AGENDA

House Committee on Education 90th General Assembly Regular Session, 2015

Thursday, March 19, 2015 10:00 AM

Room 138, State Capitol Little Rock, Arkansas

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Rep. Charlotte V. Douglas

Rep. Mark Lowery Rep. Mark D. McElroy

Rep. Charles L. Armstrong

Rep. Bill Gossage Rep. Warwick Sabin

Rep. Warwick Sabin Rep. Grant Hodges

Rep. Michael John Gray

SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS - MARCH 19, 2015 -10:00 a.m.				
Number	Sponsor	Subtitle		
<u>HB1442</u>	J. Mayberry	TO MODIFY THE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE PUBLIC SCHOOL HEALTH SERVICES ADVISORY COMMITTEE.		
HB1443	J. Mayberry	TO ENSURE THAT SCHOOL NURSES HAVE ACCESS TO APPROPRIATE FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT THAT ENABLE THEM TO DO THEIR JOB.		
HB1444	J. Mayberry	TO MODIFY THE REQUIREMENTS FOR SCHOOL NURSES.		

REGULAR AGENDA		
Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
<u>HB1272</u>	Harris	TO ALLOW SCHOOL DISTRICTS TO RECOGNIZE AND EDUCATE STUDENTS ON TRADITIONAL WINTER CELEBRATIONS.
HB1552	House	TO ESTABLISH THE SUCCEED SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM FOR STUDENTS WITH DISABILITIES.
<u>HB1586</u>	C. Douglas	TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE ADMINISTRATIVE CONSOLIDATION LIST FOR SCHOOL DISTRICTS.
<u>HB1593</u>	Ballinger	TO ADD PRIVATE SCHOOLS AS A SCHOOL CHOICE OPTION; TO MODIFY THE TRANSFER CAP; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
<u>HB1595</u>	C. Douglas	TO REQUIRE A COMPREHENSIVE ONLINE SURVEY TO BE CONDUCTED AND INCLUDED IN THE COMPREHENSIVE SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT PLAN DEVELOPED BY A SCHOOL DISTRICT.
<u>HB1605</u>	Tucker	TO PROMOTE TRANSPARENCY BY THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION OR THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION WHEN A SCHOOL DISTRICT IS TAKEN OVER BY THE STATE; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
<u>HB1622</u>	Sabin	TO ADVANCE THE UNDERSTANDING OF PERSONAL FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT AMONG PUBLIC SCHOOL STUDENTS; TO REQUIRE A COURSE IN PERSONAL FINANCE AS A REQUIREMENT OF GRADUATION FROM HIGH SCHOOL.
HB1623	Cozart	TO AMEND THE MINIMUM TEACHER COMPENSATION SCHEDULE.
<u>HB1650</u>	Ratliff	TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING BACKGROUND CHECKS FOR LICENSED PERSONNEL AND CLASSIFIED EMPLOYEES OF PUBLIC SCHOOLS.
<u>HB1651</u>	Ratliff	TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING TEACHER LICENSURE, TEACHER PREPARATION PROGRAMS, AND EDUCATOR ETHICS VIOLATIONS.
<u>HB1652</u>	Ratliff	TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE TEACHER EXCELLENCE AND SUPPORT SYSTEM.
<u>HB1683</u>	C. Douglas	CONCERNING A SCHOOL DISTRICT'S ANTIBULLYING POLICY AND THE RELEASE OF

