

**ARKANSAS SENATE  
94TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY  
Regular Session, 2023**

**TUESDAY, 1:00 PM**

**DAY 79**

**MARCH 28, 2023**

**BUSINESS AGENDA**

**RESOLUTIONS FOR THIRD READING AND ADOPTION**

<b><u>Number</u></b>	<b><u>Sponsor</u></b>	<b><u>Subtitle</u></b>
<a href="#"><u>SR23</u></a>	J. Dotson	TO PROCLAIM MARCH AS NATIONAL SPEECH AND DEBATE EDUCATION MONTH IN ARKANSAS.
<a href="#"><u>SR37</u></a>	J. English	TO RECOGNIZE THE NORTH LITTLE ROCK HIGH SCHOOL CHARGING WILDCATS CHEERLEADERS FOR WINNING THE 2022 6A ALL-GIRL STATE CHEERLEADING CHAMPIONSHIP.
<a href="#"><u>SR40</u></a>	M. Johnson	TO COMMEND THE CONWAY HIGH SCHOOL LADY WAMPUS CATS BASKETBALL TEAM FOR WINNING THE 2023 CLASS 6A GIRLS BASKETBALL STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

**HOUSE CONCURRENT MEMORIAL RESOLUTIONS FOR THIRD READING AND ADOPTION**

<b><u>Number</u></b>	<b><u>Sponsor</u></b>	<b><u>Subtitle</u></b>
<a href="#"><u>HCMR1001</u></a>	Ray English	IN RESPECTFUL MEMORY OF ARKANSAS DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS SERGEANT JOSHUA CAUDELL.

**SENATE BILLS TO CONCUR IN HOUSE AMENDMENTS**

<b><u>Number</u></b>	<b><u>Sponsor</u></b>	<b><u>Subtitle</u></b>
<a href="#"><u>SB81</u></a> #1	D. Sullivan Sullivan	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING LIBRARIES AND OBSCENE MATERIALS; TO CREATE THE OFFENSE OF FURNISHING A HARMFUL ITEM TO A MINOR; AND TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING OBSCENE MATERIALS LOANED BY A LIBRARY.
<a href="#"><u>SB288</u></a> #1 & 2	Irvin Irvin	REGARDING ENVIRONMENTAL LAW; TO AMEND THE LAW RELATED TO CERTAIN PERMITS; TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING CERTAIN PERMIT FEES; AND TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING APPOINTMENTS ON THE LICENSING COMMITTEE RELATED TO WASTEWATER TREATMENT PLANTS.

**SENATE BILLS WITH SENATE AMENDMENTS**

<b><u>Number</u></b>	<b><u>Sponsor</u></b>	<b><u>Subtitle</u></b>
<a href="#"><u>SB285</u></a> #2	C. Tucker Tucker	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ABSENCES FROM SCHOOL; AND TO PROVIDE FOR AN EXCUSED ABSENCE FOR A STUDENT WHO ACCOMPANIES THE STUDENT'S PARENT OR LEGAL GUARDIAN TO VOTE.
<a href="#"><u>SB299</u></a> #2	K. Hammer Hammer	TO ESTABLISH NURSING EARN-TO-LEARN PROGRAMS; AND TO AUTHORIZE A NURSING STUDENT TO EARN DIRECT PATIENT CARE CLINICAL CREDIT HOURS FOR WORKING IN A HEALTHCARE FACILITY IN CERTAIN JOBS.
<a href="#"><u>SB408</u></a> #1	C. Penzo Penzo	TO AMEND VARIOUS LAWS CONCERNING ADOPTION; AND TO AMEND CERTAIN ADOPTION LAWS TO DIFFERENTIATE BETWEEN MINOR AND ADULT ADOPTIONS.
<a href="#"><u>SB417</u></a> #1	G. Stubblefield Stubblefield	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CIVIL LIABILITY FOR DAMAGE CAUSED BY MOTOR VEHICLES OPERATED ON CERTAIN PUBLIC BRIDGES.

