

AGENDA
Joint Committee on Economic and Tax Policy

Friday, May 13, 2016

10:00 AM

Room B, MAC

Little Rock, Arkansas

Sen. Bart Hester, Co-Chair
Sen. Larry Teague
Sen. Jake Files
Sen. Bill Sample
Sen. Bruce Maloch
Sen. Greg Standridge

Rep. Jim Dotson, Co-Chair
Rep. Lane Jean
Rep. Charlie Collins
Rep. David L. Branscum
Rep. Joe Jett
Rep. Clarke Tucker

- A. Call to Order
- B. Approval of the Minutes of May 6, 2015 **[Exhibit B]**
- C. Adoption and Discussion of **ISP 2015-162** "REQUESTING THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL REFER TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC AND TAX POLICY A REQUEST TO STUDY SAVINGS THAT COULD BE ACHIEVED BY ELIMINATING OR REDUCING PAPER TAX FORMS PROVIDED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION." **[Exhibit C]**
 - 1. Sponsor Remarks— Representative Justin Boyd
 - 2. Committee Discussion and Action
- D. Adoption and Discussion of **ISP 2015-163** "REQUESTING THAT THE ARKANSAS LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL REFER TO THE JOINT COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC AND TAX POLICY A REQUEST TO STUDY IMPLICATIONS OF CHANGING THE TAX CODE SIMILAR TO THE STATE OF MAINE TO ALLOW THE LIMITATION OF PURCHASING CERTAIN FOOD AND FOOD INGREDIENTS BY RECIPIENTS OF THE SUPPLEMENTAL NUTRITION ASSISTANCE PROGRAM." **[Exhibit D1 and D2]**
 - 1. Sponsor Remarks— Representative Justin Boyd
 - 2. Committee Discussion and Action
- E. Presentation of the Official General Revenue Forecast **[Exhibit E]**
Mr. Larry W. Walther, Director, Department of Finance and Administration
- F. Other Business
- G. Adjournment

Note: All exhibits for this meeting are available by electronic means and are accessible on the General Assembly's website at www.arkleg.state.ar.us

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