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		THE NAME OF THE SOCIAL MEDIA ACCOUNT HOLDER WHO BULLIED ANOTHER STUDENT THROUGH AN ELECTRONIC ACT OVER SOCIAL MEDIA.
<u>HB1694</u>	C. Fite	TO ALLOW SCHOOL DISTRICT ENROLLMENT BY FOSTER CHILDREN; TO ALLOW THE PAYMENT OF STATE FOUNDATION FUNDING; AND TO ENSURE CONTINUITY OF EDUCATION.
HB1758	Davis	TO MODIFY THE REQUIREMENTS FOR A PERSONAL FINANCE COURSE.
HB1778	Tosh	TO REQUIRE A STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION THAT REQUIRES COMPLETION OF AN ESSAY FOR AN INSTITUTIONAL SCHOLARSHIP TO RETAIN THE ESSAY FOR ONE (1) YEAR.
HB1806	Vaught	TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING THE UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS, DIVISION OF AGRICULTURE.
<u>HB1828</u>	Lowery	TO ENSURE THAT PERSONALLY IDENTIFIABLE INFORMATION OF STUDENTS IS PROTECTED.
<u>HB1840</u>	Murdock	TO AMEND THE DEFINITIONS UNDER THE ARKANSAS FISCAL ASSESSMENT AND ACCOUNTABILITY PROGRAM.
<u>HB1895</u>	J. Mayberry	TO AMEND THE COLLEGE AND CAREER COACHES PROGRAM.
<u>HB1905</u>	Walker	TO SPECIFY QUALIFICATIONS FOR A SUPERINTENDENT IN A SCHOOL DISTRICT OF ONE THOUSAND (1000) STUDENTS OR MORE.
<u>HB1913</u>	C. Douglas	TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF TITLE 6 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PUBLIC SCHOOL FACILITIES.
<u>HB1961</u>	Leding	TO ADOPT THE STUDENT ONLINE PERSONAL INFORMATION PROTECTION ACT.
<u>HB1967</u>	Bentley	TO REQUIRE THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO DISCONTINUE THE ADOPTION OF THE NEXT GENERATION SCIENCE STANDARDS; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
HB1968	G. Hodges	ARKANSAS TEACHER PREPARATION QUALITY ACT.
<u>HB1970</u>	Lowery	TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF TITLE 6 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING POSTSECONDARY REMEDIATION.
<u>HB1996</u>	V. Flowers	TO AMEND THE OPTIONS AVAILABLE TO THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION CONCERNING A SCHOOL DISTRICT OR PUBLIC SCHOOL IN ACADEMIC DISTRESS.
<u>HB1998</u>	C. Douglas	TO REQUIRE THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO ADOPT ONLY COMPLETE SETS OF STANDARDS; TO PROVIDE A FISCAL IMPACT FOR NEW STANDARDS BEFORE THEY ARE ADOPTED; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
<u>HB1999</u>	C. Douglas	TO AMEND THE TEACHER EXCELLENCE AND SUPPORT SYSTEM.
HB2007	Scott	TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF TITLE 6 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING COMMUNITY COLLEGES.
<u>SB894</u>	Files	TO PROMOTE PARTICIPATION IN INTERSCHOLASTIC SPORTS; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
<u>SB999</u>	Maloch	TO CREATE AN EXEMPTION FROM THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT CONCERNING WORKING PAPERS RELATED TO AUDIT REPORTS FOR INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION.
<u>SB154</u>	D. Johnson	TO ESTABLISH ADULT EDUCATION CHARTER SCHOOLS.
<u>SB226</u>	Irvin	TO EXPAND THE ARKANSAS COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS PLANNING PROGRAM BY ALLOWING PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO USE THE ASPIRE ASSESSMENT SYSTEM AS AN ALTERNATIVE TO THE ACT EXPLORE AND ACT PLAN OR PSAT.
<u>SB789</u>	J. Hendren	TO ESTABLISH THE OPEN-ENROLLMENT PUBLIC CHARTER SCHOOL FACILITIES FUNDING AID PROGRAM.
<u>SB953</u>	Elliott	TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS FOR A SCHOOL OF INNOVATION.
HB1273	Harris	TO PROVIDE FOR THE VOLUNTARY STUDENT EXPRESSION OF RELIGIOUS VIEWPOINTS OF STUDENTS IN A PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT.
<u>HB1439</u>	Lampkin	TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING BOOK DEPOSITORIES.
SB366	A. Clark	TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL COMPENSATION TO A TEACHER IN GRADES SEVEN THROUGH TWELVE (7-12) WHO ELECTS TO TEACH MORE THAN THE MAXIMUM NUMBER OF STUDENTS PERMITTED.

