ARKANSAS SENATE 90TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY Regular Session, 2015

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SEN. ELLIOTT: CITATION - FLOYD BURNS, RECIPIENT OF THE 2015 MARKS OF EXCELLENCE AWARD

RESOLUTIONS FOR THIRD READING AND ADOPTION

<u>Number</u> <u>SR17</u>	<u>Sponsor</u> Teague	<u>Subtitle</u> TO CONGRATULATE HEATHER JACKSON AS A RECIPIENT OF A PRUDENTIAL SPIRIT OF COMMUNITY AWARD.			
SENATE BILLS TO CONCUR IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS					
<u>Number</u> <u>SB636</u> #1	<u>Sponsor</u> J. Woods	<u>Subtitle</u> TO CREATE THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE HEADQUARTERS FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT FINANCING ACT; TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF ARKANSAS STATE POLICE; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.			
<u>SB716</u> #1	J. Cooper	TO CLARIFY THAT THE SECRETARY OF STATE IS THE CUSTODIAN OF CERTAIN RECORDS CONCERNING ETHICS; TO AMEND A PORTION OF THE LAW RESULTING FROM INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1999 AND INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.			
<u>SB726</u> #1	Files	TO PROMOTE FAIR AND EQUITABLE ALLOCATION OF LIABILITY IN CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS.			
<u>SB727</u> #2	Rice	TO MODIFY THE REGULATION OF PUBLIC UTILITIES BY THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.			
<u>SB757</u> #1	J. Hendren	TO RESTRICT THE ABILITY OF LOCAL GOVERNMENTS AND OTHER ENTITIES TO REGULATE PRIVATE PROPERTY RIGHTS; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.			
<u>SB809</u> #1	J. Woods	TO ESTABLISH DUAL AUTHORITY AND RESPONSIBILITY OVER THE CHILD MALTREATMENT ACT FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES AND THE ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF STATE POLICE.			
<u>SB855</u> #1	D. Sanders	TO REGULATE THE ABANDONMENT OF UNPAVED ROAD EASEMENTS.			
<u>SB1044</u> #1	Hester	TO ESTABLISH THE ARKANSAS WIRELESS INFORMATION NETWORK FUND.			
SENATE BILLS WITH SENATE AMENDMENTS					
<u>Number</u> <u>SB459</u> #2	<u>Sponsor</u> D. Johnson	<u>Subtitle</u> TO CLARIFY THE PENALTIES FOR CERTAIN OFFENSES IN THE CRIMINAL CODE; TO REORGANIZE CERTAIN CRIMINAL OFFENSES; AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO TITLE 5 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE.			
<u>SB1037</u> #2	G. Stubblefield	TO CREATE A PILOT PROGRAM FOR KINDERGARTEN THROUGH GRADE TWELVE (K-12) AGRICULTURE SCHOOLS; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.			
HOUSE BILLS WITH SENATE AMENDMENTS					
<u>Number</u> <u>HB1527</u> #1	<u>Sponsor</u> Gossage Cheatham	<u>Subtitle</u> TO PROVIDE FLEXIBILITY TO SCHOOL DISTRICT IN SCHEDULING ART, MUSIC, AND PHYSICAL EDUCATION.			
<u>HB1688</u> #1	Ballinger King	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING MUNICIPAL INITIATIVE AND REFERENDUM PETITIONS; AND TO EXTEND THE TIME FOR CIRCULATION OF MUNICIPAL INITIATIVE AND REFERENDUM PETITIONS.			
<u>HB1807</u> #1	C. Douglas Rice	TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS MULTI-AGENCY INSURANCE TRUST FUND ACT; TO PROVIDE FOR INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY THREAT MITIGATION; TO ALLOW FOR ASSESSING AND INSURING RISK CONCERNING CYBERSECURITY; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.			
<u>HB1945</u> #2	Hammer Woods	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE PREVENTION AND DETECTION OF FRAUD AND OTHER IMPROPER ACTIVITIES WITHIN STATE GOVERNMENT.			

