

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

Tuesday, December 5, 2017
1:30 PM
Room B, Mac, State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas

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. 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

- A. Call to Order / Remarks
- B. Consideration to Approve the October 5, 2017, Meeting Minutes **[EXHIBIT B]**
- C. Consideration to Adopt Interim Study Proposal (ISP) **[EXHIBIT C]**
 - **ISP 2017-097** “Concerning equine massage; to require licensure or certification for equine massage”
 - o Sponsor Remarks - Representative Sarah Capp
 - o Committee Discussion and Action
- D. Presentation Concerning Fake Rice **[EXHIBIT D]**
 - Ms. Lauren Waldrip Ward, Executive Director, Arkansas Rice Federation
- E. Review of the Arkansas State Plant Board’s Regulation Concerning Pesticide Enforcement Response and Civil Penalties **[EXHIBIT E]**
 - 1. Ms. Susie Nichols, Director, Pesticide Division, Arkansas State Plant Board (ASPB)
 - 2. Mr. Otis Howe, Chairman, ASPB
 - 3. Mr. West Higginbotham, President, Agricultural Council of Arkansas (ACA)
 - 4. Mr. Andrew Grobmyer, Executive Vice President, ACA
- F. Discussion of the Following Arkansas State Plant Board Rules **[EXHIBITS F1 and F2]**
 - 1. Arkansas Pesticide Control Act Regulations
 - 2. Arkansas Regulations on Pesticide Classification (Dicamba Use and Application)

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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G. Other Business

H. Adjournment