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SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS Number Sponsor Subtitle TO CHANGE ORIGIN SOURCING UNTIL SUCH TIME AS FEDERAL STREAMLINED SALES J. Burris HB1179 TAX LAWS HAVE GONE INTO EFFECT AND TO PROVIDE FOR ORIGIN SOURCING DURING THE INTERVENING TIME PERIOD. **REGULAR AGENDA** Number Sponsor Subtitle Woods AN ACT TO AMEND THE GIFT OF LIFE ACT AND TO PROVIDE A TAX CREDIT FOR HB1254 DONATIONS TO THE ARKANSAS NEWBORN UMBILICAL CORD BLOOD BANK. TO PROVIDE ADDITIONAL INCOME TAX RELIEF TO HEAD OF HOUSEHOLD TAXPAYERS Maxwell HB1378 WITH TWO OR MORE DEPENDENTS. HB1447 Woods "THE ARKANSAS WORKERS' REWARD ACT OF 2009". HB1582 J. Edwards CONCERNING A TAX ON AVIATION FUEL BY CITIES AND COUNTIES. HB1599 Carter TO ENCOURAGE CHARITABLE DONATIONS IN ARKANSAS. TO EXEMPT PURCHASES BY OR FOR A PERMANENTLY DISABLED VETERAN FROM THE HB1614 M. Martin SALES AND USE TAX. HB1624 Dunn TO PROMOTE ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT WITHIN THE STATE BY EXEMPTING FROM THE STATE SALES TAX FUEL AND ENERGY USED OR CONSUMED IN MANUFACTURING. TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF THE STANDARD DEDUCTION FOR INCOME TAX HB1643 Carter PURPOSES. Carter TO EXEMPT FROM SALES AND USE TAX ITEMS SOLD IN CONJUNCTION WITH A HB1664 FUNERAL. TO PROVIDE AN INCOME TAX CREDIT TO TAXPAYERS PERFORMING OVERTIME WORK HB1686 Everett IN COUNTIES DECLARED A DISASTER AREA BY THE GOVERNOR AS THE RESULT OF THE JANUARY 2009 ICE STORM IN ARKANSAS. TO ALLOW A TAX CREDIT AGAINST INCOME TAX FOR EMPLOYERS WHO PROVIDE HB1696 Dismang HEALTH INSURANCE FOR EMPLOYEES. TO ALLOW A DEDUCTION FROM GROSS INCOME FOR THE PURCHASE AND USE OF A Breedlove HB1748 SOLAR ENERGY SYSTEM. TO PROVIDE THAT THE SALES OF MACHINERY OR EQUIPMENT AND RELATED HB1802 M. Burris ATTACHMENTS USED FOR THE HARVESTING OF TIMBER SHALL BE EXEMPT FROM THE

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		SALES AND USE TAX.
<u>HB1831</u>	T. Rogers	TO REPEAL THE LAW CONCERNING THE COST OF COLLECTING AD VALOREM TAXES ON MINERAL INTERESTS.
<u>HB1835</u>	M. Burris	TO INCLUDE EXEMPT WHOLESALE GENERATORS OF ELECTRICITY IN THE DEFINITION OF A MANUFACTURER FOR PURPOSES OF THE REDUCED EXCISE TAX RATE ON NATURAL GAS USED IN MANUFACTURING.
<u>HB1836</u>	Reynolds	THE CLEAN FUELS INCENTIVE ACT.
<u>HB1850</u>	J. Burris	TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF THE HOMESTEAD PROPERTY TAX CREDIT.
<u>HB1861</u>	English	Arkansas Emerging and Renewable Energy Technology Development Act of 2009.
<u>HB1886</u>	Lowery	TO PROVIDE A SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR WATER SALES BY A SPARTA AQUIFER CRITICAL GROUNDWATER COUNTY CONSERVATION BOARD.
<u>HB1888</u>	Lowery	TO EXEMPT B.I.G. LOVE CANCER CARE SERVICES FROM THE SALES AND USE TAX.
<u>HB1478</u>	Patterson	TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS TAX PROCEDURE ACT AND THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES LAW TO ALLOW INFORMATION SHARING BETWEEN THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION AND THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE SERVICES.
<u>HB1905</u>	L. Cowling	TO GRADUALLY REDUCE THE SALES AND USE TAX ON UTILITIES THAT ARE USED BY QUALIFYING AGRICULTURAL STRUCTURES AND QUALIFYING AGRICULTURE, HORTICULTURE, AND AQUACULTURE EQUIPMENT.
<u>HB1910</u>	Ingram	AN ACT TO ENCOURAGE THE CREATION OF REGIONAL OR COMMUNITY-BASED ALLIANCE FUNDS AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO THE EQUITY INVESTMENT INCENTIVE TAX CREDIT.