**HOUSE BILLS WITH SENATE AMENDMENTS**

<b><u>Number</u></b>	<b><u>Sponsor</u></b>	<b><u>Subtitle</u></b>
<a href="#"><u>HB1427</u></a> #1	Gazaway Tucker	TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF ARKANSAS LAW RELATED TO THE CODE REVISOR; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
<a href="#"><u>HB1522</u></a> #1	Dalby Stubblefield	CONCERNING THE SALARIES OF VARIOUS DISTRICT COURT PERSONNEL.

**SENATE BILLS FOR THIRD READING AND PASSAGE**

<b><u>Number</u></b>	<b><u>Sponsor</u></b>	<b><u>Subtitle</u></b>
<a href="#"><u>SB7</u></a>	B. King	TO ADD THE CRIMINAL OFFENSE OF PRESCRIPTION DRUG HARM OR HOMICIDE.
<a href="#"><u>SB8</u></a>	B. King	TO CREATE THE CRIMINAL OFFENSE OF VACCINE HARM.
<a href="#"><u>SB125</u></a>	J. Dotson	CONCERNING FREE SPEECH RIGHTS AT STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION.
<a href="#"><u>SB135</u></a>	Crowell	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DURATION OF PARTICIPATION IN THE LOCAL POLICE AND FIRE DEFERRED RETIREMENT OPTION PLAN; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
<a href="#"><u>SB309</u></a>	Hester	TO CLARIFY THE LICENSING REGULATIONS OF PSYCHIATRIC RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT FACILITIES UNDER THE CHILD WELFARE AGENCY LICENSING ACT.
<a href="#"><u>SB345</u></a>	Hill	TO CREATE THE POSITION OF DEMENTIA SERVICES COORDINATOR WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES.
<a href="#"><u>SB368</u></a>	J. Boyd	TO REQUIRE DISCLOSURE BY AN INSURANCE COMPANY OF THE MONETARY AMOUNT OF A DEDUCTIBLE BASED ON A PERCENTAGE OF THE INSURED VALUE UNDER AN INSURANCE POLICY.
<a href="#"><u>SB378</u></a>	B. Davis	TO AMEND THE COMPUTER SCIENCE EDUCATION ADVANCEMENT ACT OF 2021; AND TO ALLOW A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT TO EMPLOY A COMPUTER SCIENCE TEACHER AT EACH HIGH SCHOOL.
<a href="#"><u>SB407</u></a>	M. Mckee	TO REQUIRE ENERGY PRODUCED FROM CERTAIN SOURCES BE CONSIDERED CARBON NEUTRAL; AND TO REQUIRE ENERGY PRODUCED FROM CERTAIN SOURCES IN CONJUNCTION WITH CARBON CAPTURE TECHNOLOGIES BE CONSIDERED CARBON NEGATIVE.
<a href="#"><u>SB451</u></a>	J. English	TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING CAREER EDUCATION AND WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT.
<a href="#"><u>SB452</u></a>	Gilmore	TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS FAMILY PLANNING ACT; AND TO MODIFY THE LEGISLATIVE DECLARATION WITHIN THE ARKANSAS FAMILY PLANNING ACT.
<a href="#"><u>SB458</u></a>	J. English	TO AMEND THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CHOICE ACT OF 2015; AND TO AMEND THE ELIGIBILITY OF CHILDREN OF ACTIVE DUTY UNIFORMED SERVICES PERSONNEL TO PARTICIPATE IN THE ARKANSAS CHILDREN'S EDUCATIONAL FREEDOM ACCOUNT PROGRAM.
<a href="#"><u>SB463</u></a>	Gilmore	TO AMEND THE ABORTION-INDUCING DRUGS SAFETY ACT; AND TO ADD REVOCATION OF A PHYSICIAN'S MEDICAL LICENSE TO THE PROFESSIONAL SANCTIONS AUTHORIZED FOR FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THE ABORTION-INDUCING DRUGS SAFETY ACT.
<a href="#"><u>SB467</u></a>	Irvin	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS POLLUTION CONTROL AND ECOLOGY COMMISSION; AND TO AMEND THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE ARKANSAS POLLUTION CONTROL AND ECOLOGY COMMISSION.
<a href="#"><u>SB483</u></a>	J. Dismang	TO AMEND ACTS 2023, NO. 278; TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING BONDS OR ACCEPTABLE FINANCIAL SECURITY UNDER THE CUSTOMER PROTECTIONS FOR NET-METERING CUSTOMERS ACT; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.

