

**AGENDA**  
**Senate Committee on State Agencies and Governmental Affairs**

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**Tuesday, February 21, 2023**  
**10:00 AM**  
**OSC, State Capitol**  
**Little Rock, Arkansas**

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Sen. Blake Johnson, Chair  
Sen. Clarke Tucker, Vice-Chair  
Sen. Stephanie Flowers  
Sen. Bart Hester

Sen. Bryan King  
Sen. Steve Crowell  
Sen. John Payton  
Sen. Jim Dotson

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**REGULAR AGENDA**

<b>Number</b>	<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Subtitle</b>
<a href="#"><u>SB121</u></a>	M. Johnson	TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS STATE CAPITOL AND HISTORICAL MONUMENT PROTECTION ACT; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
<a href="#"><u>SB255</u></a>	M. McKee	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE ALLOCATION OF ELECTION EXPENSES; AND TO RESTRICT THE SOURCE OF ELECTION FUNDING.
<a href="#"><u>SB250</u></a>	K. Hammer	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING PAPER BALLOTS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING MARKING AND COUNTING PAPER BALLOTS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DECLARATION OF ELECTION RESULTS; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
<a href="#"><u>SB253</u></a>	Crowell	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING DAMAGED BALLOTS; AND TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ELECTION PROCEDURES.
<a href="#"><u>SB254</u></a>	Crowell	AN ACT TO ELIMINATE WRITE-IN CANDIDATES IN ELECTIONS; TO AMEND ELECTION PROCEDURES; AND TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ELECTION.
<a href="#"><u>HB1325</u></a>	A. Collins	TO STANDARDIZE THE HOURS EARLY VOTING IS AVAILABLE; AND TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING EARLY VOTING.
<a href="#"><u>SB267</u></a>	B. Johnson	TO TRANSFER THE CRIMINAL DETENTION FACILITY REVIEW COMMITTEES, AND THE OFFICE OF CRIMINAL DETENTION FACILITIES REVIEW COORDINATOR TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
<a href="#"><u>SB272</u></a>	J. Petty	TO CREATE AN ELECTION INTEGRITY REVIEW PROCESS; TO AMEND THE DUTIES OF THE STATE BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS; AND TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ELECTION LAW VIOLATIONS.
<a href="#"><u>SB273</u></a>	J. Petty	TO AMEND ELECTION LAW CONCERNING POLLING SITES; AND TO AMEND THE LOCATION OF VOTE CENTERS.
<a href="#"><u>SB275</u></a>	K. Hammer	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ELECTIONEERING; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING POLLING SITES AND VOTE CENTERS; AND TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DESIGNATION OF POLLING SITES BY COUNTY BOARDS OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS.
<a href="#"><u>SB277</u></a>	K. Hammer	TO AMEND THE FILING PERIOD FOR POLITICAL PARTIES; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING POLITICAL PARTIES.
<a href="#"><u>SB280</u></a>	J. Dismang	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE CREATION AND DUTIES OF THE ARKANSAS ETHICS COMMISSION; AND TO AMEND PORTIONS OF INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1990 AND INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1996.

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<a href="#">HB1307</a>	Wardlaw	CONCERNING THE REGULATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL, SOCIAL JUSTICE, OR GOVERNANCE SCORES; AND TO AUTHORIZE THE TREASURER OF STATE TO DIVEST CERTAIN INVESTMENTS OR OBLIGATIONS DUE TO CERTAIN FACTORS.
<a href="#">HB1402</a>	Wardlaw	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING COMPLAINTS FILED WITH THE ARKANSAS ETHICS COMMISSION; TO ALLOW ONLINE AND ELECTRONIC COMPLAINTS; AND TO AMEND PORTIONS OF INITIATED ACT 1 OF 1990.
<a href="#">HB1381</a>	Wardlaw	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ARKANSAS'S CONTRIBUTION TO THE NATIONAL STATUARY HALL COLLECTION IN THE UNITED STATES CAPITOL.

### **DEFERRED BILLS**

<b>Number</b>	<b>Sponsor</b>	<b>Subtitle</b>
<a href="#">SB62</a>	Hill	TO PROHIBIT PUBLIC ENTITIES FROM CONTRACTING WITH COMPANIES THAT BOYCOTT ENERGY, FOSSIL FUEL, FIREARMS, AND AMMUNITION INDUSTRIES.
<a href="#">SB90</a>	Hill	TO CREATE THE AUTOMATIC OCCUPATIONAL LICENSURE FOR OUT-OF-STATE INDIVIDUALS ACT.
<a href="#">SB4</a>	G. Stubblefield	TO PROHIBIT A PUBLIC ENTITY FROM USING THE TIKTOK APPLICATION OR VISITING THE TIKTOK WEBSITE ON A STATE-OWNED DEVICE OR STATE-LEASED EQUIPMENT.
<a href="#">SB230</a>	B. King	TO EXPAND THE TIME FOR EARLY VOTING; TO REQUIRE THAT EMPLOYERS PROVIDE PAID TIME OFF TO VOTE; AND TO AMEND ELECTION LAWS.
<a href="#">SB216</a>	C. Tucker	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE WAITING TIME TO VOTE; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ELECTION PROCEDURES; AND TO ALLOW A CITIZEN COMPLAINT CONCERNING THE WAITING TIME TO VOTE.
<a href="#">SB233</a>	C. Tucker	TO CLARIFY THE LENGTH OF TIME FOR WHICH AN APPLICATION FOR AN ABSENTEE BALLOT IS EFFECTIVE; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ABSENTEE BALLOT APPLICATIONS; AND TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING VOTING BY ABSENTEE BALLOT.
<a href="#">SB234</a>	C. Tucker	TO CLARIFY, CREATE UNIFORMITY IN, AND SIMPLIFY THE ABSENTEE BALLOT PROCESS; AND TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE APPLICATION FORM AND MATERIALS FURNISHED TO QUALIFIED VOTERS WITH AN ABSENTEE BALLOT.
<a href="#">SB235</a>	C. Tucker	TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS ABSENTEE VOTER INTEGRITY ACT OF 2023; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING COUNTING ABSENTEE BALLOTS; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ELECTIONS; AND TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE DUTIES OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE.
<a href="#">SB231</a>	B. King	TO AMEND THE RESTRICTIONS ON EMPLOYMENT OF CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICERS AFTER LEAVING OFFICE; AND TO RESTRICT A CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICER FROM CERTAIN TYPES OF EMPLOYMENT FOR TWO YEARS.