

**AGENDA**  
**Senate Committee on Children and Youth**  
**House Committee on Aging, Children and Youth, Legislative & Military Affairs**  
**Meeting Jointly**

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**Wednesday, July 17, 2013**

**01:00 PM**

**Room 130, State Capitol**  
**Little Rock, Arkansas**

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Sen. Stephanie Flowers, Chair  
Sen. Bart Hester, Vice Chair  
Sen. Robert Thompson  
Sen. Linda Chesterfield  
Sen. David Burnett  
Sen. Jonathan Dismang  
Sen. Jeremy Hutchinson  
Sen. Jane English  
Sen. Jim Hendren  
Sen. Gary Stubblefield

Rep. David Meeks, Chair  
Rep. Warwick Sabin, Vice Chair  
Rep. Jody Dickinson  
Rep. Gary Deffenbaugh  
Rep. Justin T. Harris  
Rep. Frederick Smith  
Rep. Randy Alexander  
Rep. Sue Scott  
Rep. Charles L. Armstrong  
Rep. Ken Bragg

Rep. Mike Holcomb  
Rep. Charlene Fite  
Rep. Patti Julian  
Rep. Andy Davis  
Rep. Bill Gossage  
Rep. John Baine  
Rep. Deborah Ferguson  
Rep. Mary Broadaway  
Rep. John Payton  
Rep. Brent Talley  
Rep. Monte Hodges, Non-Voting

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- A. Call to Order
- B. Consideration to approve Minutes of June 13, 2013 **[EXHIBIT B]**
- C. Department of Human Services (DHS), Division of Youth Services (DYS) Quarterly Performance Report, January 2013-March 2013 **[EXHIBIT C]**
  - 1. Mr. Steve Jones, Deputy Director, DHS
  - 2. Dr. Lisa Hutchinson, Assistant Director, DYS-Community Services
- D. DHS, DYS Annual Education Report 2012 **[EXHIBIT D]**
  - Mr. Brett Smith, DYS Superintendent of Schools, DYS
- E. Out of State Placement Reports, December 2012-June 2013 **[EXHIBITS E-1, E-2]**
  - 1. Ms. Megon Bush, DHS-Division of Children and Family Services (DCFS), Placement Unit Manager **[EXHIBIT E-1]**
  - 2. Ms. Tenesha Barnes, DHS-Division of Medical Services (DMS), Program Manager **[EXHIBIT E-2]**
- F. Arkansas State Police, Crimes Against Children Division (CACD), Annual Report 2012 and Oversight Report **[EXHIBITS F-1, F-2]**
  - Captain Ron Stayton, Annual Report
    - 1. Annual Report **[EXHIBIT F-1]**
    - 2. Oversight Report, January 2013-March 2013 **[EXHIBIT F-2]**
- G. DCFS Quarterly Performance Report, January 2013-March 2013 **[EXHIBIT G]**
  - Ms. Cecile Blucker, Director, DCFS
- H. DHS, DCFS, Rules for Review **[EXHIBITS H-1, H-2, H-3, H-4]**
  - Ms. Christin Harper, DCFS Policy Unit Manager
    - 1. Revision to Confidentiality Policy **[EXHIBIT H-1]**
    - 2. Revision Affecting Foster and Adoptive Home Approval and Maintenance **[EXHIBIT H-2]**

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3. Child Maltreatment Investigation Policy and Publications and Forms **[EXHIBIT H-3]**
  4. Updates to Policy Manual Glossary **[EXHIBIT H-4]**
- I. Consideration to adopt Interim Study Proposal 2013-157 “Requesting a Study of child support payments, the use of child support payments by a custodial parent, ways to strengthen oversight by the state of how child support is used by a custodial parent, and how child support payments may be required to be used in the best interest of the child.” **[EXHIBIT I]**
1. Representative Denny Altes, Sponsor
  2. Discussion by the Committee
- J. Arkansas Military Veterans Hall of Fame  
- Colonel Conrad Reynolds