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<u>Number</u>	<u>Sponsor</u>	<u>Subtitle</u>
<a href="#">HB1261</a>	L. Johnson <b>Boyd</b>	TO ENACT THE ARKANSAS TRIAGE, TREAT, AND TRANSPORT TO AN ALTERNATIVE DESTINATION ACT; AND TO MANDATE INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR AN AMBULANCE SERVICE TO TRIAGE, TREAT, AND TRANSPORT A PATIENT TO AN ALTERNATIVE DESTINATION.
<a href="#">HB1412</a>	J. Mayberry <b>English</b>	TO REQUIRE THE DIVISION OF HIGHER EDUCATION TO PROMULGATE CERTAIN RULES CONCERNING THE ADMINISTRATION OF SCHOLARSHIPS FUNDED WITH STATE FUNDS AND LOTTERY PROCEEDS; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
<a href="#">HB1443</a>	C. Fite <b>Irvin</b>	AN ACT TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING RIGHTS OF VICTIMS OF CRIME; AND TO PROVIDE THAT VICTIMS OF MISDEMEANOR CRIMES HAVE RIGHTS.
<a href="#">HB1463</a>	L. Johnson <b>Dotson</b>	CONCERNING STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION RULES FOR A TIERED SYSTEM OF EDUCATOR LICENSURE; AND TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE TYPE OF LICENSE ISSUED TO CERTAIN APPLICANTS IN AN ALTERNATIVE EDUCATOR PREPARATION PROGRAM.
<a href="#">HB1471</a>	Haak <b>Stone</b>	TO REPEAL THE REDUNDANT REPORTING REQUIREMENT THAT PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARDS OF DIRECTORS REVIEW AND APPROVE CERTAIN SALARY INCREASES.
<a href="#">HB1474</a>	Gazaway <b>Irvin</b>	TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS CRIMINAL CODE; AND TO ADD AN UNDERGROUND STORAGE FACILITY TO THE DEFINITION OF CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE.
<a href="#">HB1496</a>	Hawk <b>Crowell</b>	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ABUSE OF AN ATHLETIC CONTEST OFFICIAL.
<a href="#">HB1511</a>	R. Scott Richardson <b>Dotson</b>	TO CREATE CHARLIE'S LAW; AND TO REQUIRE AN ELECTRONIC CHILD SAFETY ALARM SYSTEM BE INSTALLED IN A SCHOOL BUS.
<a href="#">HB1533</a>	Cozart <b>English</b>	TO EXCLUDE CERTAIN STUDENTS FROM INCLUSION IN A SCHOOL'S DROP OUT RATE FOR PURPOSES OF A SCHOOL PERFORMANCE REPORT.
<a href="#">HB1534</a>	Cozart <b>English</b>	TO REPEAL REQUIREMENTS PLACED ON SCHOOL DISTRICTS THAT HAVE A TEN PERCENT (10%) OR GREATER MINORITY POPULATION OUT OF THE TOTAL POPULATION.
<a href="#">HB1535</a>	Cozart <b>English</b>	TO REQUIRE CERTAIN INFORMATION BE PROVIDED MONTHLY TO SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARDS OF DIRECTORS.
<a href="#">HB1561</a>	C. Fite <b>English</b>	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE PENALTIES FOR MOVING VIOLATIONS IN HIGHWAY WORK ZONES; AND TO CREATE ADDITIONAL PENALTIES FOR TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS RESULTING IN INJURY OR DEATH OF CONSTRUCTION PERSONNEL.

