AGENDA (Revised 3/12/13 – 5:25 P.M.) House Committee on Agriculture, Forestry and Economic Development 89th General Assembly Regular Session, 2013

Wednesday, March 13, 2013 10:00 AM Room 138, State Capitol Little Rock, Arkansas

Rep. Matthew J. Shepherd, Chair

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Rep. Greg Leding

Rep. Lane Jean Rep. Homer Lenderman Rep. Kelley Linck Rep. Jon S. Eubanks Rep. David L. Branscum Rep. Sheilla E. Lampkin

Rep. James Ratliff

Rep. Jeremy Gillam Rep. Tommy Thompson Rep. Charlotte Vining Douglas Rep. Stephen Magie

Rep. Joe Jett Rep. Bob Ballinger Rep. Dan M. Douglas

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS - March 13, 2013			
Number	Sponsor	Subtitle	
<u>HB1478</u>	McCrary	TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "FERAL HOG"; TO REGULATE THE CAPTURING, KILLING, AND TRANSPORTING OF FERAL HOGS; AND TO INCREASE THE PENALTIES FOR RELEASING HOGS INTO THE WILD.	

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<u>HB1229</u>	Love	TO CREATE A MICROENTERPRISE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM; AND TO REGULATE LOANS AND GRANTS AWARDED UNDER A MICROENTERPRISE DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM.		
<u>HB1539</u>	Lea	TO REQUIRE THAT AGREEMENTS UNDER THE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVE QUICK ACTION CLOSING FUND STATE SPECIFIC AND UNAMBIGUOUS GOALS AND REQUIRE A REFUND OF A CERTAIN AMOUNT IF THE GOALS ARE NOT MET.		
<u>HB1580</u>	Talley	CONCERNING AN ARKANSAS BOVINE ANIMAL DISEASE PROGRAM AND THE USE OF THE LIVESTOCK AND POULTRY COMMISSION DISEASE AND PEST CONTROL FUND; AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS.		
<u>HB1653</u>	Lea	CONCERNING THE OWNERSHIP, ADMINISTRATION, AND REGULATION OF ISLANDS, SUBMERGED LANDS, AND PROPERTY LOCATED ON THE ISLANDS OF SUBMERGED LANDS.		
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<u>HB1861</u>	Williams	TO CREATE THE MINORITY BUSINESS LOAN MOBILIZATION ACT TO GUARANTEE LOANS TO SMALL MINORITY BUSINESS ENTERPRISES AND TO REPEAL AS OBSOLETE THE JOBS CREATION BY STIMULATING SMALL BUSINESS GROWTH ACT OF 1985.		
<u>HB1870</u>	Hodges	TO AUTHORIZE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT INCENTIVES AND THE ISSUANCE OF GENERAL OBLIGATION BONDS IN CONNECTION WITH A STEEL MILL PROJECT UNDER		

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		AMENDMENT OF THE ADMANDAGE CONSTITUTION AND TO DECLARE AN		
		AMENDMENT 82 TO THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.		
<u>HB1884</u>	Linck	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING PERMITS FOR THE PRIVILEGE OF FISHING FOR TROUT.		
HB1885	Linck	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING FUNDS OF THE ARKANSAS STATE GAME AND FISH COMMISSION DERIVED FROM MINERAL EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION.		
<u>HB1887</u>	E. Armstrong	TO PROVIDE FOR A TYPE 3 TRANSFER OF THE WEATHERIZATION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM (WAP); AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.		
<u>HB1889</u>	Ballinger	TO PROVIDE FOR THE MARKETABILITY OF TITLE TO UNRECORDED MINERAL INTERESTS.		
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HB2137	Baine	TO AMEND THE DELTA GEOTOURISM INCENTIVE ACT OF 2007.
<u>HB2149</u>	Westerman	TO ENCOURAGE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT RELATING TO TECHNOLOGY AND RESEARCH; AND TO PROMOTE AND ENCOURAGE TECHNOLOGY RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT.
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