

AGENDA
Senate Committee on Insurance and Commerce
House Committee on Insurance and Commerce
Meeting Jointly

Wednesday, December 16, 2020
3:00 PM
Room A, MAC
Little Rock, Arkansas

Sen. Jason Rapert, Chair
Sen. Cecile Bledsoe, Vice-Chair
Sen. Joyce Elliott
Sen. Larry Teague
Sen. Linda Chesterfield
Sen. Missy Irvin
Sen. Jane English
Sen. Mark Johnson

Rep. Mark Lowery, Chair
Rep. Robin Lundstrum, Vice-Chair
Rep. Reginald Murdock
Rep. Deborah Ferguson
Rep. Michelle Gray
Rep. Kenneth B. Ferguson
Rep. Laurie Rushing
Rep. Jim Sorvillo
Rep. DeAnn Vaught
Rep. Fred Allen

Rep. Austin McCollum
Rep. John Maddox
Rep. Bruce Coleman
Rep. Roger D. Lynch
Rep. Aaron Pilkington
Rep. Mark Perry
Rep. Joe Cloud
Rep. Denise Jones Ennett
Rep. Jill Bryant

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- A. Call to Order
- B. Opening Remarks by Committee Chairs
 - 1. Senator Jason Rapert
 - 2. Representative Mark Lowery
- C. Consideration to Approve the September 28, 2020, Meeting Minutes **[Exhibit C]**
- D. Discussion of Interim Study Proposal 2019-143 – Study the Causes and Effects of the Rising Costs of Prescription Drugs and the State Specific Dynamics Involved in Those Rising Costs. **[Exhibit D1]**
 - 1. Comments by Sponsor - Representative Reginald Murdock
 - 2. Melodie Shrader, Vice President, State Affairs, Pharmaceutical Care Management Association
 - 3. John Vinson, CEO, Arkansas Pharmacists Association
 - 4. Scott Pace, Partner, Impact Management Group **[Exhibit D2]**
 - 5. Michael Lindsey, Director of Public Affairs & Government Relations, Walmart
 - 6. Ronnie Dedman, President, AT&T Arkansas
- E. Discussion of Arkansas State Employee Insurance Program and Overall Program Status of Retiree Prescription Drug Program and Planning **[Exhibit E]**
 - 1. Amy Fecher, Secretary, Department of Transformation and Shared Services
 - 2. Courtney R. White, Principal, Consulting Actuary, Milliman
- F. Discussion of PBM Audit with Arkansas Insurance Department
 - 1. Roger Norman, Director, Arkansas Legislative Audit
 - 2. Tom Bullington, Deputy Legislative Auditor, Arkansas Legislative Audit
 - 3. Kevin White, Assistant Legal Counsel, Arkansas Legislative Audit
- G. Other Business
- H. 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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