AGENDA

House Committee on Agriculture, Forestry, and Economic Development 91st General Assembly Regular Session, 2017

Friday, March 17, 2017 09:00 AM Room 138, State Capitol Little Rock, Arkansas

Rep. Dan M. Douglas, Chair Rep. David Hillman, Vice-Chair

Rep. Stephen Meeks Rep. Lane Jean

Rep. Matthew J. Shepherd Rep. David L. Branscum Rep. Bruce Cozart Rep. Scott Baltz Rep. Mark D. McElroy Rep. Stephen Magie Rep. Ken Bragg Rep. David Whitaker

Rep. Ron McNair

Rep. Mary Bentley Rep. Rick Beck Rep. Dan Sullivan Rep. Karilyn Brown Rep. Mathew W. Pitsch Rep. Jack Fortner Rep. Fred Allen

Re-Referred To Committee					
Number	Sponsor	Subtitle			
<u>HB1536</u>	M. Gray	TO AMEND THE MINORITY BUSINESS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ACT TO INCLUDE WOMEN-OWNED BUSINESSES.			

Regular Bills					
Number	Sponsor	Subtitle			
<u>HB1748</u>	Pilkington	TO DESIGNATE THE MALLARD AS THE OFFICIAL STATE DUCK.			
<u>HB1755</u>	Collins	TO CREATE THE TRAIL OF TEARS HISTORIC BIKE ROUTE.			
<u>HB1767</u>	Tucker	TO ESTABLISH A FEE REIMBURSEMENT PROGRAM FOR NOVICE ENTREPRENEURS.			
<u>HB1768</u>	Tucker	TO CREATE AN INCOME TAX CREDIT FOR INVESTMENTS IN SMALL ARKANSAS-BASED HIGH-TECHNOLOGY BUSINESSES.			
<u>HB1778</u>	Hillman	TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS INDUSTRIAL HEMP ACT; AND TO CREATE A RESEARCH PROGRAM TO ASSESS THE AGRICULTURAL AND ECONOMIC POTENTIAL OF INDUSTRIAL HEMP PRODUCTION IN ARKANSAS.			
<u>HB1847</u>	Сарр	TO PROVIDE FOR ARKANSAS AGRITOURISM SIGNS AT STATE WELCOME CENTERS AND TOURIST INFORMATION CENTERS THROUGH THE ARKANSAS WINE COUNTRY TRAILS PROGRAM.			
<u>HB1871</u>	Lemons	TO ENSURE THE CERTIFICATION AND TRAINING OF ANIMAL CONTROL OFFICERS.			
<u>HB1876</u>	M.J. Gray	TO REQUIRE AN ENTITY THAT RECEIVES AN ECONOMIC INCENTIVE FROM THE STATE TO EMPLOY OR CONTRACT WITH ARKANSAS RESIDENTS IN COMPLETING THE PROJECT THAT IS SUBJECT TO THE FINANCIAL INCENTIVE AGREEMENT.			
<u>HB2030</u>	Sabin	TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS ECONOMIC INCENTIVE TRANSPARENCY ACT; AND TO REQUIRE REPORTING OF INFORMATION CONCERNING THE ECONOMIC INCENTIVES OFFERED BY THE STATE.			
HB2063	Hammer	TO CREATE THE FERAL HOG ERADICATION TASK FORCE.			
<u>SB534</u>	Rice	TO PROTECT PRIVATE PROPERTY OWNERS AND LESSEES WHO CAPTURE A FERAL HOG ON PRIVATE PROPERTY.			
<u>SB501</u>	B. Johnson	TO CREATE PENALTIES UNDER THE STATE PLANT BOARD FOR THE MISUSE OF DICAMBA OR RELATED PRODUCTS; TO LIMIT THE USE OF PENALTIES ABOVE ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$1,000); AND TO DIRECT MONEYS TO SCHOLARSHIPS AND TRAINING OF PERSONNEL.			
<u>SB567</u>	B. Johnson	TO AMEND A PROVISION IN THE LAW CONCERNING THE COLLECTION OF PERSONAL INFORMATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF CHILD SUPPORT ENFORCEMENT AS APPLIED TO NON-OCCUPATIONAL LICENSEES AND PERMIT HOLDERS.			

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<u>HB2078</u>	Sorvillo	TO CREATE AN OFFENSE FOR SALE OF DOGS OR CATS PROPERTY WITHOUT OWNER'S WRITTEN PERMISSION; AND TO PROTECT CONSUMERS AND ANIMALS FROM PUPPY AND KITTEN MILLS.				
<u>HB1715</u>	Richmond	TO CREATE THE PROTECTION FOR DOG OWNERS ACT; TO DEFINE DECEPTIVE TRADE PRACTICES FOR DOG SALES; TO CREATE THE PROFESSIONAL AND DIRECT-SELL DOG BREEDER ACT; AND TO CREATE OVERSIGHT OF DOG SELLERS.				
<u>HB2180</u>	Rye	TO ESTABLISH THAT THE NORTHEAST ARKANSAS DISTRICT FAIR LOCATION SHALL BE DETERMINED BY THE NORTHEAST ARKANSAS DISTRICT FAIR ADVISORY BOARD.				
<u>SB538</u>	Maloch	TO IMPLEMENT ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENT 97; TO AMEND THE LAW CONCERNING ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT TAXES AND PUBLIC CORPORATIONS FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT; AND TO DECLARE AN EMERGENCY.				
<u>SB684</u>	G. Stubblefield	TO AUTHORIZE ALTERNATIVE METHODS OF VERIFYING NEGATIVE EQUINE INFECTIOUS ANEMIA TESTS.				
HB2218	M. Gray	TO AMEND THE MINORITY BUSINESS ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT ACT.				
<u>HB2225</u>	Johnson	TO PROVIDE FISHING LICENSURE FLEXIBILITY FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH MENTAL DISABILITIES.				
HB2236	Gonzales	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE CLASSIFICATION OF ANIMAL BEDDING.				
<u>HB1956</u>	M. Gray	TO DEFINE THE PAYROLL CALCULATIONS FOR MEETING THE PAYROLL REQUIREMENTS OF EMPLOYERS RECEIVING INCENTIVES UNDER THE CONSOLIDATED INCENTIVE ACT OF 2003.				
<u>Deferred Bills</u>						
Number	Sponsor	Subtitle				
<u>HB1217</u>	Branscum	TO PROVIDE FOR FREE HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSES FOR VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS.				
HB1380	D. Douglas	TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS TRESPASSER RESPONSIBILITY ACT.				
<u>HB1717</u>	Sorvillo	TO CREATE THE DOG AND CAT SALE REGISTRATION ACT; AND TO CREATE THE DOG AND CAT SALE REGISTRATION FUND.				