

**AGENDA**  
**Senate Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, and Economic Development**  
**House Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, and Economic Development**  
**Meeting Jointly**

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**Thursday, July 20, 2017**  
**02:00 PM**  
**Room B, MAC**  
**Little Rock, Arkansas**

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Sen. Ronald Caldwell, Chair  
Sen. John Cooper, Vice Chair  
Sen. Jonathan Dismang  
Sen. Jane English  
Sen. Bruce Maloch  
Sen. Eddie Cheatham  
Sen. Blake Johnson  
Sen. David Wallace

Rep. Dan M. Douglas, Chair  
Rep. David Hillman, Vice Chair  
Rep. Stephen Meeks  
Rep. Lane Jean  
Rep. Matthew J. Shepherd  
Rep. David L. Branscum  
Rep. Bruce Cozart  
Rep. Scott Baltz  
Rep. Mark D. McElroy  
Rep. Stephen Magie

Rep. Ken Bragg  
Rep. David Whitaker  
Rep. Ron McNair  
Rep. Mary Bentley  
Rep. Rick Beck  
Rep. Dan Sullivan  
Rep. Karilyn Brown  
Rep. Mathew W. Pitsch  
Rep. Jack Fortner  
Rep. Fred Allen

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A. Call to Order / Remarks

B. Consideration to Approve the Following Meeting Minutes

1. May 24, 2017 **[EXHIBIT B1]**
2. July 7, 2017 **[EXHIBIT B2]**
3. July 10, 2017 **[EXHIBIT B3]**

C. Consideration to Adopt Interim Study Proposals (ISPs)

1. **ISP 2017-024** “To create the protection for dog owners act; to define deceptive trade practices for dog sales; to create the professional and direct-sell dog breeder act; and to create oversight of dog sellers” **[EXHIBIT C1]**
  - a. Sponsor Remarks – Representative Marcus Richmond
  - b. Committee Discussion and Action
2. **ISP 2017-040** “To provide for Arkansas agritourism signs at state welcome centers and tourist information centers through the Arkansas wine country trails program” **[EXHIBIT C2]**
  - a. Sponsor Remarks – Representative Sarah Capp
  - b. Committee Discussion and Action
3. **2017-043** “To create the dog and cat sale registration act; and to create the dog and cat sale registration fund” **[EXHIBIT C3]**
  - a. Sponsor Remarks – Representative James Sorvillo
  - b. Committee Discussion and Action

**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](http://www.arkleg.state.ar.us)

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D. Reports Received - Arkansas Institutional Fund Reports

1. January 1, 2015 – December 31, 2015 **[EXHIBIT D1]**
2. January 1, 2016 – December 31, 2016 **[EXHIBIT D2]**

E. Discussion Concerning Warfarin Feral Hog Bait

1. Mr. Richard Poché, President, Scimetrics Limited Corporation **[EXHIBIT E1]**
2. Mr. Jeff Crow, Director, Arkansas Game and Fish Commission (AGFC) **[EXHIBIT E2]**
3. Dr. Jennifer Ballard, DVM, State Wildlife Veterinarian, AGFC

F. Other Business

G. Adjournment