<u>HB1911</u>	Ingram	TO EXTEND THE NET OPERATING LOSS CARRYFORWARD PERIOD FOR CALCULATING ARKANSAS INCOME TAX AND TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES TO RELATED SECTIONS OF LAW.
<u>HB1914</u>	L. Cowling	TO STABILIZE THE TAX ON UTILITIES FOR AGRICULTURAL BUSINESSES BY REDUCING THE SALES AND USE TAX ON THE PURCHASE PRICE AND LEVYING A SPECIAL EXCISE TAX BASED ON THE VOLUME OF THE UTILITY SOLD.
<u>HB1915</u>	L. Cowling	TO STABILIZE THE TAX ON ELECTRICITY, NATURAL GAS, AND PROPANE GAS BY REDUCING THE SALES TAX ON THE PURCHASE PRICE AND LEVYING A SPECIAL EXCISE TAX BASED ON THE VOLUME OF ELECTRICITY, NATURAL GAS, AND PROPANE GAS PURCHASED.
<u>HB1929</u>	Sample	TO ASSESS TREBLE DAMAGES AGAINST AN EMPLOYER WHO PAYS AN EMPLOYEE AND FAILS TO DEDUCT AND WITHHOLD ANY AMOUNT OF THE EMPLOYEE'S WAGES.
<u>HB1945</u>	Moore	TO INCLUDE DIETARY SUPPLEMENTS IN THE DEFINITION OF FOOD AND FOOD INGREDIENTS FOR SALES AND USE TAX PURPOSES.
<u>HB1947</u>	Garner	TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS CAPITAL GAINS REDUCTION ACT OF 2009.
<u>HB1949</u>	Carter	TO CONFORM THE TIME PERIOD FOR CLAIMING A LOCAL TAX CREDIT OR REBATE FOR STREAMLINED SALES TAX PURPOSES WITH THE TIME PERIOD FOR CLAIMING A CREDIT OR REBATE UNDER THE ARKANSAS TAX PROCEDURE ACT.
<u>HB1953</u>	Moore	TO ENCOURAGE AND FOSTER ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND REVITALIZE COMMUNITIES BY ALLOWING A TAX CREDIT FOR THE REHABILITATION OF HISTORIC STRUCTURES LOCATED IN ARKANSAS.
<u>HB1965</u>	Carter	TO EXEMPT AN OPERATOR OF A FARM TRUCK TRACTOR FROM EXCISE TAXATION ON THE SALE OF A DISTILLATE SPECIAL FUEL.
<u>HB1966</u>	Cheatham	TO PROVIDE A CREDIT OR REBATE ON THE LOCAL SALES AND USE TAX PAID ABOVE TWO THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS (\$2,500) ON THE PURCHASE OF A TRAILER.
<u>HB1245</u>	English	AN ACT TO EXEMPT MILITARY RETIRED PAY FROM INCOME TAX.
<u>HB1981</u>	Dismang	TO SIMPLIFY FRANCHISE TAX REPORTING BY ALLOWING THE FILING DATE TO COINCIDE WITH THE FEDERAL INCOME TAX FILING DATE AND TO LIMIT THE AMOUNT OF FRANCHISE TAX PER CORPORATION.
<u>HB1987</u>	Lovell	TO AMEND THE SALES AND USE TAX LAWS TO CONFORM WITH THE STREAMLINED SALES TAX. AGREEMENT.
<u>HB1995</u>	Adcock	TO GIVE THE SELLER OF A MANUFACTURED HOME PARK AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR A SALE OF THE MANUFACTURED HOME PARK TO A RESIDENT BUYER'S ASSOCIATION.
<u>HB2001</u>	Carroll	THE RAILROAD FREIGHT SYSTEM INFRASTRUCTURE CAPACITY EXPANSION ACT.

<u>HB2008</u>	Webb	THE METHANE GAS RECOVERY INCOME TAX CREDIT ACT OF 2009.
<u>HB2010</u>	Woods	TO ESTABLISH AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR THE EDUCATIONAL EXPENSES OF DEPENDENTS.
<u>SB88</u>	Glover	TO REDUCE THE STATE SALES AND USE TAX RATE ON FOOD AND FOOD INGREDIENTS.
<u>SB95</u>	G. Baker	TO EXEMPT THE ARKANSAS FLOODPLAIN MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION FROM THE GROSS RECEIPTS AND USE TAX.
<u>SB223</u>	Laverty	TO PROVIDE A SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR MATERIALS USED BY FARMERS TO BALE HAY.
<u>SB369</u>	D. Johnson	TO ESTABLISH UNIFORM REQUIREMENTS FOR DISTRAINT OF GOODS OR CHATTELS.
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<u>HB1045</u>	Ragland	TO CLARIFY THE DEFINITION OF A DISABILITY REQUIRED TO QUALIFY FOR AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR SUPPORTING A CHILD WITH A DISABILITY.