BUSINESS AGENDA

SENATE BILLS FOR THIRD READING AND PASSAGE

<u>Number</u> <u>SB389</u>	<u>Sponsor</u> G. Stubblefield	<u>Subtitle</u> TO AMEND ARKANSAS ELECTION LAWS CONCERNING PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENTIAL PRIMARY ELECTIONS.
<u>SB617</u>	D. Sanders	TO BE KNOWN AS THE PUBLIC SAFETY TRANSPARENCY AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT OF 2015; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
<u>SB761</u>	J. Hendren	REGARDING THE PAYMENT OF FEES AND EXPENSES RESULTING FROM CIVIL LITIGATION.
<u>SB815</u>	L. Chesterfield	TO REVIEW CERTAIN ACTIONS OF THE DIVISION OF YOUTH SERVICES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES BY THE HOUSE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY AND THE SENATE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY.
<u>SB866</u>	E. Williams	TO PROVIDE FUNDING FOR THE CRIME VICTIMS REPARATIONS REVOLVING FUND TO IMPLEMENT THE ARKANSAS CRIME VICTIMS REPARATIONS ACT.
<u>SB869</u>	D. Johnson	TO PROVIDE ENABLING LEGISLATION FOR ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROJECT BONDS ISSUED BY A MUNICIPALITY OR COUNTY; AND TO CREATE THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT ENERGY EFFICIENCY PROJECT BOND ACT.
<u>SB943</u>	Elliott	TO IMPROVE THE LEVEL OF INSURANCE FOR HEALTH CARE IN ARKANSAS; AND TO REQUIRE THAT HEALTH INSURANCE INFORMATION REGARDING THE HEALTH CARE INDEPENDENCE PROGRAM BE PROVIDED TO ENROLLEES OF THE HEALTH CARE INDEPENDENCE PROGRAM.
<u>SB963</u>	B. King	ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING COMPLAINTS FILED WITH AND INVESTIGATIONS PERFORMED BY THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; AND TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS OF VIOLATIONS OF ELECTION LAWS.
<u>SB993</u>	B. King	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ELECTION VIOLATIONS BY COUNTY BOARDS OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; AND TO REQUIRE REPORTING OF CERTAIN IRREGULARITIES.
<u>SB1039</u>	D. Sanders	TO PROVIDE CONFLICT OF INTEREST PROVISIONS FOR MEMBERS AND FORMER MEMBERS OF CERTAIN STATE ENTITIES.
<u>SB1042</u>	J. Woods	CONCERNING PRISON OVERCROWDING; CONCERNING PAROLE AND PAROLE ELIGIBILITY AND PROCEDURES; CONCERNING CRIMINAL JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
	HOL	JSE BILLS FOR THIRD READING AND PASSAGE
<u>Number</u> HB1218	<u>Sponsor</u> Baine Pierce	<u>Subtitle</u> TO REQUIRE AN EMPLOYEE OF A NONPROFIT CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION TO REPORT CHILD MALTREATMENT.
<u>HB1228</u>	Ballinger Hutchinson	TO ENACT THE RELIGIOUS FREEDOM RESTORATION ACT; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
<u>HB1240</u>	Tosh Hutchinson	CONCERNING THE USE OF DEADLY PHYSICAL FORCE IN DEFENSE OF A PERSON; AND CONCERNING CIVIL LIABILITY PROTECTION.
<u>HB1308</u>	S. Meeks Rapert	TO STAY THE COLLECTION OF DELINQUENT PERSONAL PROPERTY TAXES PENDING APPEAL OF THE PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX ASSESSMENT.
<u>HB1343</u>	C. Fite Stubblefield	TO AMEND VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE LAW REGARDING HEARING INSTRUMENT DISPENSERS.
<u>HB1377</u>	Murdock Chesterfield	TO ALLOW A SCHOOL DISTRICT TO BE GRANTED THE SAME WAIVERS THAT ARE GRANTED TO AN OPEN-ENROLLMENT PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL THAT DRAWS STUDENTS FROM THE SCHOOL DISTRICT.
<u>HB1401</u>	Love Bledsoe	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING DEATH BENEFITS FOR CERTAIN PUBLIC EMPLOYEES.
<u>HB1405</u>	Bentley E. Williams	CONCERNING FEES AND COSTS COLLECTED BY THE SECRETARY OF STATE.
<u>HB1453</u>	Miller Bledsoe	TO AMEND CERTAIN PROVISIONS CONCERNING THE STATE KIDNEY DISEASE COMMISSION.
<u>HB1480</u>	Blake Ingram	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE PREFERENCE OF MUNICIPAL BIDDING.
<u>HB1493</u>	Eads B. Johnson	TO REVISE AND UPDATE LAWS FOR THE EFFICIENT OPERATION OF THE ARKANSAS DEVELOPMENT FINANCE AUTHORITY; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.

