

AGENDA
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Sen. Jeremy Hutchinson, Chair
Sen. Linda Collins-Smith, Vice-Chair
Sen. Gary Stubblefield
Sen. Bryan King

Sen. Terry Rice
Sen. Greg Standridge
Sen. Trent Garner
Sen. Will Bond

RE-REFERRED TO COMMITTEE

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
SB343	B. King	TO AMEND THE AUTHORITY OF THE ARKANSAS TOBACCO CONTROL BOARD TO ASSESS CIVIL PENALTIES; AND TO MODIFY CIVIL PENALTIES FOR UNLAWFUL SALES OF TOBACCO PRODUCTS.
SB37	A. Clark	PERMITTING A CONCEALED CARRY LICENSEE TO POSSESS A CONCEALED HANDGUN IN HIS OR HER EMPLOYER'S PARKING LOT.

REGULAR AGENDA

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
SB8	A. Clark	TO AMEND CONFIDENTIALITY AND NONDISCLOSURE PROVISIONS OF THE CHILD MALTREATMENT ACT.
SB16	A. Clark	TO AUTHORIZE A REVIEW OF AGENCY PROCEDURE; AND TO AMEND CONFIDENTIALITY AND DISCLOSURE PROVISIONS OF THE CHILD MALTREATMENT ACT.
SB17	A. Clark	TO AMEND PROVISIONS IN THE CHILD MALTREATMENT ACT; TO AMEND PROVISIONS IN THE JUVENILE CODE; AND TO AMEND PROVISIONS CONCERNING THE PLACEMENT OF JUVENILES.
SB18	A. Clark	TO REQUIRE THE APPOINTMENT OF PARENT COUNSEL IN A PROCEEDING TO TERMINATE PARENTAL RIGHTS; AND TO AMEND THE STATE CENTRAL SERVICES FUND.
SB33	Hickey	TO ALLOW A CONCEALED HANDGUN LICENSEE TO KEEP A HANDGUN IN HIS OR HER LOCKED PRIVATE MOTOR VEHICLE ON HIS OR HER EMPLOYER'S PARKING LOT IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES.
SB36	A. Clark	CONCERNING HANDGUN TRAINING REQUIREMENTS FOR VETERANS OF THE UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES AND CURRENT MEMBERS OF THE UNITED STATES ARMED FORCES WHO APPLY FOR A CONCEALED HANDGUN LICENSE.
SB40	A. Clark	TO AMEND PROVISIONS IN THE JUVENILE CODE CONCERNING THE PLACEMENT OF JUVENILES.
SB41	A. Clark	TO AMEND CONFIDENTIALITY EXEMPTIONS UNDER THE CHILD MALTREATMENT ACT.
SB177	B. King	REQUIRING A PERSON WHO HAS THREE OR MORE PREVIOUS COMMITMENTS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION TO SERVE AT LEAST EIGHTY PERCENT OF HIS OR HER SENTENCE FOR HIS OR HER NEXT COMMITMENT TO THE DEPARTMENT BEFORE BEING ELIGIBLE FOR PAROLE.
SB225	Rapert	CONCERNING CREDIT OR DEBIT CARD "SKIMMING"; AND CREATING THE OFFENSE OF UNAUTHORIZED ACQUISITION OR TRANSFER OF FINANCIAL SIGHT ORDER OR PAYMENT CARD INFORMATION.
HB1041	B. Smith	TO PROTECT THE RIGHTS AND PRIVILEGES GRANTED UNDER THE ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION AND THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION; AND TO DECLARE AMERICAN LAWS FOR AMERICAN COURTS.

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HB1361	Speaks	TO AMEND THE GROUNDS FOR DIVORCE OR SEPARATION UNDER THE COVENANT MARRIAGE ACT OF 2001; AND TO ADD MENTAL ABUSE AS A GROUNDS FOR DIVORCE AND SEPARATION UNDER THE COVENANT MARRIAGE ACT OF 2001.
SB305	A. Clark	TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "NEGLECT" AND THE LAW CONCERNING CLOSURES OF CHILD MALTREATMENT INVESTIGATIONS; AND TO MAKE CERTAIN ACTS OF A PARENT, GUARDIAN, CUSTODIAN, OR FOSTER PARENT NONCRIMINAL.
SB306	A. Clark	CONCERNING A NONCUSTODIAL PARENT'S UNSUPERVISED VISITATION WITH HIS OR HER CHILD; TO AMEND DEFINITIONS UNDER THE ARKANSAS JUVENILE CODE OF 1989; AND TO AMEND THE LAW ON PROBABLE CAUSE HEARINGS AND THE TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS.
SB307	A. Clark	CONCERNING DRUG TESTING UNDER THE CHILD MALTREATMENT ACT; CONCERNING CHILD MALTREATMENT INVESTIGATION REPORTS; TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "NEGLECT"; AND TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING INVESTIGATIVE DETERMINATIONS.
HB1466	Drown	TO ESTABLISH THE STOLEN VALOR ACT.
HB1367	Watson	CONCERNING AN AUXILIARY LAW ENFORCEMENT OR A RETIRED LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER CARRYING A CONCEALED HANDGUN; AND CONCERNING RETIRED LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS.
HB1540	Shepherd	CONCERNING THE REGISTRATION OF CONVICTED SEX OFFENDERS ON THE ARKANSAS SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY; CONCERNING REQUIRED INFORMATION ON THE ARKANSAS SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY; AND CONCERNING IN-PERSON REPORTING.
SB414	Hester	TO AMEND THE UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE TO PREVENT FRAUDULENT LIEN FILINGS.
HB1514	E. Armstrong	TO CREATE THE OFFENSE OF IMPROPER USE OF OR ALTERING THE STATE SEAL.
SB444	T. Garner	CONCERNING THE CARRYING AND POSSESSION OF A HANDGUN WITHOUT A LICENSE.
SB492	A. Clark	TO ESTABLISH THE OFFICE OF THE INSPECTOR GENERAL FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES; TO INCREASE CRIMINAL PENALTIES FOR THEFT OF PUBLIC BENEFITS; AND TO CREATE THE OFFENSE OF MISUSE OF STATE PROPERTY.
SB493	D. Sanders	TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF THE OFFENSE OF COMPUTER FRAUD TO INCLUDE EXTORTION USING RANSOMWARE.
SB497	Irvin	TO PROVIDE FOR THE SUPERVISION OF DELINQUENT YOUTH UNDER THE INTERSTATE COMPACT FOR JUVENILES.
HB1542	Shepherd	ADDRESSING THE SEALING OF A PERSON'S FELONY RECORD WHEN THE PERSON IS A FIRST-TIME FELONY OFFENDER.
HB1577	Hammer	CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF ARSON; AND CONCERNING THE STATUTE OF LIMITATIONS FOR ARSON.
HB1658	Tucker	CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF SEXUAL ASSAULT IN THE THIRD DEGREE.
SB533	J. Hutchinson	TO CREATE THE DYNASTY TRUST ACT.
SB535	J. Cooper	CONCERNING DUAL JUDICIAL DISTRICTS.
SB548	Files	CREATING THE ARKANSAS FALSE CLAIMS ACT; AND CONCERNING THE SUBMISSION OF FALSE CLAIMS TO THE STATE OR A LOCAL GOVERNMENT.
SB554	J. Hutchinson	CONCERNING THE AUTHORITY OF A UNITED STATES POSTAL INSPECTOR TO MAKE AN ARREST IN THE STATE.
SB563	T. Garner	CONCERNING THE FILING OF MULTIPLE FRIVOLOUS LAWSUITS BY INMATES IN THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.
HB1578	Hammer	CONCERNING OFFENSES INVOLVING RIOTS, INTERFERENCE WITH EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES PERSONNEL OR FIRST RESPONDERS, DISORDERLY CONDUCT, AND OBSTRUCTING A HIGHWAY OR OTHER PUBLIC PASSAGE; AND ESTABLISHING CIVIL LIABILITY.
SB580	Elliott	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE PRESUMPTIONS OF PARENTAGE IN CASES OF CHILDREN BORN BY MEANS OF ARTIFICIAL INSEMINATION AND SURROGACY.
SB585	Rice	CONCERNING THE INTENDED PURPOSE OF THE CONCEALED HANDGUN LICENSING PROGRAM.

SB586	Hester	REQUIRING A PERSON CONVICTED OF AN OFFENSE USING A COMPUTER OR THE INTERNET TO PAY AN ADDITIONAL FEE; AND TO CREATE A FEE.
SB590	B. Johnson	CONCERNING THE CARRYING OF A WEAPON; AND REPEALING THE "JOURNEY" PROVISION FOR HANDGUN AND WEAPONS OFFENSES.
SB594	Collins-Smith	TO BE KNOWN AS THE TRUE CAMPUS CARRY ACT; AND CONCERNING THE ABILITY TO CARRY A HANDGUN ON A COLLEGE OR UNIVERSITY CAMPUS BY A PERSON WHO HAS A CONCEALED HANDGUN LICENSE.
SB600	Bond	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE CIVIL EVICTION PROCESS; TO CREATE AN EVICTION PROCESS FOR FAILURE TO PAY RENT.
SB616	Bond	CONCERNING THE INTERROGATION OF A JUVENILE BY LAW ENFORCEMENT; AND CONCERNING JUVENILE CONFESSIONS.
SB626	J. Hutchinson	TO PRESERVE THE RIGHT TO BE LEFT ALONE.
SB648	T. Garner	CONCERNING THE VENUE OF CERTAIN LAWSUITS; TO PROMOTE JUDICIAL EFFICIENCY IN ACTIONS WHERE THE STATE IS AN INTERESTED PARTY; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
SB656	G. Stubblefield	TO EXPAND THE DEFINITION OF "FICTIVE KIN".
SB660	Collins-Smith	TO RESTORE RIGHTS OF ARKANSANS TO CARRY FIREARMS IN PUBLIC PLACES.
SB702	E. Williams	CONCERNING THE ASSESSMENT OF AN ADDITIONAL FINE FOR CRIMINAL OFFENSES COMMITTED AGAINST OR IN THE PRESENCE OF A CHILD AND THE ASSESSMENT OF AN ADDITIONAL FINE FOR TRAFFIC VIOLATIONS COMMITTED IN THE PRESENCE OF A CHILD.
SB718	Hester	TO PROTECT CHILDREN IN DELINQUENCY CASES AND FAMILIES IN NEED OF SERVICES CASES FROM UNWARRANTED TESTING FOR DRUG OR ALCOHOL ABUSE.
SB724	J. Dismang	EXEMPTING A PRIVATE UNIVERSITY OR PRIVATE COLLEGE FROM THE REQUIREMENT THAT IT POST AT ITS ENTRANCE THAT THE PRIVATE UNIVERSITY OR PRIVATE COLLEGE DOES NOT PERMIT THE CARRYING OF A CONCEALED HANDGUN.
SB727	Collins-Smith	CONCERNING THE CIVIL FORFEITURE OF ASSETS INVOLVED IN CERTAIN CRIMINAL OFFENSES.
SB728	Collins-Smith	CONCERNING A CONCEALED HANDGUN LICENSEE CARRYING HIS OR HER CONCEALED HANDGUN INTO A STATE OFFICE, A STATE AGENCY, A STATE FACILITY, OR THE STATE CAPITOL BUILDING.
SB731	G. Stubblefield	TO ABOLISH THE NEW BUSINESS RULE AS A DENIAL OF DAMAGES FOR LOST PROFITS.
SB734	A. Clark	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS; AND CONCERNING THE PROCEDURE FOR THE REINSTATEMENT OF PARENTAL RIGHTS.
SB736	A. Clark	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE RIGHT OF A PARENT, CUSTODIAN, AND PUTATIVE PARENT TO HAVE COUNSEL DURING DEPENDENCY-NEGLECT AND TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS PROCEEDINGS.
SB737	A. Clark	TO ESTABLISH THE DIVISION OF DEPENDENCY-NEGLECT PARENTS REPRESENTATION; THE DIVISION OF AD LITEM REPRESENTATION; AND THE DIVISION OF COURT-APPOINTED SPECIAL ADVOCATES.
SB738	A. Clark	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CHILD WELFARE HEARINGS.
SB740	A. Clark	TO AMEND THE LAWS RELATED TO THE RIGHTS OF GRANDPARENTS.
SB741	A. Clark	TO AMEND THE LAWS REGARDING THE RIGHTS OF GRANDPARENTS.
SB751	G. Stubblefield	TO CREATE A CAUSE OF ACTION FOR UNAUTHORIZED ACCESS TO ANOTHER PERSON'S PROPERTY; AND CONCERNING ACCESS TO ANOTHER PERSON'S PROPERTY.
SB753	B. King	TO ESTABLISH A METHOD FOR A PERSON WITH A CRIMINAL BACKGROUND TO REGAIN HIS OR HER RIGHTS TO POSSESS A FIREARM UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES.
SB774	Collins-Smith	TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS PHYSICAL PRIVACY AND SAFETY ACT; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
HB1665	Vaught	TO CREATE A CAUSE OF ACTION FOR UNAUTHORIZED ACCESS TO ANOTHER PERSON'S PROPERTY.
HB1685	Tucker	TO CLARIFY THE CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECKS REQUIRED FOR AN APPLICANT OR

SB777	L. Chesterfield	EMPLOYEE OF A CHILD CARE FACILITY OR A CHURCH-EXEMPT CHILD CARE FACILITY. TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CHILD CUSTODY.
SB781	Collins-Smith	CONCERNING TRUTH IN SENTENCING.
SB788	Hester	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING A MECHANIC'S LIEN.
HB1249	Collins	CONCERNING THE POSSESSION OF A CONCEALED HANDGUN IN A PUBLIC UNIVERSITY, PUBLIC COLLEGE, OR COMMUNITY COLLEGE BUILDING AND CONCERNING PRIVILEGES ASSOCIATED WITH AN ENHANCED LICENSE TO CARRY A CONCEALED HANDGUN.
HB1175	Tucker	TO REQUIRE LIFETIME REGISTRATION ON THE ARKANSAS SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY FOR A PERSON CONVICTED OF RAPE WHEN THE RAPE INVOLVED THE USE OF FORCE.
HB1777	Richey	CONCERNING THE FUNDING OF EXPENSES AND EMPLOYEES OF THE PHILLIPS COUNTY PROSECUTING ATTORNEY IN THE FIRST JUDICIAL DISTRICT.
HB1686	Tucker	CONCERNING THE TRACKING OF AND ACCUMULATION OF DATA CONCERNING THE FAMILIAL OR RESIDENTIAL STATUS OF A VICTIM OF A SEX OFFENSE.
HB1764	Maddox	REMOVING REFERENCES IN THE ARKANSAS CODE TO JURY COMMISSIONERS, WHICH NO LONGER EXIST.
HB1773	Rushing	TO AMEND GRANDPARENTS' RIGHTS IN CUSTODY AND VISITATION MATTERS; AND TO GRANT VISITATION RIGHTS TO GRANDPARENTS WHEN A PARENT OF A CHILD IS DECEASED.

**SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS- TUESDAY, MARCH 14, 2017- 10 MINUTES
UPON ADJORNMENT**

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
HB1554	Drown	CONCERNING PRIVATE REAL PROPERTY RIGHTS; TO PROTECT NATURAL RESOURCES, AGRICULTURAL RESOURCES, AND HISTORICAL ARTIFACTS; TO DETER CRIMINAL ACTIVITY ON A PERSON'S REAL PROPERTY; AND CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF CRIMINAL TRESPASS.

DEFERRED BILLS

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
SB85	Teague	TO AMEND CERTAIN CRIMINAL OFFENSES CONCERNING ABUSES OF PUBLIC OFFICE; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ABUSE OF OFFICE; AND TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ABUSE OF PUBLIC TRUST.
SB6	Bond	TO PROTECT CITIZENS WHO ARE VICTIMS OF JUDICIAL ETHICS VIOLATIONS; TO CREATE A CAUSE OF ACTION AGAINST JUDGES AND JUSTICES WHO HAVE BEEN CONVICTED OF CERTAIN OFFENSES; AND TO CREATE AN EXCEPTION TO JUDICIAL IMMUNITY.
SB145	Bond	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ELEMENTS AND PENALTIES OF NEGLIGENT HOMICIDE.
SB43	J. Hutchinson	CONCERNING CIVIL SUITS IN CONNECTION WITH CRIMINAL ACTIVITY.
SB130	G. Stubblefield	CONCERNING THE OMNIBUS DWI OR BWI ACT; CONCERNING OPERATION OF A MOTOR VEHICLE OR BOAT UNDER THE INFLUENCE OF MARIJUANA; AND ESTABLISHING A PRESUMPTIVE LEVEL OF INTOXICATION DUE TO MARIJUANA IN A PERSON'S BODILY FLUIDS.
SB152	B. Johnson	TO PROTECT THE PRIVACY OF SURVIVING FAMILY MEMBERS OF A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER WHO DIES IN THE LINE OF DUTY; AND TO EXEMPT CERTAIN LAW ENFORCEMENT RECORDS FROM DISCLOSURE; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
SB269	J. Hutchinson	AN ACT CONCERNING THE COLLECTION OF RESTITUTION; AND TO ESTABLISH THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION AS THE DESIGNATED AGENCY FOR COLLECTION OF RESTITUTION IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES.
SB338	J. Hutchinson	CONCERNING THE DEFINITION OF "TARGET GROUP" AS IT IS APPLIES TO COMMUNITY CORRECTION.

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G. Stubblefield AMENDING THE SENTENCING RANGE FOR CERTAIN MURDER CONVICTIONS; CONCERNING THE REOPENING OF UNSOLVED MURDER CASES; CONCERNING A MINIMUM BAIL IN A MURDER CASE; AND CONCERNING PAROLE FOR MURDER CONVICTIONS.