

TENTATIVE AGENDA
Joint Committee on Advanced Communications and Information Technology

Thursday, October 18, 2012

01:30 PM

Room 151, State Capitol

Little Rock, Arkansas

Sen. Linda Chesterfield, Chair
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Rep. Kelley Linck, Alternate
Rep. Justin T. Harris, Alternate
Rep. Andy Mayberry, Alternate
Rep. Jon Hubbard, Alternate
Rep. Leslee Milam Post, Alternate

- A. Call to Order
- B. Consideration to approve Minutes of April 11, 2012, April 26, 2012, June 20, 2012, September 10, 2012 and September 27, 2012 **[EXHIBITS: B-1, B-2, B-3, B-4, B-5]**
- C. Update on Planning for Implementation of Common Core in Arkansas: Testing, Technology and Resources (K through 12)
1. Ms. Kim Michel, Director, On-Line Development, CommLearn Online
 2. Mr. Bryan Fields, Director of Education, AETN/PBS Arkansas
 3. Dr. Tom Kimbrell, Commissioner, Arkansas Department of Education (DOE)
 4. Mr. Jim Boardman, Assistant Commissioner, Division of Research and Technology, DOE
 5. Dr. Laura Bednar, Assistant Commissioner, Division of Learning Services, DOE
 6. Mr. Cody Decker, Assistant Commissioner, Division of Research and Technology, DOE
- D. Correlation between Common Core Standards and ACT Assessments
- Dr. Laura Bednar, DOE
- E. Advantages of Broadband Access in Higher Education throughout Arkansas
1. Mr. Donald Bobbitt, President, University of Arkansas System
 2. Mr. Mike Abbiatti, Executive Director, ARE-ON
- F. Other Business
- G. Adjournment

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