AGENDA House Committee on State Agencies and Governmental Affairs 87th General Assembly Regular Session, 2009

Friday, March 20, 2009 09:00 AM Room 151, State Capitol Little Rock, Arkansas

- Rep. Rick Saunders, Chair Rep. Eddie Cheatham, Vice Chair Rep. Lindsley Smith Rep. Steve Harrelson Rep. Gene Shelby Rep. Ed Garner
- Rep. Clark Hall Rep. Donna Hutchinson Rep. Larry Cowling Rep. Dan Greenberg Rep. Duncan Baird Rep. Andrea Lea Rep. Jonathan Dismang

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SPECIAL ORDER OF BUSINESS AT 9:00 AM				
Number	Sponsor	Subtitle		
<u>HB2096</u>	Greenberg	AN ACT CONCERNING THE NAMING OF PUBLIC BUILDINGS, STRUCTURES, OR FACILITIES.		
<u>HB1485</u>	Saunders	AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF ELECTION OFFICIALS AND ELECTION OFFICERS.		
		REGULAR AGENDA		
Number	Sponsor	Subtitle		
<u>SB878</u>	G. Jeffress	TO ADD A LAY MEMBER TO THE PROFESSIONAL BAIL BONDSMAN LICENSING BOARD.		
<u>SB767</u>	Faris	TO AMEND THE PROTESTED SOLICITATIONS AND AWARDS PROCESS FOR STATE CONTRACTS.		
<u>HB1977</u>	J. Rogers	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING EARLY VOTING LOCATIONS.		
<u>HB1980</u>	Saunders	AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF ELECTION OFFICIALS AND ELECTION OFFICERS.		
<u>HB2070</u>	Reynolds	CONCERNING THE ARKANSAS COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDARDS AND TRAINING.		
<u>HB2068</u>	Abernathy	TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF STATE AGENCY FOR PURPOSES OF EMPLOYMENT.		
<u>HB2067</u>	Abernathy	TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 21-1-402 TO PROVIDE FOR EXCEPTIONS TO THE PROHIBITION ON STATE EMPLOYMENT.		
<u>HB2116</u>	Lea	CONCERNING THE CONDUCT OF NONPARTISAN MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.		
<u>HB2115</u>	Lea	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING THE TIMES FOR EARLY VOTING.		
<u>HR1029</u>	Woods	COMMENDING MICHAEL MARION ON HIS SUCCESSFUL MANAGEMENT OF ALLTEL ARENA IN NORTH LITTLE ROCK, ARKANSAS.		
<u>HB2161</u>	J. Burris	TO PROVIDE THAT POLICE CHIEFS ARE NOT DEPARTMENT HEADS FOR PURPOSES OF ARKANSAS CODE § 14-42-110.		
<u>HB2131</u>	Williams	TO CREATE THE CAPITOL MALL ARTS COLLECTION COMMISSION.		
<u>HB2231</u>	Flowers	TO AMEND ARKANSAS LAW CONCERNING LICENSE, PERMIT, AND NOTARY PUBLIC		

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		BONDS.
<u>HB2097</u>	Greenberg	CONCERNING A PUBLC EMPLOYEE EXERCISING A RIGHT OR PRIVILEGE UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967.
<u>HB1923</u>	Perry	TO PROVIDE FOR A RECALL ELECTION OF A MEMBER OF A SCHOOL BOARD OF DIRECTORS.
<u>HB2069</u>	Hyde	TO TRANSFER THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE FEDERAL SURPLUS PROPERTY PROGRAM FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF WORKFORCE EDUCATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT.
<u>HB1053</u>	Greenberg	THE OPEN CHECKBOOKS IN GOVERNMENT ACT.
<u>HB1863</u>	Carroll	AN ACT TO ENSURE PARTICIPATION BY NEW POLITICAL PARTY CANDIDATES AND INDEPENDENT CANDIDATES IN PUBLICLY FUNDED ELECTION DEBATES.
<u>HB1247</u>	Carroll	AN ACT TO EXTEND THE THRESHOLD FOR A POLITICAL PARTY TO MAINTAIN ITS CERTIFIED POLITICAL PARTY STATUS TO INCLUDE RECEIVING A PERCENTAGE OF VOTES FOR ANY POSITION SUBJECT TO A STATEWIDE ELECTION.

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Number	Sponsor	Subtitle
<u>HB1020</u>	Lea	TO PROVIDE THAT REGULAR SESSIONS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OCCUR IN EVEN-NUMBERED YEARS AND FISCAL SESSIONS OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OCCUR IN ODD-NUMBERED YEARS AS AUTHORIZED BY ARKANSAS CONSTITUTION, AMENDMENT 86.
<u>HB1162</u>	Pyle	TO ABOLISH THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF MASSAGE THERAPY AND TO TRANSFER ALL DUTIES TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH.
<u>HB1049</u>	Greenberg	AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR REVIEW BY THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S OFFICE OF A DENIAL OF ACCESS UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT OF 1967.
<u>HB1355</u>	Maloch	CONCERNING SEVERANCE AGREEMENTS EXECUTED BY STATE AGENCIES.
<u>HB1348</u>	Reep	AN ACT TO DESIGNATE THE BLUE CATFISH AS THE OFFICIAL FISH OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.
<u>HB1487</u>	L. Smith	TO AMEND THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' POLITICAL FREEDOM ACT OF 1999.
SCR5	Hendren	TO RECOGNIZE FEBRUARY 6 AS "RONALD REAGAN DAY".
<u>HCR1011</u>	Hobbs	CLAIMING SOVEREIGNTY UNDER THE TENTH AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES OVER CERTAIN POWERS AND SERVING NOTICE TO THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT TO CEASE AND DESIST CERTAIN MANDATES.
<u>HR1031</u>	Hobbs	TO AFFIRM THE RIGHTS OF ALL STATES INCLUDING ARKANSAS BASED ON THE PROVISIONS OF THE NINTH AND TENTH AMENDMENTS TO THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION.
<u>HCR1022</u>	Hobbs	TO RESCIND THE PREVIOUS APPLICATION BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES THAT IT CALL A CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION TO PROPOSE AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION TO BALANCE THE PUBLIC DEBT.
<u>HB1925</u>	Maxwell	TO AMEND THE ARKANSAS MOTOR VEHICLE COMMISSION ACT.
<u>HB1931</u>	Pierce	TO CHANGE THE DATE FOR SCHOOL BOARD ELECTIONS THROUGHOUT THE STATE.
<u>HB1707</u>	Adcock	TO REQUIRE PUBLICATIONS PRODUCED OR DISTRIBUTED BY STATE GOVERNMENT TO BE PROVIDED IN ALL LANGUAGES, INCLUDING BRAILLE AND SIGN LANGUAGE, IF THE PUBLICATION IS PROVIDED IN SPANISH.
<u>HB1982</u>	English	TO PROMOTE AND ENFORCE EFFICIENCY IN STATE GOVERNMENT.
<u>HB2117</u>	Lea	TO REQUIRE STATE AGENCIES, BOARDS, AND COMMISSIONS TO REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE AND LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL ON THEIR OWNERSHIP, LEASING, OR USAGE OF AIRPLANES.
<u>HB2107</u>	Sample	TO REQUIRE A SPORTS AGENT TO DISCLOSE THE ATHLETES AND COACHES REPRESENTED BY THE SPORTS AGENT.
<u>HB2126</u>	Garner	REQUIRING CERTAIN FUNDS OF BOARDS, AGENCIES, AND COMMISSIONS TO BE DEPOSITED WITH THE STATE TREASURER.
<u>HB2174</u>	Harrelson	TO CREATE THE ARKANSAS VETERANS LAND BOARD.
<u>HB2219</u>	Carroll	TO ESTABLISH MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS AND EXPERIENCE THAT MUST BE MET IN ORDER FOR A PERSON TO BE APPOINTED AS A DIRECTOR OR CHAIR OF A STATE

		AGENCY, BOARD, OR COMMISSION.
<u>HB2220</u>	Hall	TO RESTRUCTURE THE ARKANSAS STATE BOARD OF NURSING.
<u>HB2274</u>	Patterson	TO AMEND VARIOUS SECTIONS OF THE ARKANSAS CODE REGARDING THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF ARKANSAS FORESTRY COMMISSION INVESTIGATORS.
<u>HJR1014</u>	L. Smith	RATIFYING THE PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION PROVIDING THAT EQUALITY OF RIGHTS UNDER THE LAW SHALL NOT BE DENIED OR ABRIDGED BY THE UNITED STATES OR ANY STATE ON ACCOUNT OF SEX.
<u>HB1855</u>	King	AN ACT TO REQUIRE THAT A VOTER PROVIDE PROOF OF IDENTITY WHEN VOTING AND TO ELIMINATE THE FEE FOR AN ARKANSAS IDENTIFICATION CARD.
<u>HB2158</u>	Harrelson	TO CREATE THE DIVISION OF DEPENDENCY-NEGLECT PARENT COUNSEL REPRESENTATION WITHIN THE ARKANSAS PUBLIC DEFENDER COMMISSION.
<u>SB775</u>	Madison	CONCERNING THE POSTING OF RETURN RECORDS FOR VOTING MACHINES.