<u>HB1060</u>	Pennartz	TO ESTABLISH AN INVESTMENT TAX CREDIT FOR THE REHABILITATION AND DEVELOPMENT OF CENTRAL BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS.
<u>HB1150</u>	Stewart	TO PROVDE A SALES AND USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR THE SALE OF LAWN CARE SERVICES TO A NON-PERPETUAL CARE CEMETERY.
<u>HB1225</u>	Cooper	TO INCREASE THE TIME FOR WHICH A SELLER OF A VEHICLE MAY DEDUCT THE VALUE OF THE USED VEHICLE FROM THE CONSIDERATION PAID FOR A NEW VEHICLE FOR PURPOSES OF DETERMINING THE GROSS RECEIPTS AND USE TAX OWED ON THE NEW VEHICLE.
<u>HB1454</u>	Glidewell	TO REDUCE THE STATE PORTION OF THE SALES AND USE TAX RATE ON FOOD AND FOOD INGREDIENTS.
<u>HB1491</u>	Overbey	TO EXEMPT FROM EXCISE TAXES MOTOR VEHICLES PROVIDED PURSUANT TO A MANUFACTURER'S VEHICLE WARRANTY OR EXTENDED MOTOR VEHICLE SERVICE CONTRACT.
<u>HB1583</u>	Hyde	TO CLARIFY THAT CONTRIBUTIONS TO A TAX-DEFERRED TUITION SAVINGS PROGRAM ARE DEDUCTIBLE FROM ARKANSAS INCOME TAX.
<u>HB1608</u>	Breedlove	TO EXEMPT TWINE USED FOR BAILING HAY FROM THE SALES AND USE TAXES.
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<u>HB1055</u>	Hobbs	TO ALLOW A CHURCH OR CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION TO PURCHASE TANGIBLE PERSONAL PROPERTY AND SERVICES EXEMPT FROM SALES AND USE TAX WHEN THE CHURCH OR CHARITABLE ORGANIZATION IS PROVIDING A COMMUNITY SERVICE TO THE PUBLIC.
<u>HB1056</u>	Hobbs	TO EXEMPT SALES AND USE TAX ON THE MANUFACTURER'S OR DEALER'S REBATE OF A MOTOR VEHICLE.
<u>HB1084</u>	L. Smith	TO LIMIT THE SALE FOR RESALE TAX EXEMPTION FOR PACKAGING MATERIALS SOLD TO MANUFACTURERS TO ONLY PACKAGING MATERIALS THAT ARE BIODEGRADABLE OR RECYCLABLE.
<u>HB1164</u>	Stewart	AN ACT TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF THE RETIREMENT OR DISABILITY BENEFITS INCOME TAX EXEMPTION.
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<u>HB1284</u>	Lindsey	TO CLARIFY THE DEFINITION OF "SUBSTANTIALLY" FOR PURPOSES OF THE EXEMPTION FOR MANUFACTURING MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT.
<u>HB1328</u>	Adcock	TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF THE GROSS RECEIPTS AND COMPENSATING USE TAX EXEMPTION FOR THE SALE OF A NEW OR USED MOTOR VEHICLE, TRAILER, OR SEMITRAILER.
<u>HB1358</u>	Sample	AN ACT TO PROVIDE DIRECT RELIEF TO ARKANSAS CONSUMERS BY REDUCING THE STATE SALES TAX ON NATURAL GAS AND ELECTRICITY.
<u>HB1360</u>	Sample	AN ACT TO EXEMPT TEEN CHALLENGE OF ARKANSAS, INC., FROM PAYMENT OF SALES AND USE TAX.
<u>HB1441</u>	Sample	THE INCOME TAX REORGANIZATION AND REFORM ACT OF 2009.

<u>HB1484</u>	Tyler	TO EXEMPT FROM SALES AND USE TAX THE FIRST FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$5,000) OF TOTAL CONSIDERATION OF THE SALE OF A USED MOTOR VEHICLE.
<u>HB1490</u>	Adcock	TO EXEMPT HEARING AIDS FROM THE SALES AND USE TAX.
<u>HB1563</u>	Dismang	TO EXEMPT ACTIVE DUTY MILITARY PERSONNEL FROM INCOME TAX ON SERVICE PAY OR ALLOWANCES.
<u>HB1595</u>	Adcock	TO EXEMPT THE ARKANSAS SEARCH DOG ASSOCIATION, INC., A PRIVATE, NONPROFIT ENTITY, FROM PAYMENT OF SALES AND USE TAX.
<u>HB1610</u>	Garner	AN ACT TO ALLOW A SALES AND USE TAX CREDIT FOR EXPENSEES INCURRED OR FOR THE RETENTION OF A CERTIFIED SERVICE PROVIDER AS THE RESULT OF THE CHANGES MADE DUE TO THE STREAMLINED SALES TAX SOURCING RULES.