

AGENDA (Revised 02/12/2013, 4:35 p.m.)
Senate Committee on Education
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Wednesday, February 13, 2013
10:00 AM
Room 207, State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas

Sen. Johnny Key, Chair
Sen. Joyce Elliott, Vice Chair
Sen. Jason Rapert
Sen. Bruce Holland

Sen. Uvalde Lindsey
Sen. Alan Clark
Sen. Jim Hendren
Sen. Eddie Cheatham

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Dr. Donald R. Bobbitt, President, University of Arkansas System
Dr. Charles L. "Chuck" Welch, President, Arkansas State University System
Mr. Cory S. Anderson, Vice President, Winthrop Rockefeller Foundation

CONCUR IN HOUSE AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
SB93	L. Chesterfield	TO REQUIRE A STUDY OF THE READINESS AND CAPABILITIES OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS FOR PREVENTING AND RESPONDING TO ACTS OF VIOLENCE AGAINST STUDENTS AND SCHOOL PERSONNEL AT SCHOOL.

RE-REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
SB15	E. Williams	TO ADOPT THE INTERSTATE COMPACT ON EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITY FOR MILITARY CHILDREN AND TO REMOVE BARRIERS TO EDUCATIONAL SUCCESS IMPOSED ON CHILDREN OF MILITARY FAMILIES.

REGULAR AGENDA

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
SB33	Elliott	TO ENSURE THAT CHILDREN WITH DYSLEXIA HAVE THEIR NEEDS MET BY THE PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM.
SB65	J. Key	TO ESTABLISH THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CHOICE ACT OF 2013; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
SB66	Elliott	TO IMPROVE EDUCATION IN ARKANSAS BY CREATING DISTRICTS OF INNOVATION.
SB114	Elliott	TO REPEAL § 6-18-206 CONCERNING PUBLIC SCHOOL CHOICE; TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS INTERDISTRICT PUBLIC SCHOOL CHOICE ACT OF 2013; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
SB117	Burnett	TO ESTABLISH THE OPEN ENROLLMENT PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL CAPITAL GRANT PROGRAM.
SB140	Irvin	THE SAFE SCHOOL INITIATIVE ACT.
SB228	Elliott	TO PROTECT THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS WITH DIABETES BY PROVIDING FOR CERTAIN SCHOOL PERSONNEL TO BE TRAINED IN THE ADMINISTRATION OF GLUCAGON.

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SB239	J. Hendren	TO ENHANCE THE PROTECTIONS PROVIDED FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENT EXCHANGE STUDENTS.
SB246	J. Hendren	TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS ENERGY SUMMARY AND REPORT FOR THE ACCURATE AND OBJECTIVE COLLECTION OF DATA AND PROJECTIONS FOR CURRENT AND FUTURE ENERGY SUPPLIES.
SB250	E. Cheatham	TO CLARIFY DEFINITIONS AND RECORD RETENTION REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ETHICAL GUIDELINES AND PROHIBITIONS FOR SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS, ADMINISTRATORS, AND EMPLOYEES.
SB264	D. Johnson	AN ACT TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 6 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE, CONCERNING EDUCATION LAW.
HB1230	Ratliff	TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR REPORTING SCHOOL DISTRICT COURSE OFFERINGS.
SB294	J. Key	TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS SCHOLARSHIP LOTTERY ACT CONCERNING SCHOLARSHIP AWARD AMOUNTS; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.

PENDING FISCAL IMPACT

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
SB270	J. Woods	TO ALLOW PARTICIPATION IN EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES BY STUDENTS ENROLLED IN GRADES SEVEN THROUGH TWELVE (7-12) IN PUBLIC AND PRIVATE SCHOOLS WITHOUT A WAITING PERIOD.
SB295	Elliott	TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS EDUCATION BILL OF RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES.

DEFERRED BILLS

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
SB203	J. Key	TO LIMIT STUDENT ATHLETE TRAVEL DURING THE SCHOOL WEEK.