PENDING FISCAL IMPACT

Number	Sponsor	Subtitle Subtitle
<u>HB1583</u>	Gossage	TO AMEND THE LAWS PERTAINING TO A SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER; TO AMEND THE LAWS PERTAINING TO JURISDICTION TO MAKE AN ARREST OR ISSUE A CITATION; TO PERMIT THE ISSUANCE OF A CITATION BY A SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER ON A SCHOOL TRIP.
<u>HB1726</u>	Gossage	TO MODIFY THE PROVISIONS OF TITLE 6 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ASSESSMENTS.
<u>HB1748</u>	Tucker	CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE ARKANSAS P20W EDUCATIONAL DATA SYSTEM; AND TO IMPLEMENT THE ARKANSAS P20W EDUCATIONAL DATA SYSTEM ACT.
<u>HB1780</u>	Tosh	TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF TITLE 6 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING THE TEACHER EXCELLENCE AND SUPPORT SYSTEM.
<u>HB1791</u>	Vines	TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF TITLE 6 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING HAZING.
<u>HB1837</u>	M.J. Gray	TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF TITLE 6 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ACT PREPARATORY TRAINING.
<u>HB1842</u>	Murdock	TO CLARIFY TERMS UNDER THE ARKANSAS FISCAL ASSESSMENT AND ACCOUNTABILITY PROGRAM.
<u>HB1856</u>	Murdock	TO REMOVE TRANSPORTATION FUNDING FROM THE FOUNDATION FUNDING CALCULATION AND CREATE A TRANSPORTATION CATEGORICAL FUNDING; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
<u>HB1857</u>	Murdock	TO MODIFY THE ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR ISOLATED FUNDING AND ISOLATED SPECIAL NEEDS FUNDING, INCLUDING THE DISTRIBUTION OF THOSE FUNDS.
<u>HB1859</u>	Murdock	TO REPEAL ACT 1204 OF 2007.
<u>HB1860</u>	Murdock	TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ADEQUACY AND EQUITY IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
<u>HB1861</u>	Murdock	TO ESTABLISH A MAXIMUM TEACHER SALARY SCHEDULE.
<u>HB1862</u>	Murdock	TO REQUIRE THAT ISOLATED FUNDING AND ISOLATED SPECIAL NEEDS FUNDING ARE CONSIDERED A PART OF ADEQUACY AND ARE GIVEN THE SAME INFLATIONARY ADJUSTMENT.
<u>HB1911</u>	C. Douglas	TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF TITLE 6 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING ALTERNATIVE LEARNING ENVIRONMENTS.
<u>HB1958</u>	C. Armstrong	TO AMEND THE REQUIREMENTS RELATED FOR NATIONAL SCHOOL LUNCH STATE CATEGORICAL FUNDING.
<u>HB1991</u>	C. Douglas	TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF TITLE 6 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING DUTY-FREE LUNCH PERIODS FOR CLASSIFIED SCHOOL EMPLOYEES.
<u>HB2005</u>	Deffenbaugh	TO AMEND PROVISIONS OF TITLE 6 OF THE ARKANSAS CODE CONCERNING PERSONAL FINANCE COURSES IN PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS.
		<u>DEFERRED</u>
Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
HB1052	K. Hendren	TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF SCHOOL DISTRICT FUNDS FOR MEMBERSHIP IN ORGANIZATIONS UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES.
<u>HB1080</u>	D. Douglas	TO PROTECT THE INTEGRITY OF ONGOING ACADEMIC RESEARCH AND STUDIES; AND TO CREATE AN EXEMPTION TO THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967.
<u>HB1225</u>	K. Hendren	TO REQUIRE A STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION TO REPORT ANY NEW FEES OR CHANGES TO EXISTING FEES CHARGED TO STUDENTS TO THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY AT LEAST NINETY DAYS BEFORE THE NEW FEE OR CHANGED FEE IS IMPOSED.
<u>HB1226</u>	K. Hendren	TO DIRECT THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO ENSURE THAT A STUDENT IS TAUGHT TO MAKE CORRECT CHANGE AS A COMPONENT OF A MATHEMATICS COURSE AT SOME POINT IN HIS OR HER PUBLIC SCHOOL EDUCATION.
<u>HB1312</u>	C. Douglas	TO PROVIDE AN AUTOMATIC WAIVER FROM ADMINISTRATIVE CONSOLIDATION OR REORGANIZATION FOR A SCHOOL DISTRICT PLACED ON THE CONSOLIDATION LIST

		UNDER CERTAIN CONDITIONS; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.
<u>HB1393</u>	House	TO ENSURE THAT STATE FUNDING IS NOT PROVIDED FOR COSMETOLOGY COURSES OR BARBER COURSES THAT ARE OFFERED AT STATE-SUPPORTED INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION.
<u>HB1664</u>	Cozart	TO PRESERVE COMPETITION IN SELLING GROUP INSURANCE POLICIES TO INDIVIDUAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS.
HB1733	Cozart	TO ESTABLISH THE ACHIEVEMENT SCHOOL DISTRICT.
<u>SB76</u>	Hester	TO ALLOW A PUBLIC SCHOOL TO EXCEED THE MAXIMUM CLASS SIZE AS ADOPTED BY THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES.