

AGENDA
House Committee on Agriculture, Forestry and Economic Development
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Wednesday, March 16, 2011
10:00 AM
Room 138, State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas

Rep. Jerry R. Brown, Chair
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 Rep. Robert S. Moore, Jr.
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 Rep. Randy Stewart
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 Rep. Stephen Meeks
 Rep. Greg Leding

Rep. Lane Jean
 Rep. Fredrick J. Love
 Rep. Charlie Collins
 Rep. Homer Lenderman
 Rep. Kelley Linck
 Rep. Matthew Shepherd
 Rep. James Ratliff

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS - HB1766 - MARCH 16, 2011, 10:00 a.m.

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
HB1766	Gillam	TO CREATE A LOAN REPAYMENT PROGRAM FOR OUT-OF-STATE VETERINARY MEDICAL EDUCATION AT THE MISSISSIPPI STATE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF VETERINARY MEDICINE AND TO PROVIDE LOAN FORGIVENESS FOR VETERINARIANS IN SOME CIRCUMSTANCES.

REGULAR AGENDA

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
HB1803	Benedict	AN ACT TO DEFINE CERTIFIED HERDS AND HORSE BREEDERS FOR AN EXEMPTION FROM THE STANDARD IMMUNIZATION REQUIREMENT FOR EQUINE INFECTIOUS ANEMIA.
HB1903	Moore	AN ACT TO PROMOTE THE EFFICIENT USE OF WATER FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE PEOPLE AND WILDLIFE OF ARKANSAS.
HB2002	Linck	TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS GREAT PLACES PROGRAM.
HB1913	Moore	CONCERNING THE WILDLIFE OBSERVATION TRAILS PILOT PROGRAM AND THE WILDLIFE RECREATION FACILITIES PILOT PROGRAM.
HB1898	Ingram	TO KEEP ARKANSAS COMPETITIVE BY PROMOTING FUNDING FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS AND TO AUTHORIZE THE LEVY OF LOCAL SALES AND USE TAXES TO FUND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS.
HB1763	Collins	TO EXEMPT HORSESHOEING, TRAINING, SEMEN SERVICES, SELLING MEDICINES FOR TREATMENT OF ANIMAL DISEASES, AND NONSURGICAL ARTIFICIAL INSEMINATION FROM THE ARKANSAS VETERINARY MEDICAL PRACTICE ACT.
SB265	Salmon	TO CLARIFY THE TIME OF EXPIRATION OF OIL AND GAS LEASES AND THE SEVERANCE OF SECTIONS OR UNITS IN WHICH PRODUCTION HAS NOT BEEN OBTAINED DURING THE PRIMARY TERM OF THE LEASES.
SB242	Madison	AN ACT TO MAKE VARIOUS CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 2 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE OF 1987 CONCERNING AGRICULTURE.
HB1870	Wright	TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF HARVEST PERMITS TO ASSIST THE AGRICULTURE INDUSTRY.
HB1883	Wright	TO ALLOW AN EXCEPTION TO A BURN BAN TO BURN OFF A CROP FOLLOWING HARVEST.
HB1884	Patterson	TO ASSIST MANUFACTURING AND PROMOTE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.

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HB1955	McCrary	TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS AMENDMENT 82 IMPLEMENTATION ACT CONCERNING ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT.
HB1972	Gillam	TO CREATE A STUDY TO ADDRESS THE SHORTAGE OF LARGE ANIMAL VETERINARIANS.
HB1980	Westerman	TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS RETIREMENT COMMUNITY PROGRAM ACT.
HB2226	Lovell	CONCERNING PROCEDURES FOR LEVEE DISTRICTS; CONCERNING LEVEE DISTRICT ELECTIONS.
HB2195	Collins-Smith	AN ACT TO PROMOTE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT WITHIN THE STATE AND TO PROTECT THOSE BUSINESSES, COMPANIES, AND MANUFACTURERS THAT ARE CURRENTLY COMPLYING WITH STATUTORY AND REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS AND TO PROHIBIT FRIVOLOUS LAWSUITS.
HB2184	Eubanks	AN ACT TO BE KNOWN AS THE TOURIST AND TRAVELER DISTANCE INFORMATION ACT.
HB2157	Jean	TO CLARIFY THE INTERPRETATION OF TERMS RELATING TO SUSTAINABLE AGRICULTURE.
HB2055	Patterson	TO REVISE THE DIGITAL PRODUCT AND MOTION PICTURE INDUSTRY DEVELOPMENT ACT OF 2009.
HB2001	Hickerson	REGARDING THE CARE OF PETS UNDER THE DOMESTIC ABUSE ACT.
HB1998	Pierce	TO CLARIFY THE LAW REGARDING THE LOWERING OF STATE FLAGS WHEN A MEMBER OF THE ARMED SERVICES IS KILLED IN ACTION.
HR1026	Hopper	HONORING JIM GASTON AS THE ARKANSAS BUSINESS EXECUTIVE OF THE YEAR AND FOR HIS PENDING INDUCTION INTO THE ARKANSAS STATE UNIVERSITY-MOUNTAIN HOME TROUT HALL OF FAME.
HR1032	Cheatham	ENCOURAGING THE USE OF EXISTING GOVERNMENTAL POLICIES TO SUSTAIN THE STRENGTH OF ARKANSAS'S AGRICULTURAL AND RURAL LEGACY.
HB1399	Pierce	THE RURAL GOOD NEIGHBOR ACT.
HB1400	Pierce	THE LANDOWNERS' BILL OF RIGHTS.
HB1611	Pierce	TO PROTECT AN OWNER, LESSEE, OR OCCUPANT OF LAND FROM LIABILITY TO A TRESPASSER.
HB2166	Hobbs	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVE QUICK ACTION CLOSING FUND.

DEFERRED BILLS

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
HB1392	Webb	AN ACT TO CREATE A PROGRAM FOR ANNUAL INSPECTION OF GAS WELLS TO ACCOUNT FOR THE USE OF AND EFFECTS OF CHEMICALS USED IN THE DRILLING PROCESS.
HB1393	Webb	AN ACT TO PROTECT ARKANSANS BY REQUIRING BONDS FOR GAS DRILLING OPERATIONS.
HB1394	Webb	AN ACT TO PROTECT ARKANSAS' WATER IN AREAS AFFECTED BY GAS DRILLING OPERATIONS.
HB1395	Webb	AN ACT TO PROTECT AIR QUALITY IN THE VICINITY OF NATURAL GAS DRILLING FIELDS.
HB1396	Webb	AN ACT TO REQUIRE FULL DISCLOSURE REGARDING NATURAL GAS DRILLING CHEMICALS.
HB1055	G. Smith	TO EXCLUDE FROM THE ARKANSAS VETERINARY PRACTICE ACT THE SERVICES OF ANIMAL HUSBANDRY AND TO ALLOW THE PRACTICE OF ACUPUNCTURE, CHIROPRACTIC, AND DENTISTRY ON VARIOUS FARM ANIMALS UNDER THE SUPERVISION OF A VETERINARIAN.