<u>HB1505</u>	M. Gray Collins-Smith	CONCERNING THE CARRYING OF A CONCEALED HANDGUN ON CERTAIN PUBLIC PROPERTY AS WELL AS IN CERTAIN PUBLICLY MAINTAINED PARKING LOTS BY A CONCEALED CARRY LICENSEE.
<u>HB1523</u>	Sullivan E. Williams	CONCERNING PRISON INDUSTRIES, PRISON-MADE GOODS, AND DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION PROCUREMENT.
<u>HB1530</u>	D. Meeks	TO PREVENT ADVERTISING FOR AND PROVIDING ACTIVITIES INVOLVING OR LEADING TO TRAFFICKING OF PERSONS; AND TO PROHIBIT HUMAN TRAFFICKING TOURISM.
<u>HB1551</u>	D. Douglas Clark	TO AMEND THE EXEMPTIONS OF PROHIBITED ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATED WITH NONHUMAN PRIMATES.
<u>HB1562</u>	D. Meeks Caldwell	TO AMEND VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE LAW REGARDING MASSAGE THERAPISTS.
<u>HB1597</u>	C. Douglas B. Johnson	TO REQUIRE SICK LEAVE THAT IS TRANSFERRED WHEN AN EMPLOYEE CHANGES SCHOOL DISTRICTS TO BE USED FIRST.
<u>HB1629</u>	Shepherd	CONCERNING MANDATORY COURT FOR DEPARTMENTS OF A DISTRICT COURT.
<u>HB1659</u>	Ingram Hammer Clark	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE RURAL FIRE DEPARTMENTS STUDY COMMITTEE.
<u>HB1671</u>	Broadaway Ingram	CONCERNING FOSTER YOUTH TRANSITIONS.
<u>HB1673</u>	Broadaway Ingram	CONCERNING THE DEFINITION OF "DEPENDENT JUVENILE" IN THE ARKANSAS JUVENILE CODE.
<u>HB1678</u>	Shepherd Hutchinson	CONCERNING THE PENALTY FOR DRIVING ON A SUSPENDED OR REVOKED DRIVER'S LICENSE WHEN THE SUSPENSION OR REVOCATION IS THE RESULT OF THE PERSON DRIVING WHILE INTOXICATED.
<u>HB1754</u>	V. Flowers Rice	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING GUARDIANSHIP SUBSIDIES AWARDED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES; TO CLARIFY THE RIGHTS OF CERTAIN JUVENILES IN THE CUSTODY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
<u>HB1769</u>	Shepherd Hutchinson	REGARDING THE SALARIES OF PERSONNEL AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS OF VARIOUS DISTRICT COURTS.
<u>HB1770</u>	Shepherd Hutchinson	CONCERNING THE REGULATION OF AERONAUTICS; TO RESTRICT THE USE OF UNMANNED AIRCRAFT SYSTEMS UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; AND TO PROVIDE FOR CRIMINAL PENALTIES AND CIVIL LIABILITY.
<u>HB1782</u>	Jean Maloch	TO AMEND THE LAWS CONCERNING UNCLAIMED PROPERTY; TO AMEND THE TIME PERIODS FOR THE PRESUMPTION OF ABANDONMENT OF UNCLAIMED PROPERTY; AND TO AMEND THE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS RELATED TO ABANDONED MINERAL PROCEEDS.
<u>HB1805</u>	Talley D. Johnson	CONCERNING THE ROLE OF A PROSECUTING ATTORNEY REGARDING THE RELEASE OF REPORTS AND ANALYTICAL WORK PERFORMED BY THE STATE CRIME LABORATORY.
<u>HB1806</u>	Vaught Maloch	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS, DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE.
<u>HB1808</u>	C. Douglas Flippo	TO AUTHORIZE PAID LEAVE OF ABSENCE DURING A NATIONAL DISASTER FOR A STATE OR CITY EMPLOYEE SIMULTANEOUSLY EMPLOYED AS A FEDERAL EMERGENCY DISASTER RELIEF TEAM EMPLOYEE.
<u>HB1823</u>	Dotson Hester	TO PROMOTE, RECRUIT, AND RETAIN A HIGHLY SKILLED WORKFORCE IN THIS STATE; AND TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING LICENSING, REGISTRATION, AND CERTIFICATION FOR CERTAIN PROFESSIONS.
<u>HB1880</u>	Hammer Hutchinson	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS.
<u>HB1887</u>	Lemons E. Williams	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING SUICIDE PREVENTION.
<u>HB1908</u>	Beck Hutchinson	TO ESTABLISH A BILL OF RIGHTS FOR A PROPERTY OWNER.
<u>HB1941</u>	Neal Hester	TO EXEMPT CERTAIN ADVERTISING AND PROMOTION TAX RECORDS FROM BEING RELEASED UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967.
<u>HB1954</u>	Walker Elliott	TO CREATE THE STATE OF ARKANSAS WORKFORCE RETENTION TASK FORCE; TO STUDY AND EVALUATE THE WAYS STATE AGENCIES COULD INCREASE EMPLOYEE RETENTION; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
<u>HB1989</u>	Ratliff E. Williams	TO AMEND ARKANSAS ALCOHOL LAWS TO ALLOW CERTAIN MANAGING AGENTS TO SERVE AS AN EXCEPTION TO RESIDENCY REQUIREMENTS.
<u>HB2004</u>	Nicks Hester	TO AMEND THE YEARS OF SERVICE REQUIREMENT TO AUTHORIZE EMPLOYMENT OF A FORMER COUNTY SHERIFF FOR EMPLOYMENT AS A MUNICIPAL LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER.