AGENDA Senate Committee on Judiciary

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CONCUR IN HOUSE AMENDMENT

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
<u>SB10</u>	T. Garner	PROHIBITING A REGISTERED SEX OFFENDER FROM PARTICIPATING IN CERTAIN HALLOWEEN-RELATED ACTIVITIES.
<u>SB318</u>	B. Davis	TO PROHIBIT UNLAWFUL FEMALE GENITAL MUTILATION OF A MINOR; TO CREATE AWARENESS PROGRAMS CONCERNING AND STATISTICAL TRACKING OF UNLAWFUL FEMALE GENITAL MUTILATION; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.

REGULAR AGENDA

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
SB230	K. Hammer	CREATING A STATUTORY CIVIL ACTION FOR INVASION OF PRIVACY.
<u>SB12</u>	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.
<u>SB13</u>	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.
<u>SB87</u>	A. Clark	TO DEFINE "IMMINENT HARM" UNDER THE ARKANSAS JUVENILE CODE OF 1989 AND THE CHILD MALTREATMENT ACT.
<u>SB88</u>	A. Clark	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PETITIONS TO REINSTATE PARENTAL RIGHTS.
<u>SB89</u>	A. Clark	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE CLOSED AND CONFIDENTIAL NATURE OF RECORDS UNDER THE ARKANSAS JUVENILE CODE OF 1989.
<u>SB139</u>	M. Johnson	TO AMEND THE LAWS CONCERNING VENUE IN THE JUDICIARY; TO PROMOTE EFFICIENT VENUE TRANSFER; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
<u>HB1218</u>	Tosh	CONCERNING THE SERVICES OFFERED TO LAW ENFORCEMENT BY THE STATE CRIME LABORATORY.

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<u>SB191</u>	Rapert	TO CREATE THE COURT OR JURY FINDING OF GUILTY BUT WITH A MENTAL ILLNESS; CONCERNING THE AFFIRMATIVE DEFENSE OF NOT GUILTY BY WAY OF MENTAL DISEASE OR DEFECT; AND CONCERNING CLAIMS OF INSANITY BY A CRIMINAL DEFENDANT.
<u>SB283</u>	T. Garner	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE PARTITION AND SALE OF LAND; AND TO REPEAL THE UNIFORM PARTITION OF HEIRS PROPERTY ACT.
<u>SB279</u>	M. Pitsch	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING CONDEMNATION ACTIONS; AND TO AUTHORIZE THE CALCULATION OF ATTORNEY'S FEES ON AN HOURLY BASIS.
<u>SB280</u>	M. Pitsch	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING COMPENSATION AWARDED IN A CONDEMNATION ACTION.
SB311	A. Clark	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DISQUALIFICATION OF JUDGES.
<u>SB350</u>	T. Garner	CONCERNING THE PENALTY FOR AN UNLAWFUL AUTOMATED TELEPHONE SOLICITATION
SB352	A. Clark	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PRIVATE CHILD WELFARE AGENCIES.
SB378	Elliott	TO BE KNOWN AS "THE EQUITY IN SENTENCING ACT".
HB1280	Gazaway	CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF PUBLIC INTOXICATION.
<u>SB451</u>	J. Cooper	TO AMEND THE LAWS REGARDING CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECKS FOR PROFESSIONS AND OCCUPATIONS TO OBTAIN CONSISTENCY REGARDING CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECKS AND DISQUALIFYING OFFENSES FOR LICENSURE.
<u>HB1437</u>	Dalby	CONCERNING SCHOOL SAFETY.
<u>SB474</u>	T. Garner	CREATING A CIVIL CAUSE OF ACTION AGAINST A PERSON THAT ENGAGES IN TELEPHONE CALLER IDENTIFICATION SPOOFING.
<u>HB1380</u>	C. Fite	CREATING A PRIVILEGE OF COMMUNICATION BETWEEN A VICTIM OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND THE PERSONNEL OF A DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SHELTER OR CENTER; AND TO MAKE CONFIDENTIAL COMMUNICATIONS BETWEEN A VICTIM AND A VICTIM ADVOCATE.
<u>SB484</u>	B. Ballinger	CONCERNING THE DEFENSE OF A PERSON WITH THE USE OF DEADLY FORCE.
SB496	B. Ballinger	TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE LAW CONCERNING ALIMONY SUPPORT.
<u>HB1424</u>	Сарр	TO AUTHORIZE THE PURCHASE OF BURIAL SERVICES BY THE PUBLIC GUARDIAN FOR ADULTS; AND TO CLARIFY THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE PUBLIC GUARDIAN FOR ADULTS AFTER THE DEATH OF A WARD.
<u>HB1379</u>	C. Fite	TO RECONCILE DIFFERENCES BETWEEN THE OFFENSES OF DOMESTIC BATTERING IN THE FIRST DEGREE AND BATTERY IN THE FIRST DEGREE; AND TO INCREASE THE PENALTIES FOR BATTERY OFFENSES UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES.
<u>HB1469</u>	C. Fite	TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "FOSTER HOME" UNDER THE CHILD WELFARE AGENCY LICENSING ACT; AND TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING FOSTER HOMES.
<u>HB1470</u>	C. Fite	CONCERNING MANDATED REPORTERS UNDER THE ADULT AND LONG-TERM CARE FACILITY RESIDENT MALTREATMENT ACT AND THE CHILD MALTREATMENT ACT; AMENDING THE LAW ON PROTECTIVE CUSTODY; AND TO AMEND THE LAW ON INVESTIGATIVE DETERMINATIONS.

<u>HB1497</u>	Vaught	CREATING CIVIL IMMUNITY FOR OWNERS OF STOLEN AGRICULTURAL EQUIPMENT OR AN OFF-ROAD VEHICLE WHEN AN OFFENSE IS COMMITTED BY ANOTHER PERSON WHO STEALS THE OWNER'S AGRICULTURAL EQUIPMENT OR OTHER OFF-ROAD VEHICLE.
<u>HB1518</u>	Boyd	CONCERNING HEMP-DERIVED CANNABIDIOL.
<u>SB313</u>	Elliott	REQUIRING THE PAROLE BOARD TO ISSUE AND RELEASE FINDINGS OF FACT WHEN IT DENIES PAROLE OR TRANSFER TO A PERSON OTHERWISE ELIGIBLE FOR RELEASE ON PAROLE OR TRANSFER FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.
<u>SB319</u>	B. Ballinger	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING EMINENT DOMAIN; AND TO ADD NEW DEFINITIONS UNDER EMINENT DOMAIN.
<u>SB500</u>	G. Leding	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE CUSTODIAL INTERROGATION OF MINORS.
<u>SB503</u>	Bledsoe	CREATING THE OFFENSE OF PROMOTING A SUICIDE ATTEMPT; CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF PHYSICIAN-ASSISTED SUICIDE.
<u>SB507</u>	L. Chesterfield	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE CONSIDERATION OF THE PREFERENCE OF A CHILD IN A CHILD CUSTODY PROCEEDING.
<u>SB511</u>	Hill	CONCERNING THE THIRTIETH JUDICIAL DISTRICT; AND CONCERNING LONOKE COUNTY STATE DISTRICT COURT AS IT WILL BE CONSTITUTED IN 2021.
HB1506	Beck	TO IMPOSE A CRIMINAL PENALTY FOR THEFT OF DECORATIVE OR MEMORIAL ITEMS FROM A CEMETERY OR GRAVE SITE.
<u>HB1550</u>	Maddox	CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF ABSCONDING.
<u>HB1609</u>	Gazaway	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF POSSESSION OF DRUG PARAPHERNALIA.
<u>HB1610</u>	Gazaway	AMENDING THE SENTENCING RANGE FOR THE OFFENSE OF BATTERY IN THE SECOND DEGREE.
<u>HB1633</u>	Tosh	TO AMEND THE LAW REGARDING WITNESS INTIMIDATION, RETALIATION, TAMPERING WITH EVIDENCE, JURY TAMPERING, AND BRIBERY.
<u>HB1662</u>	Dalby	REGARDING THE SALARIES OF PERSONNEL AND OTHER REQUIREMENTS OF VARIOUS DISTRICT COURTS.
<u>HB1646</u>	Christiansen	CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF UNLAWFUL USE OF AN UNMANNED AIRCRAFT SYSTEM; TO AMEND THE DEFINITIONS OF "CRITICAL INFRASTRUCTURE" AND "UNMANNED AIRCRAFT SYSTEM".
HB1673	Petty	CONCERNING THE ISSUANCE OF A NO CONTACT ORDER.
SB9	T. Garner	GRANTING A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER EMPLOYED WITH THE SOCIAL SECURITY ADMINISTRATION OR THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF STATE THE AUTHORITY TO ARREST.
HB1620	Dotson	TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS CYCLING ACTIVITIES ACT.
<u>HB1643</u>	Burch	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PUTATIVE PARENTS UNDER THE ARKANSAS JUVENILE CODE OF 1989; TO AMEND THE LAW ON THE TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS; AND TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING TRIAL HOME PLACEMENTS.
<u>SB517</u>	Bond	CONCERNING LIFE SENTENCES IMPOSED FOR NONVIOLENT FELONY OFFENSES INVOLVING A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE; CONCERNING CRIMINAL SENTENCES; ESTABLISHING RETROACTIVE APPLICABILITY FOR CERTAIN SENTENCES.

DEFERRED BILLS

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
<u>SB78</u>	L. Chesterfield	CONCERNING THE FEE TO ATTEND A VICTIM IMPACT PANEL THAT IS REQUIRED BY LAW OF ANY PERSON CONVICTED OF DRIVING OR BOATING WHILE INTOXICATED, REFUSAL TO SUBMIT TO A CHEMICAL TEST, OR POSSESSION OF ALCOHOL BY A MINOR.
<u>HB1235</u>	Petty	CONCERNING THE PAYMENT OF COSTS AND FEES ORDERED BY A COURT.
<u>SB198</u>	B. Ballinger	REQUIRING THAT THE ARKANSAS COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDARDS AND TRAINING CONDUCT A STUDY ON THE FEASIBILITY OF A SCHOOL DISTRICT BEING ALLOWED TO ESTABLISH ITS OWN LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCY.
<u>HB1238</u>	Petty	CONCERNING THE TIME PERIOD APPLICABLE FOR AN APPLICATION FOR DISCHARGE OF A SENTENCE.
<u>SB251</u>	Irvin	CONCERNING THE PAROLE OF A PERSON WHO WAS RELEASED OR IS SCHEDULED TO BE RELEASED UNDER THE FAIR SENTENCING FOR MINORS ACT OF 2017.
<u>SB254</u>	Irvin	CONCERNING THE OFFENSE OF IMPROPER USE OF THE STATE SEAL; AND TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF THE STATE SEAL IN A CAMPAIGN.