUBLISH ITS ANNUAL PERFORMANCE REPORT BY WEBSITE POSTING.
HB1555	Betts	TO CLARIFY STUDENT GROWTH FUNDING FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS.
HB1556	Nickels	TO REQUIRE SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS TO PROVIDE COPIES OF ALL REPORTS THAT IMPACT THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF CHILDREN IN PUBLIC SCHOOL FACILITIES.
HB1557	Reep	TO ALLOW A SUBURBAN IMPROVEMENT DISTRICT TO CONVEY ASSETS TO A LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT.
HB1589	J. Roebuck	AN ACT TO CREATE THE COMPREHENSIVE ARKANSAS HIGHER EDUCATION ANNUAL REPORT.
HCR1013	Tyler	COMMENDING MR. JIM DAVIDSON OF CONWAY, ARKANSAS, ON FOUNDING AND CHAIRING THE BOOKCASE FOR EVERY CHILD PROJECT AND FOR THE INVALUABLE ASSISTANCE OF EACH MEMBER OF THE CONWAY BOOKCASE PROJECT COMMITTEE.
SB68	Madison	AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 6 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 ANNOTATED.
SB316	G. Baker	TO LIMIT THE AMOUNT OF UNRESTRICTED EDUCATIONAL AND GENERAL TUITION AND FEE INCOME AN INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION CAN SPEND ON ACADEMIC AND PERFORMANCE SCHOLARSHIPS.
HB1091	Sample	TO ALLOW A SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO MEET IN EXECUTIVE

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SESSION ON AN APPEAL OF THE SUSPENSION OR EXPULSION OF A STUDENT.

HB1273 Blount TO CREATE A PILOT PROGRAM FOR MOBILE LEARNING TECHNOLOGY IN PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS.

PENDING FISCAL IMPACT

Number Sponsor Subtitle
HB1606 Saunders TO PROVIDE FISCAL ACCOUNTABILITY FOR EDUCATION SERVICE COOPERATIVES.

DEFERRED BILLS

Number Sponsor Subtitle
HB1006 Abernathy TO PROVIDE FOR A CONSISTENT RATE OF INCREASE TO THE SALARIES OF CLASSIFIED SCHOOL PERSONNEL.
HB1007 Abernathy TO ALLOW STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION TO COMPENSATE NONCLASSIFIED EMPLOYEES FOR UNUSED SICK LEAVE AT RETIREMENT.
HB1054 Hobbs TO MODIFY THE UNIFORM DATE FOR THE BEGINNING OF THE SCHOOL YEAR.
HB1253 Shelby AN ACT TO PROTECT SCHOOL CHILDREN FROM INFECTIOUS DISEASE; TO REQUIRE IMMUNIZATIONS FOR DIPHTHERIA, TETANUS TOXOIDS, AND ACCELLULAR PERTUSSIS IN THE SEVENTH GRADE.
HB1342 Flowers TO STRENGTHEN THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUBLIC SCHOOL CHILDREN BY ENSURING SCHOOL FACILITY INSPECTIONS ARE LAWFULLY CONDUCTED AND COMPLIED WITH.